

# Ruth 3 Bible Study – A Lesson on Mentoring and Courtship

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## Outline

- I. Naomi's plan to help Ruth get married (1-6)
- II. Boaz and Ruth's conversation in the dark (7-15)
- III. Ruth reports back to Naomi (16-18)

## Discussion Questions

- How has Naomi's attitude changed since chapter one when she despaired of [Ruth](#) ever getting married again? Why do you think her attitude has changed?
- What character qualities can we see in Naomi in this passage?
- What plan does she come up with?
- What do you think about her plan?
- Why should Ruth approach Boaz in the dark?
- Is this plan appropriate? Why or why not?
- Should a young lady today do the same to show her interest in a man? What possible dangers are there in such a plan?
- What do we learn about Ruth from this passage?