



Life Group Questions

Flip Your Script

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Key Scriptures:

Ruth 1

Discussion Questions:

Talk about it:

Ice Breaker - What's your all time favorite love story? What about it draws you in?

Read and discuss Ruth 1:1-5

Ruth 1:1 says there was a famine in the land that caused Elimelech's family to move to Moab. What have been some famines (challenges) you have faced that caused you to make a significant change in your life? Did the change you made bring the resolution you hoped for? What is your system for making big decisions? What has the Lord delivered you from, how do you stay delivered?

Read and discuss Ruth 1:6-14

What is about tough times that make people want to isolate themselves? When you go through tough times do you move toward solitude or community? Which is better? Why? When others in community are going through tough times what should be your response? How have you seen community respond positively or negatively in a tough season?

Read and discuss Ruth 1:14-22

This tough time has shaken Naomi at her very core, so much so she is trying to re-identify herself in name. What is it about tough seasons that make it so difficult to hang on to our identity in Christ? The name Naomi means "pleasant," and the name Mara means "bitter," yet even though Naomi requested to be called Mara nowhere in the book of Ruth is she called that. Discuss who in your life won't allow you to forget who you are in Jesus no matter how dark the season?

Conclusion: Take some time to pray and thank God for those "Where you go I go" friends in your life. Speak blessings over one another and ask the Lord for breakthrough for those who are seeking hope in some area of life.