

And Jacob lived in the land of Egypt seventeen years. So the days of Jacob, the years of his life, were 147 years.



And when the time drew near that Israel must die, he called his son Joseph and said to him, "If now I have found favor in your sight, put your hand under my thigh and promise to deal kindly and truly with me. Do not bury me in Egypt,



but let me lie with my fathers. Carry me out of Egypt and bury me in their burying place." He answered, "I will do as you have said."



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These all died in faith, not having received the things promised, but having seen them and greeted them from afar



... they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one.



... for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.



Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.





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Isaac (Gen 49)

Jacob (Gen 49)

Joseph (Joshua 24)



# The Dead Man Preaching

Genesis 47:28-31



# 1. Implication



### 2. Importance



Genesis 50:4

... Joseph spoke to the household of Pharaoh, saying, "If now I have found favor in your eyes, please speak in the ears of Pharaoh...



#### Genesis 50:7-9

With him went up all the servants of Pharaoh, the elders of his household, and all the elders of the land of Egypt, as well as all the household of Joseph, his brothers, and his father's household... And there went up with him both chariots and horsemen. It was a very great company.



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## 1 Corinthians 6:1

When one of you has a grievance against another, does he dare go to law before the unrighteous instead of the saints?



### 1 Corinthians 6:7

To have lawsuits at all with one another is already a defeat for you. Why not rather suffer wrong?
Why not rather be defrauded?



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Philippians 2:14-15

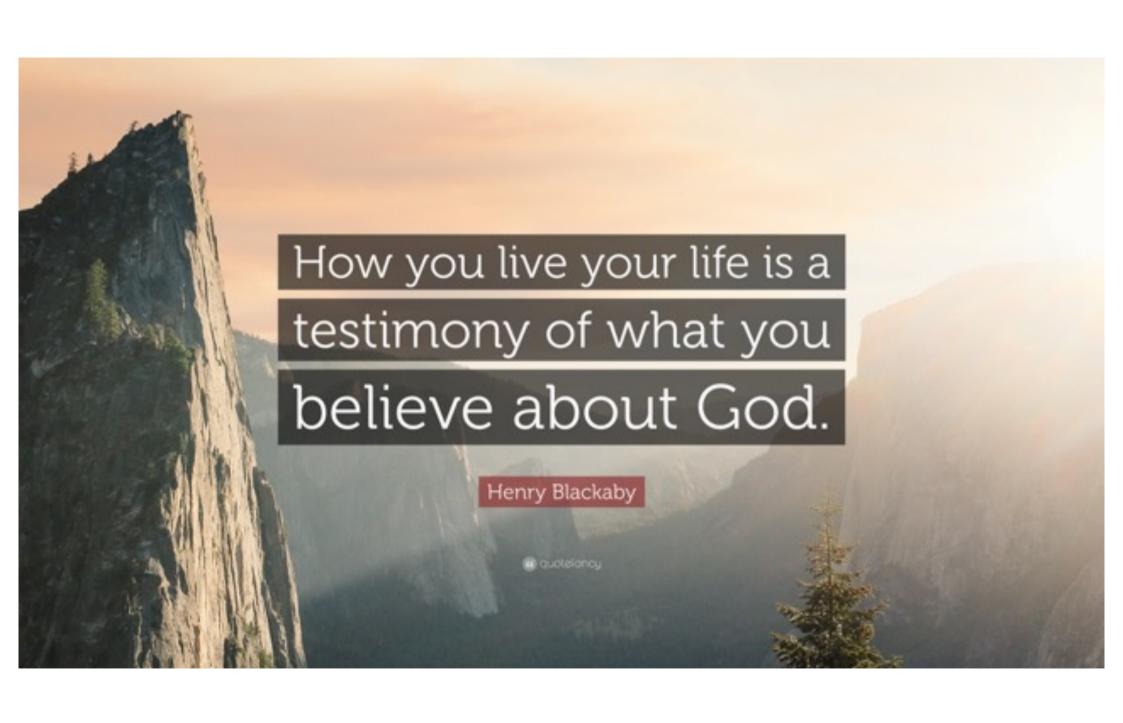
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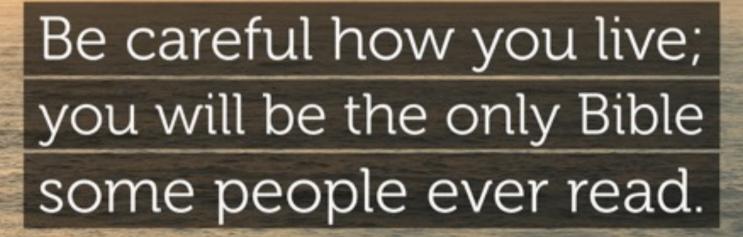


Philippians 2:14-15

Do all things without grumbling or disputing, that you may be blameless and innocent, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and twisted generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world,



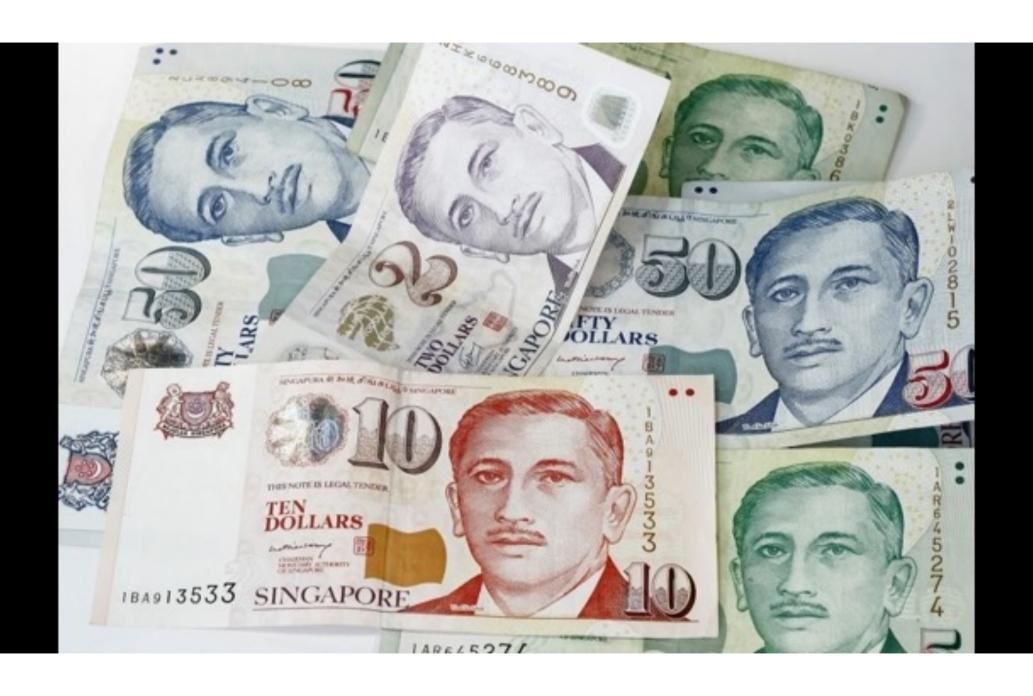




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Hebrews 11:22

By faith Joseph, at the end of his life, made mention of the exodus of the Israelites and gave directions concerning his bones.



Genesis 50:26

So Joseph died, being 110 years old.

They embalmed him, and he was put in a coffin in Egypt.



Joshua 24:32

As for the bones of Joseph, which the people of Israel brought up from Egypt, they buried them at Shechem...



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