## The Verdict

## Read Genesis 40:20-23

**20** Pharaoh's birthday came three days later, and he prepared a banquet for all his officials and staff. He summoned his cup-bearer and chief baker to join the other officials.

**21** He then restored the cup-bearer to his former position, so he could again give Pharaoh his cup.

**22** But Pharaoh hanged the baker, just as Joseph had predicted when he interpreted his dream.

**23** Pharaoh's cup-bearer, however, forgot all about Joseph, never giving him another thought.

What did Pharaoh do on his birthday (v. 20)? Threw a big party.

What did he do for the cupbearer (v. 21)? He gave him his old job back again.

What did he do for the baker (v. 22)? He hanged him.

**Did the dreams come true just as Joseph said they would?** Yes. Both of them.

How did Joseph know how to interpret dreams? God told him (v. 8b).

Did the cupbearer remember to tell Pharaoh about Joseph (v. 23)? No. He forgot.

**How do you think Joseph felt?** Disappointed. Maybe angry.