



The Machine: A Truth Seekers Novel
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REMEMBER

“We know that all things work together for the good of those who love God: those who are called according to His purpose.” Romans 8:28

READ

In the story of Joseph (Genesis 37–41), you’ll see that he has a lot more in common with Jennifer and Jake than names that start with J. Just like the siblings in *Truth Seekers*, Joseph has a rough start to his young life and finds himself in a foreign country and uncertain circumstances. But in the end Joseph learns that—no matter how bad or unfair things seem—you can always trust God to work things out for your good.

THINK

1. In what ways are Jennifer and Jake like Joseph in the Bible?
2. What advice did Gita have to help Jennifer trust God?
3. Has there ever been a time when you wondered if God could be trusted? What happened?
4. Name one area in your life where you need to trust God right now.
5. What advice or Bible verses will help you to trust Him?

DO

A TRUST Acronym

1. Grab a piece of paper or notepad and something to write with.
2. Write the letters, *T*, *R*, *U*, *S*, and *T* vertically down the page.
3. Now, using your Bible, advice from *Truth Seekers*, or other wisdom, think of some truths that will help you to trust in God when things seem uncertain.
4. List them, using the letters from the word *TRUST* to begin each phrase. (For instance, for *R* you could use “Romans 8:28.”)
5. Decorate or embellish, if you’d like. But be sure to keep this reminder where you can see it or find it easily.

*Trusting God to do what’s best isn’t always easy.
But He has promised that He’s always working for our good.*