

CROSS CHURCH



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**PREPARE THE
WAY PART 2:
REDEEMER**

RUTH 1:20 She said to them, "Do not call me Naomi; call me Mara, for the Almighty has dealt very bitterly with me.

THE KINSMAN REDEEMER HAD TO HAVE A FEW ATTRIBUTES:

- *They had to be family.*
- *They had to be wealthy.*
- *They had to be willing.*

RUTH 3:2-5 Is not Boaz our relative, with whose young women you were? See, he is winnowing barley tonight at the threshing floor. Wash therefore and anoint yourself, and put on your cloak and go down to the threshing floor, but do not make yourself known to the man until he has finished eating and drinking. But when he lies down, observe the place where he lies. Then go and uncover his feet and lie down, and he will tell you what to do." And she replied, "All that you say I will do."

HOW DO I GET BEYOND PAIN?

1. Keep your eye on the prize.

PSALM 121:1-2 I lift up my eyes to the mountains— where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.

2. Wash yourself.

3. Anoint yourself.

"When we hit bumps in the road, we tend to react at the true level of our maturity."

—SAMUEL CHAND

"NEW THINKING, NEW FUTURE"

4. Get dressed and go.

5. Watch and wait.

