

Unexpected Fullness Ruth 4
God provides a <u>redeemer</u> —at a high cost. (4:1-10)
God provides <u>fullness</u> and blessings in unexpected ways. (4:11-15)
God provides a <u>family</u> and a future hope. (4:16-22)

Timeless Truth:

We can trust God is <u>good</u>, and he is <u>always</u> at work in the world in ways we can't imagine.

Discussion Questions:

What did Boaz risk and possibly give up in order to redeem Ruth and Naomi? What did Christ give up in order to redeem us?

Name some of the ways God provided for Ruth, Naomi and Boaz unexpectedly. How has God provided for you in unexpected ways?

What does it mean that we must come to Jesus aware of our emptiness in order for Him to redeem us and fill us?

Is there an area of your life where you need to trust that God is good, and He is always working in the world? (Share if appropriate.)

At different times in the story, God used both Boaz and Ruth to exemplify His loving-kindness to others. Could God be wanting to use you to show His loving-kindness to someone in your life? (If you feel comfortable, please share in a respectful way.)