

Ruth 3 is a great chapter to read in times of depression. A reminder that we are to rely on God and His timing. What other stories or verses from the Bible can you give to someone to help them when they are struggling?



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Scripture References

Ruth 3:1-18 • Ruth 2:23 • Romans 12:1

James 4:7 • Luke 9:23 • Ezekiel 16:8

Proverbs 31:30-31 • Exodus 14:13 • Psalm 46:10

**Prayer Requests**

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- 1) Naomi is showing her \_\_\_\_\_ self here. She is placing all her \_\_\_\_\_ in God that He will do the right thing for Ruth.
- 2) One of the terrible effects of \_\_\_\_\_ is the inability to move purposefully and \_\_\_\_\_ into the future.
- 3) Here's where we go \_\_\_\_\_! We want to do things our way,

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in our time, by our own means, instead of \_\_\_\_\_ on God.

- 4) Boaz knew that it was a \_\_\_\_\_ because the individual was at his feet. But he did not know \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ she was.
- 5) Tragically, many people fall in love with an \_\_\_\_\_ or an \_\_\_\_\_, rather than with a person they can really respect.
- 6) By \_\_\_\_\_ taking on the role of the family Redeemer for Ruth and Naomi, Boaz became a \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus.
- 7) In times of \_\_\_\_\_, often the best thing a person can do is to “sit still” and draw \_\_\_\_\_ from God.

RESOURCES UTILIZED:

PocketBible Study App

NLT Bible Tyndale House

DesiringGod.org

Enduring Word Bible Commentary

Small Group Discussion Questions

Please think these over and jot down some ideas prior to discussing them at the meeting, it will improve the discussion.



Ruth, Boaz, threshing floor. What versions of this story have you heard?

Ruth faithfully follows Naomi's guidance. Whose guidance do we follow faithfully?

Read Ezekiel 16, how do we truly see God's magnificence in this story and the many others like it?

Psalm 31 talks of a righteous woman. What attributes does it list and how important are they?

Continued on reverse.