

## Reflection Questions: Ruth

Ruth had many strikes against her. She was from Moab, and this fact about her is emphasized all throughout her story. She was a widow. She was poor. And she had been married for ten years and been unable to conceive.

And yet, in the book of Ruth, Ruth demonstrates the loving-kindness that is often attributed to God. In fact, you might say that Ruth was the face of God for Naomi. God works through ordinary people in this book to bring about his purposes.

- 1) Is there anything in the story of Ruth that resonates with your own story?
- 2) What did Ruth do that showed loving-kindness?
- 3) Is there any lingering questions you have about Ruth's story?
- 4) What about Ruth's story can you take and apply to your own story?

## Putting it together

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Choose a bead to represent Ruth's story.  
Why did you choose this bead? What about it makes you think of Ruth?

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