

Deeper Living: Loyal Love The Book of Ruth

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Hesed – loyal love, faithfulness, loving kindness, steadfast love... a love and concern that puts others first, even at great cost to oneself... expressed beyond the requirements of duty... a love that is promised... and owed... a covenantal love. Not a feeling but a response of the will that changes our actions...

Leviticus 19:9-10 – Gleaning Laws

Leviticus 25 - Family redeemer or “kinsman redeemer”

Cloak: a symbol of authority and position.

Ruth’s Example:

Naomi’s Example:

Boaz’s Example:

Summary:

Express faithful, loyal love and kindness.

Be genuine, even when you are hurting.

Ask Jesus Christ to cover you with his cloak...