

Watts Chapel Missionary Baptist Church

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The Biblical Literacy Project

Bible Study Questions

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**Watts Chapel Missionary Baptist Church  
Bible Study Discussion Questions**

**“The Biblical Literacy Project”  
Read Ruth 1-2  
January 8-9, 2019**

1. What is the climate of times for Naomi (1:1-5, 20)?

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2. Why do you think Naomi told her daughters-in-law to go back to their families (1:8-13)?

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3. Why do you think Oprah and Naomi responded differently to Naomi (1:14-18)?

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4. What signs of hope emerge (2:1-3)?

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5. What do you admire most about Boaz in this episode (2:1-16)?

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6. What do you admire most about Ruth in this episode (2:1-23)?

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**“The Biblical Literacy Project”  
Read Ruth 3-4  
January 15-16, 2019**

1. What was Naomi trying to do in sending Ruth to Boaz (3:1-4)?

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2. What does verse 5 say about the Naomi-Ruth relationship?

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3. What’s your opinion about the interaction between Boaz and Ruth in this episode (3:7-15)?

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4. What does this episode say about Boaz (3:10-13, 18)?

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5. How does this narrative affirm the providential working of the Almighty God (4:9-10)?

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6. What qualities of Ruth do you admire the most? What has been a Ruth to you? How?

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Read I Samuel 1-2  
January 22-23, 2019**

1. What challenging circumstances did Hannah face (1:1-8)?

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2. What’s significant about Hannah’s praying and her interaction with Eli (1:9-17)?

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3. Why does Hannah’s disposition change so quickly (1:18)?

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4. What stands out in Hannah’s prayer (2:1-11)?

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5. What’s significant about Samuel and Eli’s relationship versus his relationship with his sons (2:11, 18-21, 26)?

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6. How did Eli’s sons corrupt the priesthood (2:12-25)?

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**“The Biblical Literacy Project”  
Read 1 Samuel 3  
January 29-30, 2019**

1. How would you describe Eli and Samuel’s relationship (3:1-9)?

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2. Why was God angry with Eli (3:11-13)?

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3. What needed to happen in Samuel’s life (3:7)?

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4. How do you hear the voice of God (3:8-10)?

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5. What was Samuel’s assignment and call (3:11-18)?

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6. What were Eli’s strengths and weaknesses? What are the take aways from Eli’s life?

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