
❖SERMON NOTES❖

Sunday, June 16, 2013

“LIFE HAPPENS”

(Ruth 1-4)

Today we share the story of Ruth. It’s a story of a family. In every family there are times of celebration and there are times of struggle. Ruth’s example will help us when “life happens”.

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“In those days there was no king in Israel; everyone did what was right in his own eyes” (Judges 21:25, NASB).

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight” (Proverbs 3:5-6, NASB).

“Do not urge me to leave you or turn back from following you; for where you go, I will go, and where you lodge, I will lodge. Your people shall be my people, and your God, my God” (Ruth 1:16, NASB).

“When you reap the harvest of your land, moreover, you shall not reap to the very corners of your field nor gather the gleanings of your harvest; you are to leave them for the needy and the alien. I am the Lord your God” (Leviticus 23:22, NASB).

“Why have I found favor in your sight that you should take notice of me, since I am a foreigner?” (Ruth 2:10, NASB).

“Then Naomi took the child and laid him in her lap, and became his nurse. The neighbor women gave him a name, saying, ‘A son has been born to Naomi!’ So they named him Obed. He is the father of Jesse, the father of David” (Ruth 4:16-17, NASB).

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“You shall not intermarry with them; you shall not give your daughters to their sons, nor shall you take their daughters for your sons. For they will turn your sons away from following Me to serve other gods; then the anger of the Lord will be kindled against you and He will quickly destroy you” (Deuteronomy 7:3-4, NASB).

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“I am Ruth your maid. So spread your covering over your maid, for you are a close relative” (Ruth 3:9, NASB).

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