

“What’s in a Name?” – Ruth 4
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Small Group/Family Discussion Guide

Icebreaker: Share the reasons why you chose the names of your children, or the reason why your parents chose your name.

Discussion Questions

1. Why did Boaz have to ask the close relative to redeem Naomi & Ruth? What is the significance of the close relative’s response?
2. What does Peloni Almoni mean and how does it relate to Deut 25:5-10?
3. How does our understanding of the closing genealogy of Ruth relate to the purpose of the book as a whole?
4. What things can we as believers do, to perpetuate the name of God in today’s society? Both corporately as a church & individually.

Small Group Prayer

Before praying together, read John 14:13-14 and briefly discuss what it means to pray “in Jesus’ name.”