

“IS THIS REALLY PART OF THE PLAN?”

(Encouragement from the Life of Joseph)

I. Introduction

A. More Than a Figurine

B. The Joseph “Spin”

II. Objective- You can be encouraged that God has a plan for your life by identifying with some questions prompted by the life of Joseph in Matthew 1-2.

A. Question About Genealogy (Matthew 1:1-15)

- Q-

B. Question About Self-Identity (Matthew 1:16-17)

- Q-

C. Question About Marriage & Family Life (Matthew 1:18-19)

- Q-

D. Question About Hearing God’s Voice (Matthew 1:20-21)

- Q-

E. Question About Fulfilling Destiny (Matthew 1:22-23)

- Q-

F. Question About Sacrificial Obedience (Matthew 1:24)

- Q-

G. Question About Surrendering Rights (Matthew 1:25)

- Q-

H. Question About Ongoing Major Life Change (Matthew 2:1-18)

- Q-

I. Question About General Versus Specific Direction (Matthew 2:19-21)

- Q-

J. Question About Going Back to Square One (Matthew 2:22-23)

- Q-

III. Conclusion

A. Summary

B. Application