THE BOOK OF RUTH

ELIMELECH - and - NAOMI
[El is King] [Sweetness, Pleasantness]
Dwell in BETHLEHEM-JUDAH
[House of Bread and Praise]
MAHLON CHILION
[Sickly, sickness] [Pining, wasting]
FAMINE!

DEserted BETHLEHEM-JUDAH

STORY HAS TWO ASPECTS
A family leaving House of Bread for House of Sin!
... DIASTER!
A girl following the opposite path
... DELIVERANCE!

FAMINE! MOAB
[From Father]

LAND of SIN and DEATH
ELIMELECH DIES!

MAHLON marries
CHILION marries
RUTH ORPAH
[Female Friend] [Back of Neck]

MAHLON and CHILION DIE!

RETURN to ISRAEL

NAMELESS KINSMAN
SEEK REDEMPTION
Not able to Redeem

RAZ [In Him is Strength]

REDEEMED by BOAZ
MARRIAGE of BOAZ and RUTH
OBED [Servant]
New Life for RUTH A Joy to NAOMI

RESPONDED IN FAITH
UNITED WITH STRONG ONE
THE SON BORN
HOPE FOR MANKIND

ESMARAH (bitterness)
(sweetness) and RUTH