

He will not turn away any who ask!

Ruth 3:1-12; John 6:37



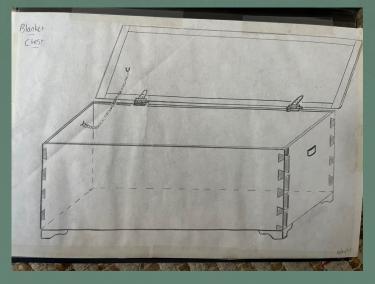


3:1-5 "...that it may be well for you"

- <u>Principle</u>: Life with Christ is the fullest, most abundant life possible!
- Boaz (a foreshadow of Christ)
- Protects, Provides, Cares, Has a future for!
- Naomi helps Ruth make her request clear:
- In no uncertain terms, I want long-term relationship with you!























3:6-9 "...for you are a redeemer!"

- <u>Principle</u>: Ruth ASKS to begin a long-term relationship!
- She doesn't just "assume it" or "ooze" into it.
- She is Deliberate! (Versus "Hanging around")
- She takes action with urgent intention.
- Is this how you have pursued Christ?





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- Matt. 11:12: Effort, Urgent intention, Stop-at-nothing force
- Mark 5:27: She takes hold be she's desperate!
- <u>Luke 5:19</u> The friends rip up a stranger's roof!
- Luke 18:35-43 The blind man INSISTS on crying out to





3:10-12a "...it is true that I am a redeemer"

- <u>Principle</u>: "Whosoever comes to the Lord He will in no wise cast away!" John 6:37
- Boaz, as a picture of Christ, assures Ruth:
- "Do not fear": even in hardship or storms
- "I will do for all that you ask": I can be trusted
- "I am a redeemer": You were bought at a price!





- <u>Admit</u>: Without a Savior, I'm lost/disconnected/dead! I know I need You.
- <u>Believe</u>: Jesus, You are who you say you are. Your life and death pays MY debt completely!
- <u>Commit</u>: I give you my whole life. My thoughts, words and actions; my hopes, dreams and plans; my family, money, and career; my mistakes and sins past, present and future.