**One Day At A Time (Graphic)**

Part I: **Dysfunctional Family**

**Influencers that mold the family:**

* Influences from the past
* Influences from the present
* Impact of decisions
* Impact of family stages

The **history of your family** doesn’t have to be the **story of your future**.

Part II: **Handle the Dream**

* If you want to know God’s dream for your life **get to know God**.
* If you can’t be humble with the dream **you can’t handle your destiny**.
* If pride is in your heart **then insecurity is in your soul**.

Part II: **Pits, Palaces and Prisons**

* Pits: where your current circumstances are inconsistent with your dreams.
* Palaces**:** the part of the journey to the dream that demands integrity.
* Prisons:helping others dreams come true while you’re still waiting for yours.

**Maybe we aren’t supposed to follow our dreams**. Follow God and your dreams will follow you.

**The Power Pipeline**

(Genesis 41:8-9)

“In the morning his mind was troubled, so he sent for all the magicians and wise men of Egypt. Pharaoh told them his dreams, but no one could interpret them for him. Then the chief cupbearer said to Pharaoh, “Today I am reminded of my shortcomings….”

(Genesis 41:14-16)

“So Pharaoh sent for Joseph, and **he was quickly brought from the dungeon**. When he had shaved and changed his clothes, he came before Pharaoh. Pharaoh said to Joseph, “I had a dream, and no one can interpret it. But I have heard it said of you that when you hear a dream you can interpret it.” “I cannot do it,” Joseph replied to Pharaoh, “**but God will give Pharaoh the answer he desires**.”

(Genesis 41:41-43)

“So Pharaoh said to Joseph, “**I hereby put you in charge of the whole land of Egypt**.” Then Pharaoh took his signet ring from his finger and put it on Joseph’s finger. He dressed him in robes of fine linen and put a gold chain around his neck. He had him ride in a chariot as his second-in-command, and people shouted before him, “Make way!” Thus he put him in charge of the whole land of Egypt.”

1. **Power** comes from **God**.

(Psalm 62:11-12)
“One thing God has spoken, two things I have heard: ‘Power belongs to you, God, and with you, Lord, is unfailing love,”

(Romans 13:1)

“…for there is no authority except that which **God has established**. The authorities that exist have been established by **God**.”

1. God **empowers** the **humble**.

(James 4:10)

“Humble yourselves before the Lord, and **he will lift you up**.”

(1 Peter 5:5-6)

“In the same way, you who are younger, submit yourselves to your elders. All of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because, “God opposes the proud and shows favor to the humble.” Humble yourselves, therefore, under God’s mighty hand, that **he may lift you up in due time.”**

1. The power of God **rescues people**.

(Genesis 42:1-2)

“When Jacob learned that there was grain in Egypt, he said to his sons, “Why do you just keep looking at each other?” He continued, “I have heard that there is grain in Egypt. Go down there and buy some for us, so that we may live and not die.”

(Deuteronomy 8:18)

“But remember the Lord your God, **for it is he who gives you the ability to produce wealth**, and so confirms his covenant, which he swore to your ancestors, as it is today.”