

Three Coffins

(Lessons for Dying in Faith)

Text: Genesis 49:29-50:26

Main Idea: As believers, even our death should be a witness of God's goodness & redemption.

1. **A coffin for Jacob:** How do we express _____ while dying? (49:28-50:14)
 - Give testimony of God's _____ to His promises!
 - Joyfully anticipate being _____ into heaven.
2. **A coffin for a painful past:** How do we _____ such deep hurts? (50:15-21)
 - Allow God to be the ultimate _____ of all things. (Rom 12:19, 1 Thess 5:15, 1 Peter 4:19)
 - Realize that God is the ultimate _____ of the universe, who holds the strings of divine providence. (Gen 45:5-9)
 - Believe that God is always _____. (Rom 8:28)
 - Be _____ toward you offender.
 - Don't _____ the offense but speak the truth in love.
 - Repay evil with affectionate _____. (Luke 6:27-36)
3. **A coffin for Joseph:** How do we pass on a _____ of faith? (50:22-26, Heb 11:22)
 - Realize _____ is more important than possessions.
 - Remind your family of God's _____ redemption.