

Valley Bible Church
Sermon Notes for December 27, 2009

**“The Proposal at the Threshing Floor:
Finding Rest and Redemption”
Ruth 3**

1. The Plan of the Proposal: *Naomi Seeks Rest for Ruth* (3:1–5)
 - a. The Objective of the Plan (1-2)
 - b. The Order of the Plan (3-4)
 - c. The Obedience to the Plan (5)

2. The Execution of the Proposal: *Ruth Seeks Redemption for Naomi* (3:6–9)
 - a. The Accuracy of the Execution (6-7)
 - b. The Alarm of the Execution (8-9a)
 - c. The Appeal of the Execution (9b)

3. The Acceptance of the Proposal: *Boaz Secures Redemption for Naomi* (3:10–15)
 - a. In Words (10–13)
 - i. Of Praise (10)
 - ii. Of Promise (11)
 - iii. Of Principle (12)
 - iv. Of Persistence (13)

 - b. In Works (14-15)
 - i. To Protect (14)
 - ii. To Provide (15)

4. The Results of the Proposal: *Boaz Secures Rest for Ruth* (3:16–18)

a. From Famine to Fullness (16-17)

b. From Singleness to Security (18)

Commit your life to serving others and witness by faith the mighty and mysterious hand of God work out His purposes in our midst.