

A Bittersweet Death
Deuteronomy 34
May 24, 2020

- 1. The land Moses saw (34:1-4)**
- 2. The reason Moses could not enter the land (32:48-52; 34:4)**
- 3. The death and burial of Moses (34:5-8)**
- 4. The transfer of Moses' leadership (34:9)**
- 5. The significance of Moses' ministry (34:10-12)**

Next week: 2 Thessalonians 3:1-5

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Discussion Questions

The following questions are designed to be used by parents in discussing the sermon with their children, but can be used by anyone in discussing the sermon with others:

1. What stood out to you in this sermon?
2. Why did Moses climb to the top of Mount Nebo?
3. Why did the Lord prohibit Moses from entering the Promised Land?
4. In verse 5 Moses is called, “the servant of the LORD.” What does this mean? Are you a servant of the Lord? Do other people recognize that you are a servant of the Lord? Explain.
5. What does it mean that Joshua was “full of the spirit of wisdom” (verse 9)? Why was this important?
6. What set Moses apart from other Old Testament prophets?
7. What did Moses do during Jesus’ earthly ministry? What was the significance of this?

Going Deeper:

These questions are designed for the believer to use in prayer with his/her Lord, and in discussion with brothers and sisters in the Lord:

1. Why is the Lord’s promise of the land to Israel so important?
2. What do you want to be known for when you die? After Moses died, he was known for being “the servant of the LORD” (verse 5). How do you need to adjust what you want to be known for?
3. Why is it significant that the Lord buried Moses, and that the Lord buried him in an unmarked grave?
4. How should you apply this sermon to your life this week? What challenges might you face in this? How can these challenges be overcome?
5. Think back through the book of Deuteronomy. Which section or passage has affected you most? Explain how it has affected your life.