



**Sunday, July 24, 2022 – Pastor Tirus Twyne**

**Sermon Series: The Many Colors of Providence**

**Sermon Title: The Cure to Sexual Temptation/ Sermon Verse: Genesis 39:6-12**

**The Theme of the Message: How to Overcome Temptation**

**Cross Reference Verses: Proverbs 6:27-29, 1 Peter 2:11, Colossians 3:5-6,**

**Romans 13:14, Matthew 26:41, 1 Corinthians 7:2,**

**1 Corinthians 7:5, Romans 12:2**

### **Genesis 39:6-12**

6 So he left all that he had in Joseph's charge, and because of him he had no concern about anything but the food he ate.

Now Joseph was handsome in form and appearance. 7 And after a time his master's wife cast her eyes on Joseph and said, "Lie with me." 8 But he refused and said to his master's wife, "Behold, because of me my master has no concern about anything in the house, and he has put everything that he has in my charge. 9 He is not greater in this house than I am, nor has he kept back anything from me except you, because you are his wife. How then can I do this great wickedness and sin against God?" 10 And as she spoke to Joseph day after day, he would not listen to her, to lie beside her or to be with her.

11 But one day, when he went into the house to do his work and none of the men of the house was there in the house, 12 she caught him by his garment, saying, "Lie with me." But he left his garment in her hand and fled and got out of the house.

### **Proverbs 6:27-29**

27 Can a man carry fire next to his chest

and his clothes not be burned?

28 Or can one walk on hot coals

and his feet not be scorched?

29 So is he who goes in to his neighbor's wife;  
none who touches her will go unpunished.

### **1 Peter 2:11**

11 Beloved, I urge you as sojourners and exiles to abstain from the passions of the flesh, which wage war against your soul.

### **Colossians 3:5-6**

<sup>5</sup> Put to death therefore what is earthly in you:<sup>[a]</sup> sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. <sup>6</sup> On account of these the wrath of God is coming.

### **Romans 13:14**

<sup>14</sup> But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

### **Matthew 26:41**

<sup>41</sup> Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.”

### **1 Corinthians 7:2**

<sup>2</sup> But because of the temptation to sexual immorality, each man should have his own wife and each woman her own husband.

### **1 Corinthians 7:5**

<sup>5</sup> Do not deprive one another, except perhaps by agreement for a limited time, that you may devote yourselves to prayer; but then come together again, so that Satan may not tempt you because of your lack of self-control.

### **Romans 12:2**

<sup>2</sup> Do not be conformed to this world,<sup>[a]</sup> but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.<sup>[b]</sup>