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Sermon Outline for Sunday, September 4, 2022

Sermon: "Fulfilling Our Roles In The Covenant" Ruth and Covenant Survival. Pt.6

**I Text:**

Old Covenant: *Ruth 3*

New Covenant: *John 12:1-8*

**II Doctrine:**

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**III Comparing Scripture With Scripture:**

1) Naomi finally gives Ruth sound covenantal advice and tells her how to approach her Goel. Naomi is to follow precise instructions when approaching Boaz. She will change her clothes from that of a grieving widow, and show she is available for marriage. (*Ruth 3:1-7*)

2) Boaz naturally startled to see a woman sleeping next to him at midnight, loves Naomi's commitment to God's covenant. He calls her a virtuous woman, the same term used in Proverbs 31. (*Ruth 3:8-13; Proverbs 31*)

3) Naomi instructs Ruth to patiently wait for Boaz to approach the first Goel in line. She assures Ruth Boaz will not tarry in the matter. (*Ruth 3:14-18*)

*Definition of **goel***

*: REDEEMER, RECLAIMANT*

*especially : a next of kin upon whom according to ancient Hebrew custom devolved certain family rights and duties including the avenging of a murdered kin's blood and the redemption of the person or property of a relative in debt or helpless circumstances*