



'Your Super Power'

While we don't always choose our circumstances, we do have the ability to choose our responses. But the response that has the potential to reverse the natural course of things isn't natural at all.

Ice-Breakers:

- Did you grow up assuming that if God was with you, things would go well for you? Or something similar? Explain.

Questions:

1. Think about the person you respect the most. Why do you respect them so much? Does it have anything to do with their response to adversity? If so, what would their story be if they had reacted as expected (like most people react)?
2. Discuss the following definition of your "super power" ... Your super power is "respond-ability." It's your ability to respond rather than merely react to circumstances - your ability to choose a response rather than have it dictated by circumstances.
3. Read Genesis 39:1-20.
 - What stands out to you about this passage?
 - What circumstances happened to Joseph that were out of his control?
 - What are some of the natural responses Joseph could have had to those circumstances?
4. Read Genesis 50:20. If applicable, share a time where you found this to be true in your life.

Application:

- Is there an area where you are reacting as expected rather than exercising your "respond-ability"?
- Is there anything you would do (or would have done) differently if you were confident that God was with you?