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## Opening Hymn #329 There is Power in the Blood

### Scripture Reading Psalm 119:104-105

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### Memory Verse Proverbs 9:10

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.

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## Hymn #732 The Battle Belongs to the Lord

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Hymn #786
Count Your
Blessings

### Message: 2 Corinthians 11:24-28

## I. Joseph—Victim or Victor?

## A. Sold into slavery by his brothers *Genesis 37:28*

## B. Falsely accused and imprisoned *Genesis 39*

### C. Forgotten by the butler Genesis 39

# D. Recognized by Pharoah and promoted Genesis 40

#### II. The difference

# A. Scripture does not record him having a pity party

# B. God's test usually involves a change we did not anticipate

## C. The Lord was with Joseph Genesis 39:9



## A. Keep God's commands

## B. Glorify God in their lives Genesis 39: 2,3,21,23

## C. Trust God's purposes Genesis 50:20

## D. Do not blame others Genesis 50:20

#### IV. Check your attitude

## . Our attitude determines our character

### B. We are overcomers 1 John 5:4-5

## C. We all have our standards—are they God's standards?

### V. As we serve the Lord—remember

# A. Obedience does not always result in a happy ending

B. God can use difficult circum-stances for our good and His glory

C. We may not be able to change our circumstances, but we can change our

D. Do not forget—God is in control

### Hymn #572 Blessed Assurance

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