Ruth Theme: The Book of Romance and Rewarded Loyalty

Weekly Reading Schedule

□ Saturday - 1 - 4

Memory Verses:

- ★ Ruth 1:16-17
- ★ Ruth 2:12
- ★ Ruth 3:11
- ★ Verse(s) of your choice:

Memorable Outline of Ruth

- Sojourn in Moab Ruth 1:1-5
- II. Sad return home Ruth 1:6-22
- III. Ruth gleans in the fields of Boaz Ruth 2
- IV. Ruth follows the counsel of Naomi Ruth 3
- V. Marriage of Ruth and Boaz Ruth 4:1-13
- VI. Birth of Obed, grandfather of David Ruth 4:13-16
- VII. Genealogy of David Ruth 4:17-22

Scheme of Redemption

Ruth: The Kinsman Redeemer

"And he shall be unto thee a restorer of thy life, and a nourisher of thine old age: for thy daughter in law, which loveth thee, which is better to thee than seven sons, hath born him. And Naomi took the child, and laid it in her bosom, and became nurse unto it." 4:15-16

What to look for as you read:

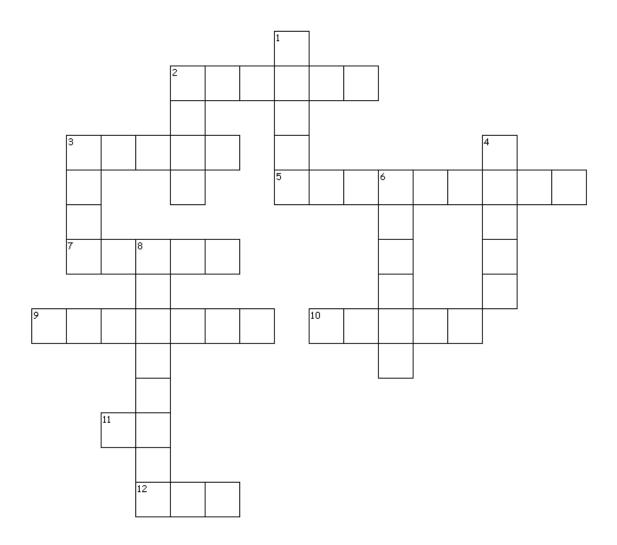
- The rest that comes from genuine faith and trust in God.
- Circumstances neither make nor destroy believers. Neither Ruth's poverty nor Boaz's wealth turned them from God.
- In an example of humble submission to God's will, we see that faith is the test of discipleship.
- The great value of trusting God. He will reward the righteous.

Interesting Facts

- The book of Ruth belongs to the period of the Judges (Ruth 1:1) and is an appendix to that book.
- It is the only book of the Bible devoted wholly to the history of a woman.
- It was probably written by Samuel after the birth of David (4:22).
- Boaz is a type of Christ, not only as redeemer, but as the Lord of harvest(2:3), dispenser of bread(3:15), kinsman-redeemer (2:20), giver of rest(3:1), man of wealth(2:1), and our strength.
- The book contains 4 chapters, 85 verses, 2,574 words and requires 20 minutes to read.

Notes

Ruth



Across

- 2. Grain Ruth gleaned
- 3. Sister-in-law of Ruth
- 5. Husband of Naomi
- 7. Grandson of Obed
- 9. Ruth said, " $_$ me not to leave thee"
- 10. Mother in law of Ruth
- 11. Whither thou goest I will
- 12. Measure of barley Boaz gave Ruth

Down

- 1. Ruth ___ unto Naomi
- 2. Ruth's second husband
- 3. Son of Boaz and Ruth
- 4. Father of David
- 6. Ruth's first husband
- 8. Boaz called Ruth a ____ woman