



UNTIL DEATH DO US PART

Commitment

Is there someone you are so loyal to you that would risk everything to stand by their side?

Why do you have that commitment toward that person?

Ruth made a commitment to her husband but also to his family. She honored that commitment even after he died.

Do we honor our commitments like that today? Why do you think it is so easy for us to back out of things?

Is it our job to care for those who are less fortunate?

Read Ruth 1:1-16.

Why do you think Boaz was impressed with Ruth?
What did Ruth give up by following Naomi?

What does this teach us about Ruth's character?

Read Hebrews 13:2.

This verse instructs us to sit with members of the community we do not presently know.

Who in your community fits this description?

Can you think of one person you could reach out to this week?

How does Ruth's story and what we read from Shane Claiborne change the way you might think of that person?