Family Talk – Repentance

READ TOGETHER

Genesis 44:7–17

- 1. What stands out to you from these verses?
- 2. Who do you feel for the most in this section? Why?

LIVE IT

In earlier verses, Judah didn't care much about Joseph or his father. His actions showed jealousy and bitterness towards both of them. Judah had the idea to sell Joseph into slavery. He joined his brothers in the coverup, misleading their father about the truth of what happened to Joseph.

However, we see something change in Judah. He and his brothers had the opportunity to run back home, but they didn't. Instead, they returned to the city to face Joseph.

God can change anyone's heart. Is there someone in your life whose heart you've seen God change? Are you allowing God to do that in your own heart?

LEAN ON GOD

Dear God,

Thank You for loving us so much. Help us see others the same way You see them. No one is perfect, and we're all going to fail, but You love us anyway. Show us how to open our hearts to be changed by Your love. Show us how to be more like You.

Amen

