

READINGS FOR FUNERALS FOR ADULTS

The readings noted below are the same ones contained in the *Through Death to Life* booklet. Old Testament (pg. 26-34), New Testament (pg. 45-55), and Gospels (pg. 59-78).

Old Testament Readings

2 Maccabees 12:43-46
Job 19:1, 23-27a
Wisdom 3:1-9 OR Wisdom 3:1-6, 9
Wisdom 4:7-15
Isaiah 25:6a, 7-9
Lamentations 3:17-26
Daniel 12:1-3
Acts of the Apostles 10:34-43 OR Acts 10:34-36, 42-43
Revelation 14:13
Revelation 20:11-21:1
Revelation 21:1-5a, 6b-7

New Testament Readings

Romans 5:5-11
Romans 5:17-21
Romans 6:3-9 OR Romans 6:3-4, 8-9
Romans 8:14-23
Romans 8:31b-35, 37-39
Romans 14:7-9, 10c-12
1 Corinthians 15:20-28 OR 1 Corinthians 15:20-23
1 Corinthians 15:51-57
2 Corinthians 4:14-5:1
2 Corinthians 5:1, 6-10
Philippians 3:20-21
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
2 Timothy 2:8-13
1 John 3:1-2
1 John 3:14-16

Gospel Readings

Matthew 5:1-12a

Matthew 11:25-30

Matthew 25:1-13

Matthew 25:31-46

Mark 15:33-39; 16:1-6 OR Mark 15:33-39

Luke 7:11-17

Luke 12:35-40

Luke 23:33, 39-43

Luke 23:44-46, 50, 52-53; 24:1-6a OR Luke 23:44-46, 50, 52-53

Luke 24:13-35 OR Luke 24:13-16, 28-35

John 5:24-29

John 6:37-40

John 6:51-59

John 11:17-27 OR John 11:21-27

John 11:32-45

John 12:23-28 OR John 12:23-26

John 14:1-6

John 17:24-26

John 19:17-18, 25-39