

**CAN GOD BE  
RIGHT WHEN LIFE  
GOES WRONG?  
CASE STUDY:  
JOSEPH**

## **HEARING & FOLLOWING GOD'S WILL (Part 2)**

*If we pause to listen to God, he will direct our paths.*

The Bible passage this morning is...

**Genesis 42.1-28**

**What does 'healthy' look like?**

**Are you asking this all-important question: "God, what do you want me to do?"**

**Deuteronomy 29:29** *The secret things belong to the Lord our God, but the things revealed belong to us and to our children forever, that we may follow all the words of this law.*

The three 'lights' through which the Lord usually speaks to us are:

1. God's \_\_\_\_\_
2. God's impressions upon our heart, soul, spirit.
3. Our circumstances

**COMPARE BROTHERS...**

What is the primary difference between Joseph and his brothers in how they heard and responded to God's voice?

What impact did the brothers' sin to Joseph have on their ability to hear God?

Maturity is not a function of \_\_\_\_\_!

**JACOB...**

Was Jacob a willing and eager follower of God or not?

**PHARAOHS...**

Which one listened to God?

**1. GOD SPEAKS IN MANY WAYS...**

**2. OUR WILLINGNESS TO LISTEN AND OBEY MUST BE BASED ON GOD'S CHARACTER, NOT OUR OWN PERCEIVED BENEFIT**