

Reunion – the Living Hope

Genesis 45:16–47:12

1. Believing the _____! (Gen. 45:16-28)

- *John 20:29* “Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.”
- *1 Peter 1:3–5* Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, 4 and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade—kept in heaven for you, 5 who through faith are shielded by God’s power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time.

2. God’s covenant _____ . (Gen. 46:1-27)

3. A momentous _____! (Gen. 46:28-30)

- *Gen 45:9* “Return quickly to my father and say to him, ‘This is what your son Joseph says: “God has made me lord of all Egypt.
- *Matthew 22:31–32* But about the resurrection of the dead—have you not read what God said to you, 32 ‘I am the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob’?
- *1 Corinthians 15:55–57* “Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?” 56 The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. 57 But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

4. Welcomed into the Kingdom on the _____ of another. (Gen. 47:1-12)

Application from this passage:

1. You do not need to live in the gloom of _____, because you have the living _____ of the resurrection in Christ Jesus.
2. God has promised believers life after death, and He our God _____ His promises.
3. Eternal life is not just a hope to live in, it is a hope to _____.
4. Trust in _____ for eternal life, not your own.

Next Steps for Growth:

I want to begin to follow Jesus today.

I want to be visited by a pastor

I want to be baptized.

I want to become a member.

Name(s): _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____ Change my contact info

Mailing Address: _____

I am a: 1st time guest 2nd time guest Regular Attendee Member (taken membership class & committed to membership covenant)