

13. Jeremiah knew who?
14. In Lamentations 3:37-38 Jeremiah is saying that God is sovereign and He carries out His plan through the marvelous work of what?
15. Does God ever drop Satan's leash and let him do what he wants to do?
16. Jeremiah understood the all-encompassing what?
17. Why do so few hymns celebrate the free-will of man?
18. What is the one thing we are free to do (which we make the choice to do apart from the grace of God)?
19. What were some of the "hammer blows" that Naomi had experienced?
20. Who returned with Naomi to Bethlehem?
21. Gleaning was a common practice for who during this time period?
22. Ruth was bound and determined to do what?
23. Literally how does the statement "She happened to come..." read?
24. Was verse 3 saying that this happened by chance?
25. Whose field did Ruth happen to come to?
26. What does the "greeting" illustrate for us about Boaz?
27. Who is all over this man's life?
28. Ruth humbly and graciously requested to glean in the field, showing us what?
29. What did Ruth not demand?
30. What does Jesus love? What does He hate?
31. From verses 8-9 we see that Boaz was, in essence, promising to do what?
32. What was the problem of the people in Luke 13 who came to Jesus?
33. What was Jesus saying with His response to the people in Luke 13?
34. Jesus's response sounds harsh because we are what?
35. We ought to be utterly and absolutely astonished that we are not where?
36. What are we to the core?
37. We have a need to stop doing what?
38. What should we be astonished at?
39. How should we respond when people ask how we are doing?
40. We often become more emotional about being crossed than what?
41. Boaz was impressed with Ruth's loyalty and allegiance to who?
42. What one verse may be one of the key verses to the book?

43. The reason why Ruth had such a commitment to Naomi was because she had committed herself to who?

44. Ruth's character was an extension of her what?

45. What formed the basis for Ruth's righteous character?

46. The food given to Ruth was enough to feed Ruth and Naomi for how long?

47. Boaz was a relative of Naomi's, which meant that it was possible for him to act as a what?

48. How should we respond to this chapter of Scripture?

49. Are you in awe of God's mercy toward you?

50. Do you recognize your sinfulness and unworthiness?

51. Are you astonished at God's grace in Christ?

52. Have you entrusted yourself completely to Christ and taken refuge under His wings?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

»»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?

»»How can I accomplish this change?

»»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

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## **HIS MERCIES ARE NEW EVERY MORNING** **Ruth 2**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "His Mercies Are New Every Morning-Ruth 2" All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. Where do the words of the song Pastor Bryan mentioned come from?

2. The term, "Lamentations" is from a Greek verb meaning what?

3. Who was the author of Lamentations?

4. Jeremiah was a tender-hearted prophet with what kind of message?

5. Because of their rebellion, the northern kingdom of Israel had fallen to who (in about 722 B.C.)?

6. Jeremiah was a prophet to what kingdom?

7. Jeremiah warned that if God's people didn't turn back to the Lord they were going to be conquered by who?

8. How many times did Nebuchadnezzar attack Jerusalem?

9. When was the city of Jerusalem burned to the ground?

10. Who did the people of Judah not want in their lives?

11. What is unique about the first two chapters of Lamentations?

12. Jeremiah was a man who understood the Lord's what?