

## The Saheeh International Quran Translation

فَبَدَأَ بِأَوْعِيَّتِهِمْ قَبْلَ وَعَاءِ أَخِيهِ ثُمَّ اسْتَخْرَجَهَا مِنْ وَعَاءِ أَخِيهِ كَذَلِكَ كِدْنَا لِيُوسُفَ مَا  
كَانَ لِيَأْخُذَ أَخَاهُ فِي دِينِ الْمَلِكِ إِلَّا أَنْ يَشَاءَ اللَّهُ نَرْفَعُ دَرَجَاتٍ مَن نَّشَاءُ وَفَوْقَ كُلِّ  
ذِي عِلْمٍ عَلِيمٌ

So he began [the search] with their bags before the bag of his brother;  
then he extracted it from the bag of his brother. Thus did We plan for  
Joseph. He could not have taken his brother within the religion of the  
king except that Allah willed. We raise in degrees whom We will, but  
over every possessor of knowledge is one [more] knowing.