

## Theme: Here Comes The Dreamer

**Text: Genesis 37: 15 – 19**

DREAMS are catalyst for great achievements. A person without dream would have no aspiration, without which there cannot be inspiration. Dreamers live both in the present and future. They talk about now and tomorrow.

The mockery, taunting and teasing of Joseph's brothers did not stop him from dreaming more and more. As a matter of fact, the more they contemptuously and disdainfully laughed at him, the more he came up with more dreams.

Until, you are ready to be mocked because of your dreams, you ain't ready for the next level of success. A dreamer is a happy person, because your dreams help you to escape from the present ugly realities staring at your face. The more you dream, the more life would be exciting to you.

The brothers of Joseph unfortunately did not seem to know that God made man a dreamer. In Genesis 11: 5, the scripture says that "... the LORD came down to see the city and the tower which the children builded"(KJV). In verse six (6), when God saw man's ingenious capacity been exhibited, He told us the secret of such prowess and said he shall not be "restrained".

Little wonder, such profound, all time tested and proven truth, as seen in verse six (6) "... and now nothing will be restrained from them which they have imagined (or dreamt) to do". God made man a dreamer.

Even God Himself is a dreamer. **Romans 4: 17** says " God calleth those things which be not as though they were". Nothing goes accomplished in life without been preceded by a dream. Those who mock and laugh at your dreams seldom accomplishes worthwhile things.

**Any worthy cause begins with a dream.** The brothers of Joseph made caricature of him and his dreams. They had no dreams of theirs and of course never accomplished anything worthy of note. You had better be called a dreamer than a fellow without dream.

The first major step towards greatness is a dream. When God told Abram to change his name to Abraham, He just wanted him to dream. **Genesis 17: 5** "neither shall thy name anymore be called Abram, but thy name shall be Abraham. For a father of many nations have I made thee.

Figuratively speaking, when people fall, only dreamers rise and recover. A dreamer never really falls, when it does appear he has fallen, he will say, I only stooped down to pick some fresh experiences and ideas to help me realize my dreams and move to a higher height of