

Chapter 4

Tobit said to his son Tobias:

"When I die give me an honorable burial. Always honor your mother. When she dies, bury her at my side.

Be faithful to the Lord all your days.

Always be willing to help poor people.

Give your bread to those who are hungry and your clothes to those who are naked.

Ask advice of every wise person. Bless the Lord God in everything. Beg him to guide your ways and bring your paths and purposes to a successful conclusion.

Avoid all loose conduct.

Do to no one what you would not want done to you.

Choose a wife from our tribe, from our kin in Media.

Go to Media, to my friend Gabael. Many years ago I left 10 talents of silver with him. This money is yours."

Dear God, please guide me and help me to do what is right

Chapters 5, 6

Tobit told Tobias to find a trustworthy man to go with him to Media. Tobias found Raphael, but Tobias did not know Raphael was an angel.

On the first night of their journey, Tobias and Raphael caught a large fish. Raphael told Tobias to keep the gall, liver and heart of the fish.

Raphael explained that the gall would cure the blindness of Tobit, and that the liver and heart would drive away the demon Asmodeus.

Dear God, thank you for the help we receive from your angels