

"IN THE DAY THE JUDGES RULED"

RUTH

CURIOUS FACT: GOD IS HARDLY MENTIONED

NAOMI THE WIDOW RUTH THE MOABITE BOAZ THE FARMER



INTERPLAY OF GOD'S PURPOSE AND HUMAN DECISIONS

TRAGEDY BOLDNESS LOYALTY GENEROSITY LOYALTY

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ELIMELECH PINARON KILYON NAOMI

LIVING IN BETHLEHEM

TRAGEDY & DEATH

TRAVEL

EMK

ORPAH RUTH

THE 'LAND OF' MOAB

ORPAH

Loyalty

CALL ME MARA (BITTER)

WHERE YOU GO I WILL GO. YOUR PEOPLE WILL BE MY PEOPLE, AND YOUR GOD WILL BE MY GOD.

ISRAEL

WE NEED FOOD.

BOAZ =

- MAN OF NOBLE CHARACTER (2:11)
- SHOWS GENEROSITY (SEE DEUTERONOMY 24:19)
- PRAYS THAT GOD WILL BLESS HER

MAY GOD REWARD YOU

I MET BOAZ

BOAZ IS OUR KINSMAN REDEEMER!

- CULTURAL PRACTICE
- MARRIES THE WIDOW
- PROTECTS THE FAMILY LINE

GET DRESSED UP

WILL YOU REDEEM OUR FAMILY... AND MARRY ME???

WOMAN OF NOBLE CHARACTER... YES

HE SAID YES!!!

Loyalty

CLOSE RELATIVE

JOY & BIRTH

OBEY

GENEALOGY

PEREZ HEZRON RAM AMINADAB NAHSHON SALMON BOAZ OBEY JESSE DAVID