JOSEPH A TYPE OF CHRIST AND THE PRE-TRIBULATION RAPTURE

JOSEPH	JESUS
Was loved by his father (Genesis 37:3)	Was the beloved son of the Father (Matthew 3:17)
Suffered as a servant (Genesis 37:2)	Was called the suffering servant. (Zechariah 3:8, Isaiah 42:1)
Loved and exalted above his brethren (Genesis 37:3)	Loved and exalted above the brethren (Hebrews 1:9)
Hated because of his dream of ruling over them (Genesis 37:4,8)	Hated for one day ruling and reigning over all (John 7:3, Luke 19:14)
Was rejected by his brothers (Genesis 37:4)	His own rejected Him, "they received Him not" (John 1:11)
Was likened to a sheaf of wheat (Genesis 37:7)	Was the wave sheaf. (Leviticus 23:11, 12)
Hatred for him grew worse (Genesis 37:4,5,8)	Hatred for Him grew progressively worse through the Gospels.
Rebuked by his natural father (Genesis 37:10)	Rebuked by his mother and father at the temple. (Luke 2:48)
Israel would bow down to him (Genesis 37:10)	All Israel will eventually bow down to Him (Romans 11:26)
His father "observed the saying" (Genesis 37:11)	His mother "pondered His saying." (Luke 2:19, 51)
Sent on a mission to His brethren (Genesis 37:13-14)	Was sent to earth for His brethren (Galatians 4:4-5)
Sent to Shechem a worldly and wicked place (Genesis 37:14)	Sent to the world a wicked place (John 3:16)
Sent because his brothers may be lost (Genesis 37:14-15)	Sent to seek and save those who were lost (Luke 19:10)
A plot to kill him when they saw him from afar (Genesis 37:18)	They plotted how they might kill him (Matthew 21)
Wanted to kill him for his prophetic dreams (Genesis 37:20)	Crucified Him for His words spoke from God. (John 12:48)
Reuben tries to appease his brothers (Genesis 37:21-22)	Pilate tries to appease the Jews (John 19:11)
Reuben tried to save him at the last minute (Genesis 37:21)	Pilate tried to stop Christ's death (John 19:4)
Was cast into an empty pit (Genesis 37:24)	Was placed into an empty tomb (Mark 15:46)
Was stripped of his coat (Genesis 37:23)	Was stripped of His robe (Matthew 27:28)
They sat down after leaving him for dead (Genesis 37:25)	Sat down after He was crucified (Matthew 27:36)
Was betrayed and sold for pieces of silver (Genesis 37:28)	Was betrayed and sold for pieces of silver (Matthew 26:15)
They said; "He's our brother and our flesh" (Genesis 37:27)	"We're members of His body, flesh and bones" (Ephesians 5:30)
Had his coat dipped in blood (Genesis 37:31)	"Dressed in a robe dipped in blood" (Revelation 19:13, Isaiah 63:2)
They lied about his death because he was alive (Genesis 37:32)	They we're paid to lie about Him, He was alive (Matthew 28:13-15)
All things committed to him by his master (Genesis 39:8)	All things committed to Jesus by His Father (Luke 10:22)
Had his garments taken off (Genesis 39:13)	Had his garments taken off (John 19:23)
Was falsely accused (Genesis 39:14)	Was falsely accused (Luke 23:14)
Did not defend himself against the charges (Genesis 39:20)	Did not defend himself against the charges (Matthew 27:12-14)
Was given favor in the sight of God and man (Genesis 39:21)	Was in favor with God and man (Luke 2:52)
Was in prison next to two criminals (Genesis 40:3)	Was on the cross with two criminals (Luke 23:39-43)
One prisoner perishes, one is saved (Genesis 40:13)	One thief perishes, the other is saved (Luke 23:43)
Foretells the raising up after three days (Genesis 40:13)	Foretells His raising to life after three days (Matthew 16:21)
Tells the cupbearer to remember him after he's raised up (Genesis 40:14)	Tells them to remember Him with the cup after He's raised (Luke 22:19)
Tells him he's done nothing to be put in the dungeon (Genesis 40:15)	Pilate tells them He's done nothing to be put on the cross (Luke 23:4)
Two dreams with two elements; the cup and the bread (Genesis 40:16,17)	Two elements at the last supper; the cup and the bread (Luke 22:17-19)
Was clothed in the right garments and brought to Pharaoh (Genesis 41:14)	Clothes us in His righteousness when brought to Him (Galatians 3:27)
Points to God as the only one with the interpretation (Genesis 41:16)	Jesus always pointed to the Father for the glory (Matthew 5:16)
Prophetically reveals a seven-year famine (Genesis 41:10)	Is prophetically revealed in the seven-year tribulation (Revelation 5:5)
Was "a man in whom is the Spirit of God" (Genesis 41:27)	Was given the Spirit of God without limitation (John 3:34)
Went from the dungeon to the throne (Genesis 41:37)	Went from the tomb to the throne (Revelation 5:1)
Rode in the "second chariot" as they paid homage (Genesis 41:43)	The "second Person" of the trinity, and we pay homage (Matthew 3:17)
They were to bow their knee before him (Genesis 41:43)	Every knee will bow to Him (Philippians 2:10)
Is given authority over all people in the land of Egypt (Genesis 41:43)	Was granted authority over all people (John 17:2)
No one could do anything without his permission (Genesis 41:44)	Without Him we can do nothing (John 15:5)
Given a new name when he was raised up (Genesis 41:45)	Given a new name at His ascension (Philippians 2:6-9, Revelation 3:12)
Took an Egyptian bride before the 7-year famine (Genesis 41:45)	Takes His gentile bride before the 7-year tribulation (John 3:29)
	Was 30 years of age when he began his ministry (Luke 3:23)
Was 30 years of age when he began his work (Genesis 41:46)	
Born sons come to him before the "7" year famine (Genesis 41:50) Firstborn son named "forget" (Genesis 41:51)	Born again sons of God come to Him before the "7" year tribulation
	First born sinners but our sins are remembered no more (Psalm 103:12)
Second born son named "fruitful" (Genesis 41:52)	The second birth is fruit of righteousness through Him (Philippians 1:11)
Pharaoh told them to do whatever he says to do (Genesis 41:55) Was the only bread of life source for the world physically (Genesis 41:57)	Jesus' mother told them to do whatever he says to do (John 2:5) Is the only source for the bread of life for the world spiritually (John 6:33)
All who come to him will live and not die (Genesis 42:2)	All who call upon Him will be saved (Romans 10:13)
Brothers come to him in the midst of the famine (Genesis 42:2)	Israel comes to Him in the midst of the tribulation ((Daniel 9:27)
10 brothers are brought to him for provision (Genesis 42:3)	10 Commandments bring us to Him for justification (Galatians 3:24)
Benjamin had no part in denying or betraying him (Genesis 42:4)	The Apostle Paul was from the tribe of Benjamin (Philippians 3:5)
His brothers bow down to him (Genesis 42:6)	Israel, His brothers, will be saved and bow to Him (Romans 11:26)
His brothers don't recognize him (Genesis 42:8)	His own didn't recognize or receive Him (John 1:11)
Brothers keep lying about his death (Genesis 42:13)	Jews keep lying about his death and resurrection (Matthew 28:12-15)

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Brothers are released from prison on the third day (Genesis 42:17)	Jews will be restored on the third day (after 2,000 years) (Hosea 6:2)
Reuben says: "his blood is now required of us" (Genesis 42:22)	They said; "Let His blood be upon us" (Matthew 27:25)
Wept over his brothers (Genesis 42:24)	Wept over Jerusalem (Luke 19:41)
Judah becomes surety for Benjamin (Genesis 43:8)	He becomes surety of the New Covenant (Hebrews 7:22)
Brothers delay in coming to him (Genesis 43:10)	Israel delays coming to their true Messiah (Romans 11:26)
Was offered gifts, of spices and myrrh (Genesis 43:11)	Was offered, gold, spices and myrrh (Matthew 2:11)
Was said that God Almighty would show mercy before him (Genesis 43:14)	Because of His mercy we are righteous before Him (Titus 3:5)
They stood before him (Genesis 43:15)	They will "stand before Him" (Daniel 11:16)
Desires to break bread with his brothers in his home (Genesis 43:16)	Desires to break bread with us in His kingdom (Luke 22:16)
Has an animal slain to make ready for a feast (Genesis 43:16)	Taught prodigal son parable; an animal is slain for a feast (Luke 15:20)
His steward tells them; "Peace be with you, be not afraid" (Genesis 43:23)	After His ascension said; "Peace be with you." (John 20:26)
Prophecies about him are fulfilled (Genesis 43:28)	The spirit of Prophecy is Him (Revelation 19:10)
Is gracious and kind to his brothers in spite of their sin (Genesis 43:29)	While we were sinners He died for us for His love for us (Romans 5:8)
Weeps a second time (Genesis 43:30)	Weeps two times (John 11:35-Lazarus & Luke 19:41-Jerusalem)
Says, at the supper; "serve the bread" (Genesis 43:31)	Says, at the last supper, "take this bread." (Luke 22:19)
They looked in astonishment at each other because of him (Genesis 43:33)	They were astonished with Him and marveled (Matthew 8:27)
His cup was silver and would lead to their redemption (Genesis 44:2)	His cup was for redemption, of which silver is a picture (Ex.35:25-28)
Drunk from a cup used for discerning the will of the gods (Genesis 44:5)	Drunk from a cup of suffering as the will of Father God (Matt.26:39,42)
11 of them are innocent of betraying him at his table (Genesis 44:8)	11 of them were innocent of betraying Him at His table (Mark 14:17)
Judah becomes their advocate (Genesis 44:18)	From the Lion of the Tribe of Judah comes our advocate (1 John 2:1)
Judah offered himself as a substitutionary sacrifice (Genesis 44:33)	From Judah, offers Himself as the substitutionary sacrifice (Eph.5:2)
Couldn't refrain himself longer and cut the process short (Genesis 45:1)	For the sake of the elect, the days are cut short (Matthew 24:22)
Stops hiding himself when there's confession (Genesis 45:2)	Stops hiding His face when there's confession (Hosea 5:15)
In the end he is revealed to his brothers (Genesis 45:3)	In the end He will reveal Himself to Israel (1 Peter 1:20)
We're dismayed when they looked at him (Genesis 45:3)	Will mourn when they look at him (Zechariah 12:10)
Said; "come near to me" (Genesis 45:4)	Said; "come unto me" (Matthew 11:28)
Was sent to Egypt to save (Genesis 45:5)	Was sent to the world to save the lost (Luke 19:10)
Israel believed and said of Joseph; "it is enough"	To all who believe, He says; "it is finished" (John 19:30)
Israel said; "my son is yet alive" (Genesis 45:28)	They said; "Jesus, the Son is alive" (Luke 24:23)