A Family Reunion

Genesis 45-47
December 24, 2017
The Creation (1:1-2:3)
- The Generations about the heavens and the earth (2:4-6:8)
- The Generations of Noah (6:9-11:26)
- The Generations of Terah (11:27-25:18)
  - The Abrahamic Covenant [Land, Offspring, Blessing]
- The Generations of Isaac (25:19-37:1)
  - The formation of the 12 tribes
- The Generations of Jacob (37:2-50:26)
  - Israel’s remarkable preservation outside the Promised Land
The Generations of Jacob (37:2-50:26)

- Joseph enters slavery (37)
- Joseph rises to power (39-41)
  - Joseph refuses his master’s wife (39)
  - Joseph faithfully interprets the dreams of: cupbearer, baker and Pharaoh (40:1-41:36)
  - Pharaoh makes Joseph a ruler of Egypt (41:37-57)
The Generations of Jacob (37:2-50:26)

- Joseph dealing with his brothers (42:1-45:15)
  - Their 1st visit (42:1-38)
  - Their 2nd visit (43:1-45:15)
    1. Joseph’s brothers return to Egypt (43:1-34)
    2. Benjamin is accused of stealing (44:1-34)
    3. Joseph reconciles with his brothers (45:1-15)
      - Joseph rejoices in God’s sovereign and gracious overruling of their evil intentions [45:5-8].
The Generations of Jacob (37:2-50:26)

- Jacob Moves to Egypt (45:16-46:34)
  - Jacob decides to journey to Egypt (45:16-28)
  - Jacob moves all his family and possessions to Egypt (46:1-34)
    - God confirms to Jacob that he will not forfeit the promise by leaving the promised land [46:3].
  - Joseph settles his family in Egypt (47:1-31)
    - Pharaoh provides land and food for Jacob’s family (47:1-12)
    - Joseph rules wisely and provides for the Egyptians (47:13-28)