

These are well known Gospel and New Testament lessons, but this is not an all inclusive list, other verses can be requested in consultation with the pastor officiating at the memorial service. The most familiar part of the verse(s) has been loosely paraphrased for your recognition. **Please refer to a Bible in the translation you prefer to check the whole passage and wording before selecting a verse.**

GOSPEL VERSES

Math. 5:1-12	(The beatitudes). Blessed are those...
*Math. 11:25-30	Come to me, all who are weary...and I will give you rest.
Math. 25:1-13	Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet their bridegroom...
Mark 1:14	Jesus proclaiming the good news "time is fulfilled and the kingdom has come near..."
Mark 16: 15-16	And he said unto them "Go into all the world and proclaim the good news to the whole creation. The one who believes & is baptized will be saved..."
Luke 1:46-55	My soul magnifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior who has looked with favor on his servant
Luke 2:25-32	Dismiss your servant in peace for my eyes have seen your salvation...
Luke 6:31	Do unto others as you would have them do unto you
Luke 11:9	Ask and it will be given, seek and ye shall find...
Luke 11:28	Blessed are those who hear the word of God and obey it.
Luke 12: 35-40	...have your lamps lit like those who are waiting for their master to return... if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming...
Luke 19:10	For the son of man came to seek and save the lost
John 3:16	For God so loved the world that he gave his son...
John 5: 24-29	Very truly I tell you, anyone who hears my word and believes him who sent me, has eternal life...
*John 6: 37-40	...This is indeed the will of my Father, that all who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day.
John 8:31-32	...you will know the truth and the truth will set you free
John 10:11-16	I am the good shepherd...the shepherd lays down his life for his sheep
John 11:17-26	Jesus is the resurrection and the life...
John 11: 21-27	...Jesus said to her (Martha) I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me even though they die will have eternal life.
John 14:1-6	In my father's house are many rooms...
John 14:27-29	Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you...
John 15:5	I am the vine, you are my branches. Those who abide in me...
John 15:15-17	you did not choose me but I chose you...so you may love one another
John 20:29	...blessed are those who have not seen and yet believed

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NEW TESTAMENT LESSONS

Acts 4:11-12	Jesus the stone that was rejected has become the cornerstone...there is salvation in no one else.
Romans 5:1-11	Therefore since we are justified by faith...for while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly...

Romans 5:17-21	... therefore just as one man's trespasses led to condemnation for all, so one man's act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all...
Rom. 6:5-7	...we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ
Rom. 8:31-32	If God is for us, who is against us? He sent his son...
Romans 8: 37-39	...For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come...will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.
Rom 14:7-9	We do not live to ourselves and we do not die to ourselves...live or die we are the Lord's
I Cor. 15:12-26	Since death came through a human, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human...all die in Adam, all will be made alive in Christ
I Cor. 15:55-56	Death has been swallowed up in victory. Where O death is your victory, where your sting? Thanks be to God who gives us victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.
II Cor. 4:11-12	We are always being given up to death for Jesus' sake, so the life of Jesus may be made visible in our mortal flesh/death is at work in us, but life in you.
II Cor. 4:17-18	Momentary affliction is preparing for...glory beyond all measure...what can be seen is temporary but what can't be seen is eternal.
II Cor. 5:1-5	We know that if our earthly tent is destroyed we have a building from God... eternal in the heavens.
II Cor. 9: 7-9	... God loves a cheerful giver, God provides every blessing in abundance...so you may share abundantly...
II Cor.12:9-10	My grace is sufficient for you.
Eph. 4:4-5	There is one body and one Spirit...one Lord, one faith , one baptism, one God and Father of all...
Gal. 2:20	It is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who loved me... I live by my faith in the Son of God.
Gal. 3:26-27	For in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith.
Col. 2:6-7	As you have received Christ Jesus, continue to live your life in him...abounding in thanksgiving.
I Tim. 6:12	Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life...
Heb. 12:12	...let us run the race set before us...
I Peter 1:3-9	...by his great mercy given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.
I Peter 2:21	For this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you should follow in his steps.
I Peter 5:7	Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you
* I John 3:1-2	See what love the Father has given us that we should be called his children...
Rev. 7:9-12	...blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever, Amen.
Rev. 7: 13-17	...they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb...They will hunger and thirst no more... God will wipe away every tear...
Rev. 14:13	Blessed are the dead who from now on die in the Lord...they will rest from their labors for their deeds follow them.
Rev. 21:2-7	Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth... He will wipe away every tear...I am the Alpha and the Omega...

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