The Book of Ruth A story of God's faithfulness

Introduction

- _____is a part of everyday life
- Often our decisions have a great _____ not only on us, but on others as well
- The bottom line is that our life will add up to the ______ of the decisions we make

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Decisions

- Naomi is not only attempting to make ______ for herself, but equally for her daughters-in-law
- Never attempt to make a major life decision for yourself or others when you are
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Direction

- Naomi was in no place to make decisions for her daughter in laws, so the ultimate ______ for their ______ was up to them
- _____ and _____ represent two very different types of people
 - Orpah pictures people who are good ______ and _____, yet they are so far away
 - Ruth is a picture of those who keep _____ on the Lord, despite _____ or the _____ of people around her

Destiny

- Ruth's decision to go in the direction of Bethlehem marks her ______
- We see two crucial elements in Ruth's response
 - o 1. The ______ that Ruth makes to cling
 - o 2. The ______ she verbalizes to succeed
- Invoking the name of Yahweh is a recognition of the _____ and _____ in the true God that is not limited by human ______
- What Ruth ______ is what she ______

HOMEWORK

- Attend Life group this Wednesday at 7:00pm
- Our study will focus on Ruth 1:22- 2:3