



The Redemption of Ruth

Ruth 4:1-22

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Boaz Steps Up (verses 1-12)

Going Further (additional resources):

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1. How would you define God focused integrity?
2. In your life, how have you seen God focused integrity demonstrated? Or, not demonstrated?
3. In what ways does Boaz demonstrate God focused integrity?
4. How do you think he was able to do this? (i.e. How did he learn to live with God focused integrity?)
5. How might the example of Boaz personally encourage you in seeking to live with God focused integrity?
6. Consider each of the 3 God Focused Integrity Truths that were shared during the sermon. God focused integrity: 1) Doesn't just happen - we need to seek the source (God); 2) Is not about what's popular - we need to seek God's approval; and 3) Is about legacy - we need to prioritize what God values.
 - What do each of these mean?
 - What could each of these mean for you? (i.e. Are there ways that you are seeking God focused integrity that can be pursued with greater emphasis? Are there any changes you would need to make in your life in order to seek God focused integrity?)

Boaz Steps In (verses 13-22)

1. In what ways does God bless Boaz? In what ways does God bless Ruth? In what ways does God bless Naomi? (As you answer this question for each person, consider also where each one was at [their circumstances], how they were responding to their circumstances, and how God changed their circumstances)
2. How are their lives changed because of God's blessing?
3. How might God's blessing of these three people encourage you in the circumstances of your life?
4. Consider the duties and requirements of a Kinsman Redeemer:
The duties of a kinsman:
 - 1) Redeem inheritance of his poor kinsman (Leviticus 25:25)
 - 2) Redeem person of his poor kinsman (Leviticus 25:47-49)
 - 3) Raise seed to his dead kinsman (Deuteronomy 25:5,6)A kinsman must be:
 - 1) Able to redeem (Ruth 2:1, i.e. Boaz)
 - 2) Willing to redeem (Ruth 3:12,13 contrast with the near kinsman who was not willing [Ruth 4:6])
5. How do you think Boaz did in responding as a Kinsman Redeemer?
6. In the Book of Ruth, Boaz is a type (or example) for us of Jesus and Ruth is a type (or example) for us of Israel (us). How is Boaz like Jesus? How are we like Ruth?
7. Consider the Scripture which describes Jesus as our Kinsman Redeemer Who was:
 - 1) Able (2 Corinthians 8:9; Galatians 3:13; Ephesians 1:7; Hebrews 7:25; 1 Peter 1:18-20)
 - 2) Willing (John 10:15,18; Hebrews 10:9)
8. What does it personally mean to you that Jesus is your Kinsman Redeemer?
9. As a result of this study, what changes might you make as you head out into the places you will live your life this week?