

The Book of Ruth, Part 2

Empty and Filled

INTRODUCTION

- If today you are dealing with hardships and suffering and have become empty, take heart, by f_____ cling to the g_____ of God in Christ Jesus and be filled with him.

BITTER AND EMPTY

- Why was Naomi low on the social scale? _____

- What happens when you continually drink from the cup of bitterness? _____

- Many people believe that God M_____ be merciful. And if he is not merciful in the manner and time we desire, He must be ag_____ us.
- Do we fully understand God's plan? Look up Isaiah 55:8-9.

LIVING BY FAITH

- What does a living faith do? A living faith takes ac_____.
- By faith Ruth trusted that the LORD would pr_____ for the poor and widowed. Cross reference Leviticus 19
- Faith is always seeking _____. Grace is _____
- _____

FILLED BY GRACE

- Boaz is a man of right_____ and compa_____
- Grace s_____ you out.
- Grace prov_____ and prot_____ you.
- How does the grace of our Lord Jesus save, provide, and protect you? _____

- How does Ruth respond to Boaz's grace? _____
- Ultimately, grace gives com_____ even to those who seem to be the furthest away from grace.

WHAT ABOUT YOU?

1. Are you nursing a cup of bitterness?
2. Are you living by faith?
3. Are you seeking to receive His grace?

