Book of Ruth

DAY EIGHT QUESTIONS "Rebuke and Redemption"

1. Boaz showed concern for Ruth from the first time he met her. Concern for others is so often in the details. Read Romans 12:9-21. List some of the marks of a true Christian described here.

2. In your own words, what does it mean to "let love be genuine"? What are some examples of genuine love you have seen in your own life?

3. Read Matthew 25:31-46. In verse 40, Jesus tells us who we are to be caring for and providing for. Who does He tells us to provide for?

4. As Christians, we have a responsibility and a command from our Savior to care for each other. "The least of these my brothers" describes our brothers and sisters in Christ. When we see them hurting or suffering, we are commanded to come alongside them and provide for them. This command comes with a warning about the final judgment; if we neglect our brothers and sisters, focusing only on ourselves, what is the consequence? (verse 45-46)

5. Read Colossians 3:12-15. What kind of hearts are God's chosen people called to exhibit in verse 12 and 13? What binds us together in perfect harmony?

6. Read James 2:15-17. If we have faith in Christ, what will the outpouring of our hearts be, thanks to the Holy Spirit? (v 17) Do you see that outpouring from your own heart? If not, spend some time in prayer with Him today and ask Him to change your heart, to help you so that the overflow of your heart is glorious to Him.