

# Sermon Notes

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## Ruth: A Story of Hope (Week 2) Redemption

Don't let the world around you \_\_\_\_\_ your  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

How are we like Ruth?

1. We are \_\_\_\_\_ in a \_\_\_\_\_ land.
2. We have a \_\_\_\_\_ that only our \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ can \_\_\_\_\_.
3. We are \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ ourselves.
4. We need to be \_\_\_\_\_ by His \_\_\_\_\_.
5. We are His \_\_\_\_\_!

**Scriptures used:** Ruth Chapters 2 & 3

# Small Group Questions

Here are the small group questions from this week's message on Ruth...

1. After an honest reflection can you identify areas of your life that our American culture has influenced you personally and your family?
2. God has a plan for your life...even when hope seems tough to see. Have you ever experienced this – when hope was difficult to see? In retrospect, did you see God's hand at work in your life and circumstances?
3. One of the characteristics of a Kinsman Redeemer is the ability to rescue you when you are unable to rescue yourself. Has this situation ever occurred and who was the one that stepped in?
4. Like Ruth, we are foreigners in this land we live in. Have you ever thought of it that way – that this is not our home? Our home is in heaven with Jesus. Knowing this, how should we act? Does your light shine bright in this foreign land, or your work, or around those you love?