

***Text: Genesis 50***

**(I) SORROW AT THE DEATH OF JACOB**

**1. Sorrow of Joseph noted**

- a) Fell on his father's face
- b) Wept over him
- c) Kissed him (**Genesis 50:1**)

**2. Sorrow of Jacob's other sons not noted**

- a) They must have sorrow too
- b) Their sorrow was just not recorded

**(II) ENBALMING OF JACOB**

**1. Egyptian physicians ordered to embalm Jacob (**Genesis 50:2a**)**

**2. Egyptian physicians obeyed (**Genesis 50:2b**)**

**3. Full embalming process**

It would take 40 days (**Genesis 50:3a**)

**(III) MOURNING PERIOD**

The Egyptians mourned with Joseph for 70 days (**Genesis 50:3b**)

**(IV) REQUEST MADE TO PHAROAH**

**1. Reaching the Pharaoh through people even closer to the ruler than Joseph (**Genesis 50:4a**)**

## **2. Request to Pharaoh**

- a) Jacob's dying command to Joseph cited (**Genesis 50:4b**)
- b) His desire was to be buried in his own homeland, in Canaan
- c) Joseph to be granted leave of absence to bury his father (**Genesis 50:5**)

## **(V) PHARAOH GRANTS PERMISSION**

### **1. He shows understanding**

### **2. He willingly gave permission (**Genesis 50:6**)**

## **(VI) FUNERAL CORTEGE**

### **1. Joseph and his Egyptian retinue (**Genesis 50:7**)**

- a) All the servants of Pharaoh (**Genesis 50:7a**)
- b) The Elders of his house (**Genesis 50:7b**)
- c) The Elders of the land of Egypt (**Genesis 50:7c**)

### **2. Joseph and his brothers (**Genesis 50:8**)**

- a) The house of Joseph (**Genesis 50:8a**)
- b) His brothers (**Genesis 50:8b**)
- c) His father's house (**Genesis 50:8c**)

### **3. Left Behind**

- a) The little ones (**Genesis 50:8c**)
- b) Their flocks (**Genesis 50:8d**)
- c) Their herds (**Genesis 50:8e**)

#### **4. A great gathering**

- a) Chariots (**Genesis 50:9a**)
- b) Horsemen (**Genesis 50:9b**)

#### **(VII) ENTERING THE LAND OF CANAAN**

- 1. At Atad, beyond Jordan (Genesis 50:10a)**
- 2. Great and solemn lamentation (Genesis 50:10b)**
- 3. Seven days of mourning (Genesis 50:10c)**

#### **(VIII) OBSERVERS**

- 1. The inhabitants of the land of Canaan (Genesis 50:11a)**
- 2. “This is a deep mourning of the Egyptians” (Genesis 50:11b)**

#### **(IX) THE FINAL RESTING PLACE**

- 1. Casket of Jacob carried by his sons (Genesis 50:13a)**
- 2. The field of Machpelah, before Mamre (Genesis 50:13b)**
  - a) Bought by Abraham
  - b) From Ephron the Hittite

#### **(X) RETURN TO EGYPT**

- 1. Joseph returns to Egypt (Genesis 50:14a)**
- 2. His brothers (Genesis 50:14b)**
- 3. The whole retinue (Genesis 50:14c)**

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