THE STORY CHAPTER 9

Faith of a Foreign Woman

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Appearing on the Big Screen…

“Don’t call me Naomi,” she told them. “Call me Mara, because the Almighty has made my life very bitter. I went away full, but the Lord has brought be back empty. Why call me Naomi? The Lord has afflicted me; the Almighty has brought misfortune upon me.”

*Page 122; Ruth 1:20-21 NIV*

Scene 1: It was love at first sight

“Oh sir, such grace, such kindness—I don’t deserve it. You’ve touched my heart, treated me like one of your own. And I don’t even belong here!”

*Ruth 2:13 MSG*

“Wash, put on perfume, and get dressed in your best clothes. Then go down to the threshing floor, but don’t let him know you are there until he has finished eating and drinking. When he lies down, note the place where he is lying. Then go and uncover his feet and lie down. He will tell you what to do.”

*Page 125; Ruth 3:3–4 NIV*

Scene 2: Cover me with your coat

So she [Ruth] went down to the threshing floor and did everything her mother-in-law told her to do. When Boaz had finished eating and drinking and was in good spirits, he went over to lie down at the far end of the grain pile.

*Page 125; Ruth 3:6–7 NIV*

…she uncovered his feet and lay down. In the middle of the night something startled the man; he turned--and there was a woman lying at his feet.

*Ruth 3:7–8 NIV*

“I am your servant Ruth,” she said. “Spread the corner of your garment over me, since you are a guardian-redeemer of our family.”

*Ruth 3:9 NIV*

“On the day you buy the land from Naomi, you also acquire Ruth the Moabite, the dead man’s widow, in order to maintain the name of the dead with his property.”

*Page 126; Ruth 4:5 NIV*

[Christ came to us] while we were still sinners.

*Romans 5:8 NIV*

Scene 3: Jesus is your kinsman-redeemer

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