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# Story 4 - Together in Egypt.

You can read this story in your Bible:

**Genesis 46: 1-34**



*Genesis 50: 20*  
Ask somebody to help you find this verse.



When Joseph's brothers returned to Canaan, the first thing they had to do was to tell their father that Joseph was still alive, and that he was ruler of all Egypt.

Jacob (or Israel, as he is sometimes called) couldn't believe it, until he saw the wagons which Joseph had sent to carry him to Goshen, the part of Egypt where they were to live.

Soon they got ready for the long journey.

Everything had to be packed up. The animals, too, had to be rounded up. Then the wives and children had to get ready, so by the time they were all set, they were a very big crowd!

**Fill in the blanks in these sentences:-**

Joseph's father had TWO names, J \_\_\_\_\_ and I \_\_\_\_\_.

Joseph sent w \_\_\_\_\_ to carry his old father to Egypt.

They were going to a part of Egypt called G \_\_\_\_\_.

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When they arrived at a place called BEERSHEBA, God spoke to Jacob one night in a vision. God told him not to be afraid to go to Egypt, for His plan was to make him into a great nation there. God promised to go with him, and assured him that there he would meet his long lost son, Joseph.

**Unscramble these words:-**

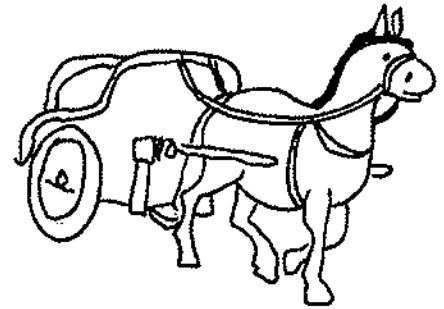
God spoke to Jacob at SAEEBRHBE \_\_\_\_\_.

God would make from Jacob a great OITNAN \_\_\_\_\_.

In Egypt, Jacob would meet his son PHJSEO \_\_\_\_\_.

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When Jacob and his big family arrived in Goshen, Joseph went in his chariot to meet his father. It was a great moment!



Joseph threw his arms around his father, and cried for a long time! What a lot they must have had to talk about! It was more than 22 years since Joseph had left home!

When Joseph told King Pharaoh that his father and brothers had come, the king sent for them and they were all presented to him. He made them very welcome and allowed them to live in Goshen.

**Write TRUE or FALSE after each sentence:-**

Joseph had not seen his father for seven years. ....

Joseph wept a lot, when he was reunited with his father. ....

King Pharaoh would not let Jacob stay in his country. ....

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What a good ending this story has! The whole family was together again, and they were happy.

Joseph believed that everything which had happened to him was in God's plan for the saving of many lives, during the famine.

**Find the Key Verse in the Bible and read what Joseph said about it.**

We, too, can count on God bringing good out of bad, if we are willing to trust Him fully.

**Colour this picture of Joseph with Jacob and Benjamin.**

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