## sermon notes

## "Take Me Instead!" Genesis 44:18-34 June 27, 2021

introduction: summary of Genesis chapters 37, 39-44

1. God is able to work on and change people's hearts for the better — even the most wicked, callous, selfish hearts (Genesis 44:18-34).

supporting Scriptures: Genesis 37:26-27 2 Corinthians 5:17 Philippians 1:6 Philippians 2:13

personal application: Saturate your mind with the truth of the word of God. God speaks to us through His word and brings about changes for the better.

supporting Scriptures: Romans 12:2 Matthew 4:4 Psalm 119:105; Psalm 119:11 Colossians 3:16

2. Be willing to give sacrificially of yourself to help others (Genesis 44:33).

supporting Scriptures: Genesis 37:31-35 Revelation 5:1-6 John 1:29 1 Peter 1:18-20 John 10:11, 17-18 1 Peter 3:18 1 John 3:16-17 Acts 20:35 Hebrews 6:10