

Skit: *Cultivate* and *Vision* Work Together

Ahead of time, ask someone to be the “Narrator.” Ask two other women to represent “Cultivate” and “Vision.”

[*Cultivate* (wearing a large name card) enters the room. She is carrying a water can, a pot of soil, and a scoop.]

NARRATOR: “Cultivate” knows how to make something grow.

[“Cultivate” carefully smoothes the soil, adds water, and waits. Nothing happens. She looks very confused.]

[*Vision* (wearing a large name card) arrives. She is carrying a plant, with its roots hanging down.]

NARRATOR: “Vision” has ideas. She knows the plant can be beautiful, but what does it need?

[The two women see each other and act out what the narrator says.]

NARRATOR: “Cultivate” and “Vision” decide to work together. Soon the plant has what it needs to grow.

Bible Study Groups

(1) **God helped Joseph in hard times.** Talk together about information in this section. Read Scriptures in Genesis 39, 40, and 41. Learn together how God turned hard times into possibilities.

(2) **Joseph had God’s vision.** Choose Scriptures from Genesis 41:15–40 that show Joseph’s wisdom, honesty, and respect. Hard experiences prepared Joseph for a big responsibility.

(3) **God can use people who cultivate vision.** Talk together about how important it is to have vision as a leader. Also talk about how to grow in this area. Talk about the responsibilities that come with having vision.

Mission Study: What’s Happening . . .?

- Ask two people to prepare information from the mission study (pp. 60–61).
- Person 1 holds a “letter” (notes he has written from the mission study) from Alex. Person 2 has a “letter” from Patrick (notes from the mission study). They will take turns sharing facts from the two areas. They are excited as they tell what is happening in the work of these two missionaries.
- Then say to the group, “Will you pray with us for these two families who serve God in Florida?” Pray together, using information and requests from the article.