## **Ruth Handout** Week Ten

## A word about love

15 When she rose to glean, Boaz commanded his servants, saying, "Let her glean even among the sheaves, and do not insult her. 16 Also you shall purposely pull out for her some grain from the bundles and leave it that she may

glean, and do not rebuke her." 1 Cor. 13:4-6 stego-A word about working in the field. Mat. 9:36 Gal. 7:8 Ex. 23:14 chagag Ex. 34:21 Best news-Goel-Geullah Gaal-What's the point? The principle: Redeem- To secure the release or recovery of persons or things by the payment of a price or performing an act that makes things "right/even" again. The goel is the one who pays the price or does the saving/redemptive act which puts things right again. The picture/model of a goel: Ex. 6:6 He is... Ex. 19:4 Our purpose: The presumption: Who owns-What is the cost? What is the point? Why would God institute this bloody system? The implications for us— The greater spiritual truths— The (big) problem: Caveat.

Mat. 5:21

The pinnacle:

Qualifications to be a goel

-Relationship Why? What about Ruth?

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Mark 10:6

-Resources ???

-Resolve Motivation for them? Motivation for us? What about Boaz?

Family Case Law

-- Redeem the land: Lev. 25:23

Jeremiah 32

What's up with redeeming the land?

What does this have to do with us?

Abraham Kuyper: There is not a square inch in the whole domain of our human existence over which Christ, who is

Sovereign over all, does not cry, Mine!"

How do we put skin in the game?

Don't be afraid to say hard things. Don't be afraid to do hard things. Ps. 145:13, Dan. 2:44

Deut. 7 To show His To show His To keep us from

--Redeem people: Lev. 25:47

The social values of these two rules:

Why is this our responsibility? Eph. 2:18, Gal. 6:10

Most people don't deserve it! Did Naomi?

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1 Cor. 6:19

## **Discussion**

What "land" are you seeking to buy back for the kingdom? What person/people are you working to set free? What person are you protecting from the ravages of the enemy? What person/people are you seeking justice for? Share how God has moved you to be a goel.