

Daily Devotion For November 6, 2021

“The man of **integrity** walks securely, but he who takes crooked paths will be found out.” Proverbs 10:9

During our Thursday night bible study, I asked the question, when you look at our culture today, does anyone come to mind that exhibit’s “**integrity?**” Two names that came up were **Stephen Curry** and the other name was **Buster Posey**. On the day that Buster Posey announced his retirement from the S.F. Giants, he shared that during the Shelter In Place from Covid-19 he regularly attended a Zoom Bible Study with other Giant Players. After scoring a basket Steph Curry taps his chest and raises one finger to symbolize his faith in Jesus Christ.

As we study the life of Joseph we are seeing that he epitomizes a life of integrity. Nowhere in scripture does it tell us anything bad that Joseph did, only the bad things that happened to him. Yet we see in his life, when faced with a temptation from Potiphar’s wife, a temptation that could have destroyed his character, he resisted and ran. When mistreated, misunderstood, and forgotten, he forgave. When discouraged and lonely, he remained faithful and upbeat. When promoted to prominence as Prime Minister of Egypt he maintained his humility.

Did Joseph sin? Of course he did! Just like you and I do. The only person who never sinned was Jesus. But, Joseph was a man of **integrity**. **Integrity** means choosing to do right and choosing to be honest in all that you do. Joseph couldn’t have been this way if he hadn’t put his faith and trust in God. God helped him to choose to do right and be honest in all that he did.

Thought For Today: Joseph demonstrated integrity by choosing to do right and trust God. Would others say that you are a person of integrity?

Today’s Prayer Focus: Pray that God would help you be a person of integrity. Deo Volente.