

Sermon Guide



“Jesus, True & Kinsman Redeemer”

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The Book of Ruth

- 1. Rick said that we often interpret God from the lens of our story instead of interpreting our story from the lens of God.** Have you ever been tempted to interpret God through the lens of all or part of your story?
- 2. Because Ruth was a Moabite, she had not experienced the life-giving nature of the people of God. Boaz became a clear example of someone surrendered to God.** When you think of the character of Boaz, how have you seen that emulated in another believer? Who comes to your mind?
- 3. What parallels do we see between Boaz, the Kinsman Redeemer, and Jesus Christ, the true and better Kinsman Redeemer?**

Prayer Prompt (if time permits):

We talked about the parts of our story that tempt us to feel forsaken. Spend time in declarative prayer over the places in your story that feel unredeemable, too broken, or accidental. Declarative prayer simply allows us to remember the goodness and unshakeable character of God in the midst of our trials.

Take Your Next Step of Faith. What next step of faith will you take in response to today’s teaching?