



Strength for the Journey

“Do Something Significant”

Ruth 1:6-22



Notes:

Strength through Prayer:

Spend a few moments as a group in silent, personal prayer. Thank God for the fact that we can be His hands and heart to the people around us.

You may want to begin your prayer with these words:

“Lord Jesus, the story of Ruth and Naomi points us to You and Your cross. Thank You for submerging Yourself into the depth of our despair. Thank You for leaving the glory of heaven and making a choice of selfless sacrifice. I want to take up my cross and follow You. Enable me by Your Spirit to be Your hands and Your heart to others.”

When you are finished with this time for silent, personal prayer, you may want to move into a time of group prayer, praying for one another.

Closing Call to Action:

On your deathbed, you will never wish that you had made more money or lived longer on easy street. When you step across into heaven, you will wish that God had used you to do more things of significance for Him.

To whom will you be the hands and heart of God? God is desperately looking for those of us who will say, “I will be what God would be to somebody in need—a neighbor, a homeless person, or someone who is struggling with life.”

We all have people like that around us. God is simply looking for a Ruth, a nobody, who will do something significant for Him. That can be you, as you become the hands and heart of God to somebody around you. Do that today. In fact, why not pray that God will lead you to somebody, before this day is over, to whom you can bring the love of God.

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