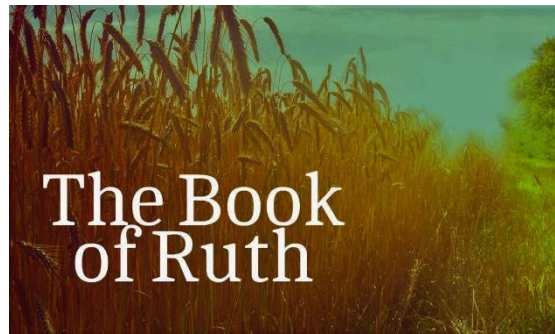




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Series – Ruth

Study Guide 2: Chapter 2, Brief Encounters

Week Commencing 7th July 2019

Please Read **Ruth Chapter 2**

1. What do we learn from this chapter about the character of the different people mentioned? Ruth, Naomi, Boaz and the Overseer.
2. Why do you think each one acted in the way they did?
3. Boaz comes across very positively, why do you think he had not taken any initiative in helping Naomi and Ruth previously?
4. What do we learn from this chapter about the society at that time?
5. Clearly there was a problem of women being assaulted at work. What problems in our society do you consider that people need to be warned about and protected from? Is there anything that the church might consider doing in relation to the things you mention?
6. God is only directly mentioned in the context of greetings and blessings but what else might we be able to learn about God from this chapter?
7. Talk about the way that the different characters might think about the way the story has been written down.
8. What do you take away from this story?