

Ruth and Naomi: Family Dynamics

Use the following questions to help you ponder biblical truth and process how your relationships can benefit:

I. Reflection from Sunday's sermon and video

- 1. In your own family, how have you witnessed the kindness that we see in Ruth and Naomi's relationship?
- 2. How can you appreciate the "hesed" that God has for us? Where have you seen this happen in your own life?
- 3. Who led you to Christ and helped you in turning to faith? What was that relationship like for you?
- 4. What has your journey been like? Do you find it hard to deny yourself and carry your cross daily? Or do you find freedom in that?
- 5. What is something that you're holding onto that you need to surrender to Christ and trust Him fully?

II. Go Deeper

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- 1. How important is loyalty, compassion, and respect in a relationship? What are some examples that you have experienced?
- 2. Ruth's heart was pure with a motivation of kindness. God worked throughout her story to bring about redemption for herself and Naomi. What can we learn from Ruth's kindness and how God guides us through difficult times?