

First Scene

Joseph: Son! Are you here?
There you are. You're all alone.

Jesus: I was praying. And playing.
I'm sorry. I was supposed to help James.

Joseph: I think he's climbing a tree somewhere.
Sit.
I know this isn't Alexandria.
Do you miss it?

Jesus: No. Do you?

Joseph: I don't think of it like that.
But it was the only home that you ever knew.
And this is so quiet and isolated.

Jesus: We're safe here. No one knows what I've done.

Joseph: And you must never tell anyone.
I know you have many questions.
But you need to let them sleep in your heart for now.

Jesus: Why?

Joseph: Because your questions are the questions of a child.
But the answers are the answers for a man.
That is one bridge I cannot build.
I don't know how.
But God can, and we must trust him.

Jesus: I do. I trust him for everything.

Joseph: My boy.