



1 THESSALONIANS 4:13-14

But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. ¹⁴For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have fallen asleep.

Jeremy's grandpa died. He would miss him so much. Tears came to Jeremy's eyes as he thought about all the fun times he'd had with grandpa.

When someone you love dies, it's normal to feel sad. It's okay to cry. God knows how you feel. You will miss that person, and you may wonder why he had to die. God has planned all of our days. He knew when we would be born. He knows when each person will die.

The Bible says, "Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his saints" (Psalm 116:15). A saint is a person who knows Jesus as his Savior. When that person dies, he goes to be with the Lord Jesus. If you know Jesus as your Savior, you'll see that person again in Heaven someday. You can know he is happy and peaceful in Heaven. Maybe you're not sure if the person who died knew Jesus. You'll have to trust that God knows. God always does what is fair and right. Talk to God about how you feel. God is your Heavenly Father. He can comfort you when you are sad. Isn't it good to know you can give this trouble to Jesus?



THINK ABOUT IT!

What is something good you remember about someone who has died?



TALK TO GOD

Thank God that He knows how you feel when someone you love dies. Talk to Him about it.