

Men who stand when others don't

Genesis 6, 12, 39

- I. Noah the favored one – Godly men resist the corruption around them (Genesis 6:5-14).
 - A. Noah lived godly in a corrupt society.
 - B. God chose to show grace to Noah, the godly man, by blessing and preserving his family.

- II. Abraham the legacy-maker – Godly men keep trusting God when He leads them to do what no one else does (Genesis 12:1-8)
 - A. Abram was living comfortably in Ur but followed God's call to unknown Canaan.
 - B. God appeared to Abram in Canaan promising him that land, prompting Abram to worship.
 - C. Abraham became the father impacting countless people (Genesis 17:5-8; Hebrews 11:8-12).

- III. Joseph the future dad and hero – Godly men resist temptation when no one sees but God (Genesis 39:1-23).
 - A. Joseph was unjustly enslaved and then falsely accused by Potiphar's wife.
 - B. Joseph resisted temptation when no one would have known, being accountable to God.
 - C. Joseph eventually saved his family from famine and became the father of two tribes of Israel.