

RUTH & THE 1ST RESURRECTION

Hello Saints of THE LORD! While watching a kids show called Superbook with my son, THE LORD opened my eyes to the book of Ruth regarding THE FIRST RESURRECTION. Then as I began to study, FATHER opened my eyes to more of HIS TRUTH in the Book of Ruth. Ruth has four parallels to the NEW TESTAMENT scripture that discuss THE FIRST RESURRECTION, such as the End Time Harvest (Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43), The Marriage Supper of The Lamb (Revelation 19:7-10), The Parable of the Ten Virgins, and the Redemption of the Purchased Possession (Ephesians 1:14). As we dive deeper into FATHER'S WORD, please allow THE LORD to open the eyes of your understanding (Ephesians 1:18) so that you can receive this truth.

THE ENDTIME HARVEST (MATTHEW 13:24-30, 36-43)

[Ruth 2:21-23] 21 And Ruth the Moabitess said, He said unto me also, Thou shalt keep fast by my young men, until they have ended all my harvest.

- 22 And Naomi said unto Ruth her daughter in law, It is good, my daughter, that thou go out with his maidens, that they meet thee not in any other field.
- 23 So she kept fast by the maidens of Boaz to glean unto the end of barley harvest and of wheat harvest; and dwelt with her mother in law.

Ruth kept fast by the maidens of Boaz to glean unto the end of the Barley and Wheat Harvest. In this passage and the remainder of the book, Ruth symbolizes the Saints of GOD. Ruth's entire ordeal regarding redemption occurred during the end of the harvest. Now we know that wheat is symbolic of the "Children of the Kingdom" (Matthew 13:38) and of the Mature Church which THE LORD revealed unto my dad in "The 3rd Seal is Opened" book. Barley is symbolic of The Overcomers, the 4th Realm Saints. Ruth is a type and shadow of both the wheat (Mature Church) and the barley (Overcomers). In Ruth 2:23, it states that Ruth was to "Glean" unto the end of the harvest. The word glean in the Hebrew is the word lāqaṭ which means 'To pick up, to gather (up)'. The job of gleaning was work that was really meant for the reapers which was mentioned earlier in the chapter in Ruth 2:3.

In the parable of the "Wheat and Tares" THE LORD JESUS explains that the reapers are the angels (Matthew 13:39) and that the SON OF MAN (CHRIST JESUS) shall send forth HIS ANGELS to gather out of HIS Kingdom all things that offend and do iniquity. (Matthew 13:41). Then two verses later it says the Righteous shall shine forth as the Sun in the kingdom of their FATHER (Matthew 13:43). Let me not forget that THE LORD also explained the Harvest is the "End of the World" (Matthew 13:39). Ruth (The Children of the Kingdom) is again the Barley (Overcomers) and the wheat (Mature Church). At the end of the harvest (end of the world), THE LORD will gather (glean) HIS SAINTS in THE FIRST RESURRECTION when the Saints (The Righteous) shall shine (Spiritual Bodies) like the Sun. Ruth was a reflection of this when she was

redeemed by Boaz which we will discuss later, but the point of this section is that Ruth is the church/Saints in the end time harvest of the world.

THE MARRIAGE SUPPER OF THE LAMB (REVELATION 19:7-10)

[RUTH 3:3] "Wash thyself therefore, and anoint thee, and put thy raiment upon thee, and get thee down to the floor: but make not thyself known unto the man, until he shall have done eating and drinking."

[Revelation 19:7-9] 7 "Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready.

8 And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the righteousness of saints.

9 And he saith unto me, Write, Blessed are they which are called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb. And he saith unto me, These are the true sayings of God."

Ruth was told by Naomi to wash and anoint herself. She was told to put on raiment and get thee down to the floor to meet Boaz. Ruth is the Church, the 4th Realm Saints, the Overcomers which makes her "The Bride of CHRIST". Boaz in the book of Ruth is a type of CHRIST in being Naomi's 'Near Kinsman' (Ruth 2:20) in which JESUS is the Near Kingsman Redeemer. Now Ruth (The Bride/Wife of CHRIST) made herself ready, she anointed herself with oil (HOLY SPIRIT), she washed herself making her "Clean and

White) (Revelation 19:8), and put raiment on which is the fine linen that is the righteousness of Saints.

All of this was done in preparation of Ruth (Saints) going to meet Boaz (CHRIST JESUS THE BRIDEGROOM). Ruth was a type and shadow of the Saints of GOD preparing themselves as is being done in this very day to meet FATHER "In the air" (1 Thessalonians 4:17) at that Great Day of HIS RETURN. The Saints of THE LORD must be washed by THE LORD'S BLOOD and we must be filled with HIS HOLY SPIRIT. The Saints must be ready for FATHER'S return and per the scripture we are told four times in the Gospels to Watch Therefore because we know not when THE LORD will come (Matthew 24:42, Matthew 25:13, Mark 13:35, Luke 21:36). Ruth was ready and due to her preparation (Watch) she was able to go meet Boaz (THE LAMB/CHRIST JESUS).

THE PARABLE OF THE TEN VIRGINS (MATTHEW 25:1-13)

[RUTH 3:3, 8] 3 "Wash thyself therefore, and anoint thee, and put thy raiment upon thee, and get thee down to the floor: but make not thyself known unto the man, until he shall have done eating and drinking."

8 "And it came to pass at midnight, that the man was afraid, and turned himself: and, behold, a woman lay at his feet."

Ruth as mentioned previously is the Mature Church, The Overcomers, The Bride of CHRIST. For this section, she is the 5 wise virgins. Ruth 3:3 is discussing the preparation that took place before Ruth went to meet Boaz which is exactly what the parable of 10 virgins is also talking about. Now we will only be focusing on the 5 wise virgins that went out to meet the bridegroom (CHRIST JESUS). Ruth had to anoint herself with oil (HOLY SPIRIT) just as the 5 wise virgins took oil (HOLY SPIRIT) in their vessels (Vessel unto honor, their Temple aka their body) (Matthew 25:4). Then after the cry was made "Behold, the Bridegroom (CHRIST) cometh; go ye out to meet HIM", it says the virgins arose and trimmed their lamps (Matthew 25:6-7). Ruth was instructed by Naomi to go down to meet Boaz (CHRIST JESUS). Now, the word 'TRIMMED' in the Greek is the word *kosmeō* [G2885] which means to put in proper order, i.e. decorate, adorn, garnish.

Just as Ruth had to get herself in order, adorning and garnishing through being washed and anointed, the 5 wise virgins did the exact same thing when they 'trimmed' their lamps. Later in **Matthew 25:10**, the scripture says the Bridegroom (JESUS) came and they that were ready (5 Wise Virgins) went in with HIM to the marriage: and the door was shut. The correlation is that Ruth (The Saints, 5 Wise Virgins) was ready/prepared to meet Boaz (CHRIST JESUS, THE BRIDEGROOM) and she (The Saints) went in (1st Resurrection). This is again all about being ready to meet THE LORD at HIS Coming and how the Saints have to/must be ready when FATHER comes. We must have our lamps trimmed, being washed by HIS BLOOD and filled with HIS Spirit so we can be

changed at the last trump (1 Corinthians 15:52) and be with Our LORD, KING, MASTER, GOD JESUS THE CHRIST. WE MUST BE READY.

There is more insight in Ruth 3:8. It says at midnight is when Boaz awakened and saw Ruth laying at his feet. Out of all times of the day/night that could have been, it said midnight which is a direct connection to the 10 Virgins Parable because it was also midnight when the cry was made 'Behold the Bridegroom Cometh'. In Ruth 3:8, the scripture states that once Boaz (CHRIST) awakened (THE LORD'S RETURN/THE FIRST RESURRECTION) he turned himself to Ruth (The Humble/Meek Saints) laying at his feet. This phrase 'Turned Himself' is the hebrew word <code>lāpat</code> [H3943] which means to take hold, to clasp. In the Cambridge English Dictionary, the word Clasp means to hold someone or something firmly in your hands or arms, an embrace. When THE LORD returns HE will clasp HIS Saints that take part in the FIRST RESURRECTION. He will hold HIS Saints firmly in HIS arms and embrace them.

REDEMPTION OF THE PURCHASED POSSESSION

[Ruth 4:10] "Moreover Ruth the Moabitess, the wife of Mahlon, have I purchased to be my wife, to raise up the name of the dead upon his inheritance..."

[Ephesians 1:14] "Which is the earnest of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, unto the praise of his glory."

Throughout this entire teaching, the understanding is now clear which is that Ruth is a type and shadow of the 4th Realm Saints, The Mature/Humble Saints, the Bride of CHRIST, The Overcomers and Boaz is a type and shadow of our LORD JESUS. Now it is evident that CHRIST JESUS hath purchased the Church with HIS OWN BLOOD on The Cross (Acts 20:28), but there is more. Boaz (CHRIST) purchased (Redeemed) Ruth (Saints/Church) to be his wife which is all Spiritual Symbolism of The First Resurrection.

The word purchased in the Hebrew is the word $q\bar{q}n\hat{q}$ which means to "redeem" and it has a direct correlation to the Ephesians 1:14 verse. The Apostle Paul in that particular verse was solely speaking about THE FIRST RESURRECTION that THE LORD gave him insight to. The Redemption of the Purchased Possession is when the Saints of THE LORD are changed into their Spiritual Bodies at CHRIST'S RETURN that will take place at the last trump (1 Corinthians 15:50-54). THE LORD JESUS CHRIST shall come to be glorified in HIS Saints and that 'soon to come' day, is the day we are living in now.

Saints of THE LORD prepare yourself and BE READY. For FATHER'S return is nigh, even at the doors (Mark 13:29).

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