

Under Bethlehem's Stars: 3. Pursuing Joyous Rest Ruth 3

- Introduction: The pandemic's disruption of our "rest" (our sense of security, usual routines, enjoyable practices)
- II. The responsibility God assigned to kinsmanredeemers
- III. Naomi takes action to find "rest" for Ruth (and herself)
 - A. The approach is risky (but not risqué)
 - B. Ruth's request: "Take me under your wing (the wing of your garment), since you are my kinsman-redeemer."
 - C. Boaz describes her motive: Loving kindness (for Naomi)
- IV. Conclusion: Who has God provided to redeem you and provide you with joyous rest?