

Reality LA Kids Weekly Devotional Guide

October 3, 2021

Remember: this guide is meant to help facilitate conversations and engagement with Jesus throughout the week, so don't feel like you need to do this all in one day!

What We're Learning This Week

"RUTH"
RUTH 1-4

The story of Ruth is filled with people and moments that reflect that character of God. Ruth's commitment/service of Naomi and Boaz's redeeming point us to Jesus, our God who is fully committed to His people no matter what and who redeems us through His love and sacrifice.

Discipleship Through Scripture + Conversation

Talk to your kids about the Bible lesson they watched on video. Ask them to explain what they learned/ what stuck out to them in the video, and expand upon the truths of the Bible that they are bringing up. Some helpful conversations this week could be:

- 1. Ruth committed her life to God and remained committed to Naomi even though she didn't need to/had no obligation to do so.**
 - Why did Ruth do this? What characteristics of God did she display?
 - How has God showed His commitment to us? How can we respond to Him, and how can it shape how we love/serve others?
- 2. Boaz redeemed Ruth through God's grace.**
 - How does the redeeming work of Boaz point us to God?
 - How has Jesus redeem us from our sin? Why could only Jesus do it? How does it lead us to worship?
 - What are some things in our world that need to be redeemed? What about things in our own lives? How does God redeem them?

Discipleship Through Prayer

Spend time this week praising God for the ways that He is committed to His people and the ways He has redeemed us. Repent of distrust and ask God to shape your heart towards Him. Pray for a trust in God's commitment and redemption, and pray for God to reveal opportunities to serve and commit to others in

our city and community. Continue to pray for everything surrounding the coronavirus, politics, and racial equality in our country - for safety, for healing, for unity, and for specific people you can serve as a family.

- Ask each member of your family – adults included – to share one thing they would like prayer for. Have someone to pray for that person's request. Encourage your family to pray for that person for the entire week.

What's Coming Up?

- We are back at Bernstein! Learn all about the move back to the high school [here](#).
- Follow us on Instagram for all of our RLA Kids news! Our handle is [@RealityLAKids](#)
- Stay connected on big events and announcements by joining the [RLA Kids page on RLA Connect](#)
- Continue to be informed through the [Family Resources for Current Events](#) page for equipping and resources for all of that.

Do Your Kids Have Questions About the Scripture? Want to See Something in the Videos?

We love hearing from you! You can email kids@realityla.com at any time with any feedback or questions that your kids have about the video lesson (or any of your thoughts)...we would love to read some on our next video and answer them! We also them want to see us be silly, so send suggestions in and we will see what we can do. We also love to be praying with and alongside your family, so please send over prayer requests as well (those will be kept off screen, we just want to pray with and for you.)