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SUGGESTED DISCUSSION POINTS FROM MARCH 8, 2020 SERMON

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Have you ever thought about the reality that today's obedience has future Kingdom benefits? Is this meaningful for you?

Get more specific and discuss: God's mission of redeeming the world in Christ will endure, and as we participate in it, our works have lasting value.

Describe the integrity and character that Ruth and Boaz were passing on to their son?

What aspects of godliness can you pass onto your children or grandchildren?

How can your obedience as a parent or a grandparent have a ripple effect on the next generation?

How can your poor decisions have a lingering effect on the next generation?

Do you ever feel like you have messed up so bad that God can no longer use you? How does the genealogy of Jesus give all of us who fail encouragement?

Discuss: Ruth continually makes decisions that go beyond her self-interest in order to love her mother-in-law. Ruth's decision to love has future benefits not only to Naomi but also for the advancement of God's Kingdom.

Ruth left behind an eternal legacy. What kind of eternal legacy would you like to leave behind for your family, community and world?