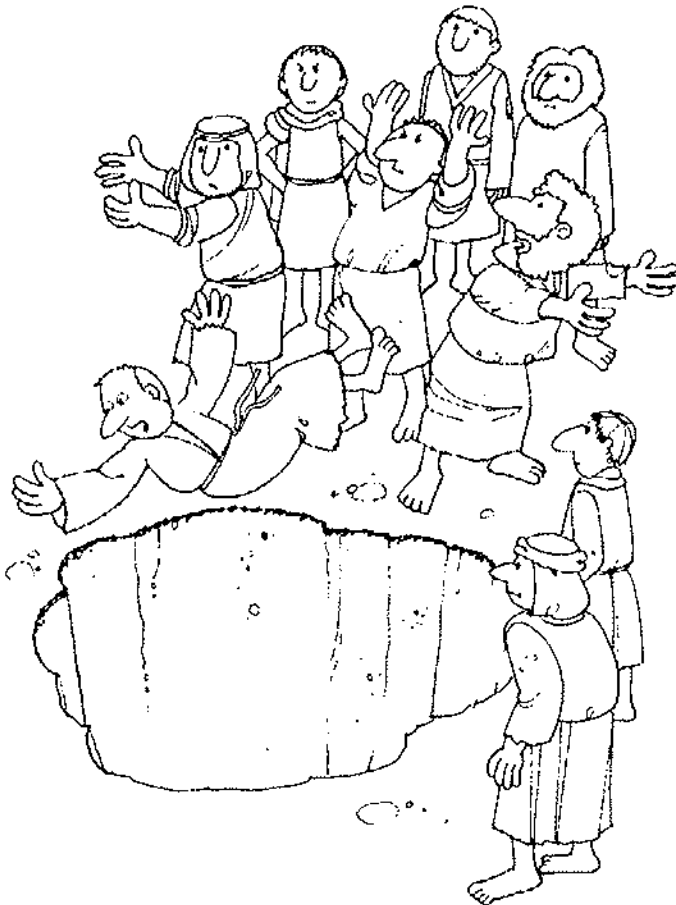


## Story 2 - The Hated Brother.

A true story  
from the Bible:

Genesis  
37: 12-36

*This story is about:  
Joseph being sold by  
his brothers.*



One day Joseph's father, who was called Jacob, sent him to see how his brothers were doing. They were far away from home, caring for their flocks of sheep.

**Write their father's name  
here: J \_ \_ \_ \_**

When Joseph reached the place where his brothers were, they grabbed hold of him. They pulled off his coat and threw him into a deep pit in the ground. A little while later they sold him to some men who were going to Egypt. The men paid 20 silver coins for him, and took him away as a slave.

His brothers killed an animal and dipped Joseph's coat in its blood. They took the coat home to their father, and told him a lie. They said they had found it! Their father thought that Joseph must have been torn to pieces by a wild animal.

How cruel Joseph's brothers were to both Joseph and their father! Perhaps they thought they would never be found out! Years later, they were!

Colour these words from the Bible.

**“Be sure your sin  
will find you out.”**

Numbers 32: 23