

Good Out of Bad

Ruth 4:13-22

God can bring good out of bad for a family (13-17)

The bad:

- **Naomi's family left the Promised Land
- **Naomi's sons married non-believers
- **Naomi lost her husband and sons

The good:

- **Ruth gained salvation
- **Boaz gained a godly wife
- **Boaz and Ruth gained a special son
- **Naomi gained a special daughter-in-law, son-in-law, and grandson
- **Israel gained a godly king
- **The world gained a Savior
- **The Lord gained praise

God can bring good out of bad for a nation (18-22)

**God works through undeserving people

**God works through unlikely people

Lessons from Ruth:

SEE...God in the ordinary events of life

TRUST...God in the confusing events of life

MAGNIFY...God in all the events of life