

Mother's Day 2010

Ruth

1. During Time of the Judges vs. 1
Elimelech - God is my king.
Naomi - Beautiful or pleasant.
Mahlon - Infirmary.
Chilion - Finished, completed.
 2. They moved to Moab. Vs. 2
During these times there was famine. They left to find a better living.
Deuteronomy 7:3, 23:3
 3. Abimelech died and left Naomi as a single mother. Vs. 3
 4. Mahlon and Chilion married Moabite women, and lived there about 10 years. Vs. 4
 - a. They had no children.
 - b. They died young.
 5. Naomi was left alone. Vs. 5
 - a. This is not the end.
 - b. She doesn't stop living.
 6. Naomi goes back to her roots. Vs. 6-14
 - a. She tells her daughter-in-laws to go home.
 - b. She can't provide another husband for them.
 - c. Orpah returns.
 - d. Ruth cleaves to her Mother-in-law.
 7. Naomi assumes a new role to Ruth her mother. Vs. 15-18
 - a. Where you go I go.
 - i. Daughters follow mothers lead.
 - ii. Children need direction.
 1. Where do you lead your children?
 2. The way you talk to your spouse leads your children to how they will treat their spouse.
 3. The way you talk to your children is how your children will speak to their children.
 - b. Where you lodge I will lodge.
 - i. The home that you provide is what your children will strive to provide.
 - ii. You directly influence the atmosphere of the home your grandchildren will be raised in.
 - c. Your people will be my people.
 - i. Who are your people?

- ii. Children imitate their parent's choices in friendships.
 1. Church.
 2. Social Clubs.
 3. Get togethers.
 - d. Your God will be my God.
 - i. What God are you giving to your children?
 - ii. They see the real God that you love.
8. Naomi changed her name. vs. 18-22
 - a. From pleasant and beautiful.
 - b. To bitter.
9. Ruth starts to work. Chapter 2
 - a. Gleaning.
 - b. Boaz
 - i. Special treatment vs. 8-9, 14-17
10. Naomi starts to play the role of matchmaker.
 - a. He was a godly man. Vs. 12
 - b. Blessed be the Lord. vs. 20
 - c. Chapter 3:1-8
11. Who is lying on my feet? Vs. 9-15
12. The Kinsman Redeemer. Vs. 1-12
13. Naomi's beauty and joy are restored. Vs. 13-17
 - a. Her beauty was not in her own appearance.
 - b. Her beauty was in her family.

What is a Mom?

Maker

Of

Men (people)