

New Song Community Church
Sunday August 14, 2016
Your History That Reveals Your Spiritual Destiny
Ruth 1:1-9,16-18

**Scriptures: Ruth 1:1-2; Ruth 1:8-9; Ruth 1:15; Ruth 1:16-17;
Heb.12:1-2; Ruth 1:19;**

Three Questions:

- 1. Are there decisions that you have made some time ago that you believe were a mistake for which you are now suffering the consequences?**
- 2. Are there questionable relationships that you presently embrace that need to be reassessed and modified in order for your life to be all that God has in mind?**
- 3. Is the depth of your commitment to Jesus vested in the power of the finished works of the cross?**

Ruth made a confession of faith based upon the testimony of Naomi's life

- 1. Our witness as a true believer in Jesus will cause people to want to follow us**
- 2. We must be aware of the choices that we can make that will hinder people from following our example**
- 3. We must be willing to go out of our way to serve the needs of others**
- 4. We must be willing to sacrifice our preferences to accommodate the needs of others**
- 5. We must be willing to embrace people that would not be our chosen flavor**
- 6. We must be definite in our convictions about the truth of what it means to have a relationship with Jesus**
- 7. We must be willing to give up our life for the sake of the gospel**