

Series: Redeemed from Ruin (the Book of Ruth)

Sermon: No Such Thing As Luck

Bible Verses: Ruth 2

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Good athletes win by _____, not _____.

We see two things working in Ruth's life: _____.

When her life was a disaster and she was hungry, and homeless, Ruth made it her main goal _____.

Ruth didn't believe in luck _____. She believed that lazy hands make for _____, but diligent hands bring _____ (Prov 10:4). She decided to live God's way.

Ruth did what was right from morning _____.

Despite her hard work, Ruth still _____ to step in, and help her.

Boaz noticed Ruth, then _____, to receive blessings and gifts.

Jesus is our guardian redeemer. When we were _____ and sin... JESUS _____.

How are we saved? BY GRACE!! God saves us, it is a gift that _____ (Ephesians 2:8-9a).

Working and living rightly is still extremely important, and we're considered "righteous" based on _____ (James 2:24).

We see *two things working* in our life, and in Ruth's life: _____.

_____ we are diligent in doing right, we will see God, our guardian redeemer, _____ to save us.

Growth Group prep

- Imagine your spouse died, you were homeless and hungry, in a foreign country. Describe what you might feel.
- Why did Ruth had the ability to get up and work? Other than feeling hungry, why did she "get up and go"?
- Do you believe Ruth ended up in Boaz's field by coincidence, or God's plan? Do you have a story you can share about a time when you think God had his hand on your life, but at the time it seemed like a coincidence?
- What do you think would've happened to Ruth, if she had not gone to Boaz's field? Would've God's plan for her been thwarted?