## Abstract

Joseph's path to ruling over Egypt.

The beloved son of the patriarch Jacob-Israel-Joseph lives through many rises and falls in the biblical narrative – in his family as in Egypt, where the slave becomes a very powerful man, a Pharaoh's deputy. This thesis concentrates on the description of the key relationships during formation of this person, as characterized in this unique biblical narrative. This thesis partially stems from the work of Claus Westermann: Joseph.

## Keywords

Joseph, dreams, Egypt, Israel, family.