

## Full Send Ruth chapter 3

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### **Welcome: (15 minutes) (Includes our Fun Friday challenge)**

Welcome back to the series on the book of Ruth! There is nothing better than hearing what God is doing in the life of our group, so let's take time to share with each other where we saw God this week! (Each week during the welcome time we want to hear where the group saw God at work during the week. Take 5-7 minutes to share some brief stories. Make sure to end this time with praise to God and expectation for the next week)

Ruth chapter 3 is a unique chapter, but in the end it is a chapter of help. Ruth was a foreigner with nothing to her name and Naomi was without a husband or sons and had no way of providing for herself. This week I want us to ask for help. I know, I know, this is not typical in our day and age, but there is something valuable when you work on something together. With that in mind I want you to help me set up for today. Is there anyone here that could set up the computer and get the youtube videos set up for later? Would someone be willing to cut the memorize verse in pieces so that we can put it together like a puzzle later? Who can set our room up with chairs in a circle or semi-circle? Who would be willing to open up some Bibles to Ruth 3 so that we are ready to read? (You might not have tasks for everyone, but invite as many people as possible to be a part of helping set up for the lesson today.

### **Worship: (10 minutes) (Includes the Tune in Thursday Songs)**

Speaking of help, today we are going to listen to a few songs that invite us to call out to God when we are in need. Think about these questions as you listen to the songs today.

- What are some of the situations the singers talk about needing help with?
- What do we hear of God in these songs?
- Is there someone that could benefit from these songs in your life?

God Help Me by Unspoken - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G5-L4pbLaSg>

Lord, I Need You by Matt Maher - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LuvfMDhTyMA>

## **Word: (20 minutes) (Includes Scripture Sunday, Memorize Monday and Watch It Wednesday)**

Before we dive into some teaching on Ruth 3 let's take some time to read Ruth chapter 3.

Now we are going to hear from Jeremy Van Genderen as he shares some thoughts on chapter 3. <https://youtu.be/BzipkjOQITU>

- What does this chapter say about God?
- What does this chapter say about humanity and life?
- How does that truth of God impact our life?

Our Bible verse today is a puzzle (Make 1 puzzle per 6 people. Print the verse onto 6 pieces of paper, which is approximately 6 words per paper and then have the volunteer cut it during the welcome activity.) Thanks to our volunteer for cutting up the papers earlier. Now we are going to help each other make the memory verse then memorize the scripture phrase by phrase.

Our verse for today comes from Ruth 3:10. And he said, "May you be blessed by the Lord, my daughter. You have made this last kindness greater than the first in that you have not gone after young men, whether poor or rich. Ruth 3:10

## **Witness: (10 minutes) (Includes Table Talk Tuesday)**

Each week we want to ask questions that will help us get into natural conversations about God with people. This week will be some tough questions, but I believe if we are able to share vulnerably with others it opens doors to point to Jesus. This week see if someone would share a time where they have needed help or needed to be saved and what happened.

Take a moment to Read Ruth 3:1. Then Naomi her mother-in-law said to her, "My daughter, should I not seek rest for you, that it may be well with you?"

The truth is, in this situation the best help was a family member committing to marry Ruth and provide for her the rest of her life. We are all in need of help spiritually and that comes from Jesus alone

## **Closing Prayer: (5 minutes) (Includes Seek Him Saturday)**

We will close today as we close every time together, in prayer. Not just any prayer, but praying through scripture. Today we will be praying Ruth 3:5 and simply declaring to God that we will do what He says!

**Scripture: Ruth 3**

**Topic: Help**

**Scripture Sunday:**

Read through Ruth 3 today. As you read ask yourself, what does it say about God and what does it say about humanity?

**Memorize Monday:**

And he said, "May you be blessed by the Lord, my daughter. You have made this last kindness greater than the first in that you have not gone after young men, whether poor or rich. Ruth 3:10

**Table Talk Tuesday:**

Talk: Have you ever needed help? Have you ever needed to be saved? Would you be willing to share?

Text: Then Naomi her mother-in-law said to her, "My daughter, should I not seek rest for you, that it may be well with you? Ruth 3:1

Truth: Ruth and Naomi were in need of help and in this passage we see Boaz offer to help them. Jesus does the same for us.

**Watch it Wednesday:**

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**Tune in Thursday:**

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Lord, I Need You by Matt Maher - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LuvfMDhTyMA>

**Fun Friday:**

Today I invite you to ask someone to help you. This may be on a project, an errand or even making a plan. It may even be something that you can do on your own, but the goal for tonight is to have someone join you on the journey and use the time to share with them how Boaz helped Ruth and how Jesus helps us.

**Seek Him Saturday:**

Today I invite you to pray the short verse of Ruth 3:5. It simply says, I will do whatever you say. I know in the context Ruth is being obedient to Naomi, but may this be our hearts prayer to God to be obedient to whatever he says.