

“ANNA: THE GODLIEST WIDOW”
LUKE 2:36-38

I. HER AMAZING VICTORY OVER BITTERNESS

- A. She Could Have Been Bitter Over The Death Of Her Young Husband (2:37)**
- B. She Could Have Been Bitter Over Her Strict Upbringing (2:36)**
- C. She Could Have Been Bitter Over Her Declining Health (2:36-37)**
- D. She Could Have Been Bitter Over Her Financial Status (2:36-37)**

II. HER AMAZING FAITHFUL LONGEVITY OF SERVICE

- A. She Served God With Fastings And Prayers Round The Clock Every Day (2:37)**
- B. She Engaged In Intercessory Efforts That Were Unparalleled (2:37)**

III. HER LIFELONG DESIRE, LIKE SIMEON'S HAD BEEN REALIZED

- A. The Day Had Begun Like Any Other (2:38)**
- B. But This Day Would be Different (2:38)**