



### **34. Plenty and Little Questions**

Genesis 41:41-57, Matthew 6

[Have you studied the online Facilitator Training Session? It can be found on the website as a [downloadable and online](#) video file.]

These questions are designed to guide the presenter of this video in ministering to the children after the video was presented to them. The idea is to

- test how they have listened,
- re-emphasize important truths to solidify it in their minds and spirits, and
- create a foundation for the Holy Spirit to minister to them through the presenter as the facilitator.

Feel therefore free to make use of this opportunity to speak into the children's lives on the topic the video has highlighted.

1. Q: Joseph was hurt because of what his family had done to him. What did he do about it?
  - a. Did he shout and hit things?
  - b. Did he sulk and get depressed?
  - c. Did he send a killer to sort them out?A: *(He prayed for the Lord to comfort him and give him peace. He also did everything in a way the Lord liked it to be.)*
  
2. Q: When his sons were born, what did Joseph do to give God the glory?  
A: *(He gave his sons names that show how good God was to him. Manasseh meant: "God has made me forget all my troubles", and Ephraim meant: "God has made me fruitful in this land that made me so unhappy".)*
  
3. Q: What should you do if people hurt you? Facilitator to explain hurt, which is not only physical, but also emotional.  
A: *(You should forgive them. Facilitator to explain what forgiving entails. Forgiveness also means blessing them and loving them with good things you do for them to the glory of God.)*
  
4. Q: If you do that, what will the Lord do for you?  
A: *(He will bless you and give you peace. He will work with you to restore your relationship with the one you forgave.)*
  
5. Q: We know we shouldn't worry about our needs. Which two things do we need to do instead?  
A: *(He wants us to love Him and take care of our relationship with Him. He also wants us to love people and care for them.)*

**Memory Verse:**

**Matthew 6:33:** But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. (NIV)

**Application:**

- We should live in forgiveness, trusting the Lord to give us peace.
- Forgiveness should not only be words, but should be followed by deeds of love and blessing them.
- If you live in forgiveness, the Lord will bless you and give you peace. He will also work with you to restore relationships.
- God promised to meet all our needs, providing that we love both Him and other people.