

## Questions for Genesis ch. 50

Please answer these questions without any source except your Bible (no commentary, Bible margin notes, etc.)

**Pray** before you do the questions and ask God to open your mind, soul and spirit to His teaching through His Word.

**Think** about these questions. They are designed to expand your knowledge of God and His Word.

**Have fun!** Enjoy your time with God and His Word.

1. Knowing today about Egyptian culture and their burial practices, why do you think Joseph had Jacob embalmed by the Egyptian method?
2. Name the actions in ch. 50 that reveal how the Egyptians felt about Jacob. Give the verses.
3. a) Did Joseph keep his oath to his father? b) Where did Joseph bury Jacob? c) Who else was buried there? (See Genesis 49:30-32).
4. What worried Joseph's brothers after Jacob's death?
5. What sins did they bring to Joseph for forgiveness?
6. a) Why do you think Joseph wept in 50:17? b) What in your spiritual journey has made you weep? What made Jesus weep?
7. What was Joseph's answer to their plea for forgiveness?

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8. a) Name an event in your life that brought a great good from something evil or harmful. b) Name a current situation and pray for good to come from it.
  
9. After living so many years in Egypt and holding such position of honor, why do you think Joseph demanded by oath that his bones be carried back to Canaan?
  
10. Read Exodus 1:1-11. a) What events changed that allowed the Israelites to go from being protected in Egypt to being enslaved in Egypt? b) Do you think they should have left for Canaan right after Joseph died? Why or why not? You can use other Scripture passages to prove your opinion.