## RUTH DARED TO BE LOYAL TO HER FAMILY AND TO THE LORD

Ruth was from the country of Moab. She had married one of the sons of Naomi, who had moved there from Judah with her husband and two sons. After Naomi's sons and husband died, Naomi decided to move back to Israel. But Ruth had learned to love the Lord who was worshiped by Naomi and her family. And she also loved Naomi. So Ruth went with her and said, "Your people will be my people, and your God will be my God." Soon after they had settled in Judah, Ruth met Boaz. They fell in love and were married. Their son Obed later became the grandfather of King David, who was the most famous ancestor of Jesus Christ.



