

Surrendering to Your Limits; How to Grieve God's Way! Part #2

Job 3:1-4, 42:1-17, John 3:25-30, Luke 14:7-11

1. The only thing we can do to _____ grief is to embrace it and face the truth of grief head on.
2. Job _____ for us how we are to grieve in the family of God.
3. Five phases of _____ grieving.
 - I. "_____ " to your feelings.
 - a. Job screamed out his _____ and held nothing back. Job 3
 - b. Today's Christianity has _____ this process.
 - II. "Waiting in the _____ In-between".
 - a. Hardest thing to do is _____ on God when things are confusing. Psalm 27:14
 - b. "Classic _____ " or "_____ "-The reason you're not healed is you don't pray enough; read the bible enough; your suffering more because you have sinned more.
 - III. "_____ the Gift of Limits" John 3:27, 30
 - a. We have larger fantasies and wishes for ourselves than our real lives can _____.
 - b. A sign of spiritual maturity is learning to _____ our limits.
 - IV. "Climb the latter of _____ ". Luke 14:7-11, Matt 5:2-12
 - a. Jesus goal is to transform our entire personalities into perfect _____.
 - V. "Letting the Old _____ the New". Job 42:12
 - a. As Job followed this difficult path he enlarged his soul for _____.
 - b. There are many rich fruits that blossom in our lives as a result of _____ our losses.
4. When we grieve God's way we are _____ forever.

St. Benedict's Ladder of Humility

