

“... whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God. Where thou diest, will I die; and there I will be buried: the Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me.”

Ruth, 1:16 – 17

“The Gleaners,” Francois Millet, 1857

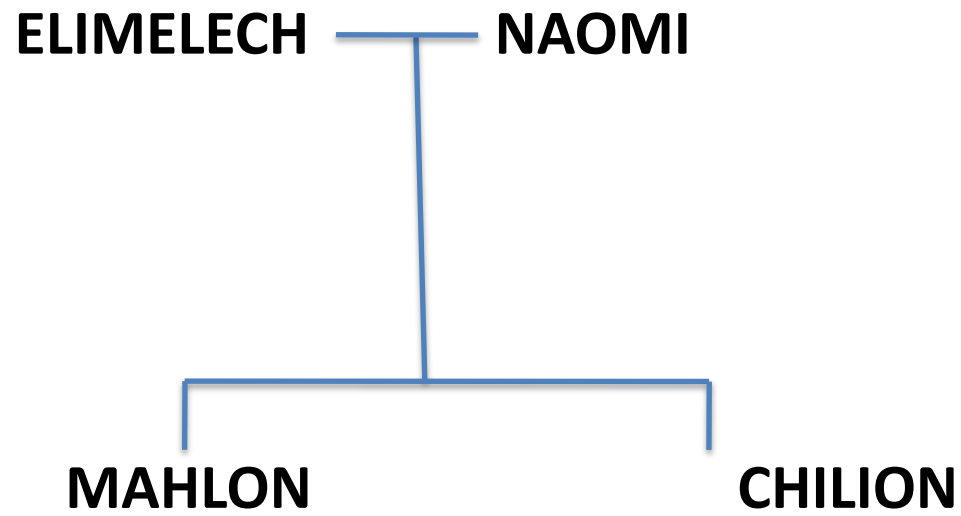


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NAOMI

RUTH

BOAZ





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ELIMELECH
GOD IS MY KING

NAOMI
*PEACEFUL, MY
PLEASANT ONE*

RUTH - MAHLON

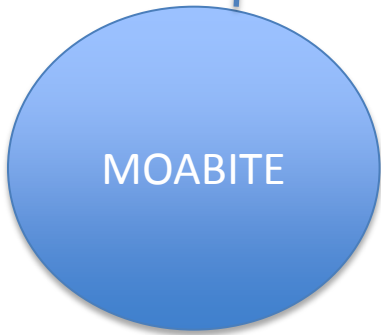
WEAKNESS

CHILION – ORPAH

*PINING, DISLOYAL,
CONSUMPTION BACK OF THE*

COMPANION

NECK



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**”DO NOT CALL ME NAOMI, BUT CALL ME MARA,
FOR THE ALMIGHTY HAS DEALT VERY BITTERLY WITH ME.
I WENT AWAY FULL, BUT THE LORD HAS BROUGHT ME BACK
EMPTY.”**

RUTH, 1:20

NAOMI WOMAN, WIDOW, CHILDLESS

**RUTH WOMAN, WIDOW, CHILDLESS, FOREIGNER,
SOJOURNER**

NAOMI

RUTH

BOAZ

LEVIRATE MARRIAGE

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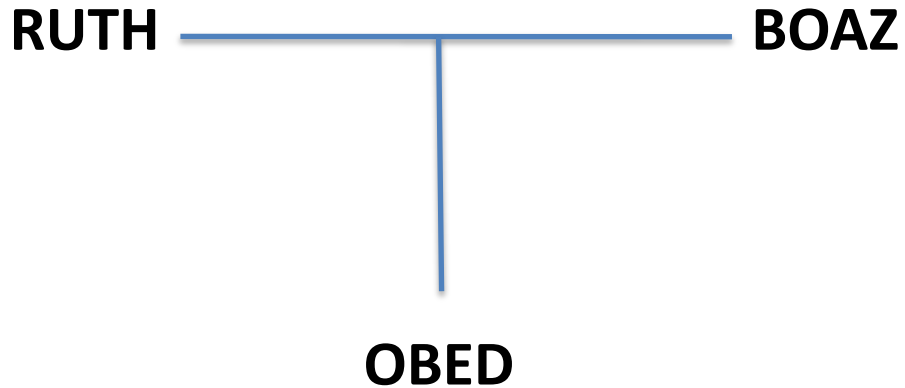
DEUT 25:5 – 10

NEAREST KIN

MARK 12:9 - 23

KINSMAN

NAOMI



“Then the women said to Naomi, “Blessed be the Lord who has not left you this day without next of kin; and may his name be renowned in Israel! He shall be to you a restorer of life and a nourisher of your old age; for your daughter-in-law who loves you who is more to you than seven sons, has borne him.”

Ruth 4:14 - 15

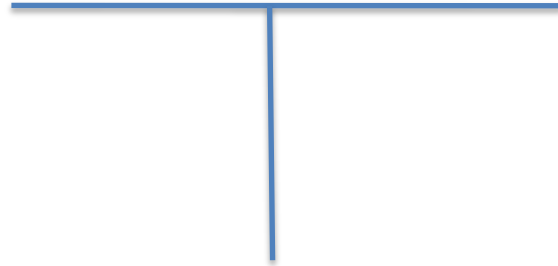
NAOMI

RUTH

BOAZ

OBED

HE WHO SERVES



“MAY THE LORD DEAL **KINDLY** WITH YOU, AS YOU HAVE DEALT **KINDLY** WITH THE DEAD AND WITH ME.”

RUTH 1:8

“YOU ARE MOST GRACIOUS TO ME, MY LORD, FOR YOU HAVE COMFORTED ME AND SPOKEN **KINDLY** WITH YOUR MAIDSERVANT, THOUGH I AM NOT ONE OF YOUR MAIDSERVANTS.”

RUTH 2:13

“BLESSED BE HE BY THE LORD, WHOSE **KINDNESS** HAS NOT FORSAKEN THE LIVING OR THE DEAD.”

RUTH 2:20

“MAY YOU BE BLESSED BY THE LORD, MY DAUGHTER, YOU HAVE MADE THIS LAST **KINDNESS** GREATER THAN THE FIRST, IN THAT YOU HAVE NOT GONE AFTER YOUNG MEN, WHETHER POOR OR RICH.”

RUTH 3:10

HESED

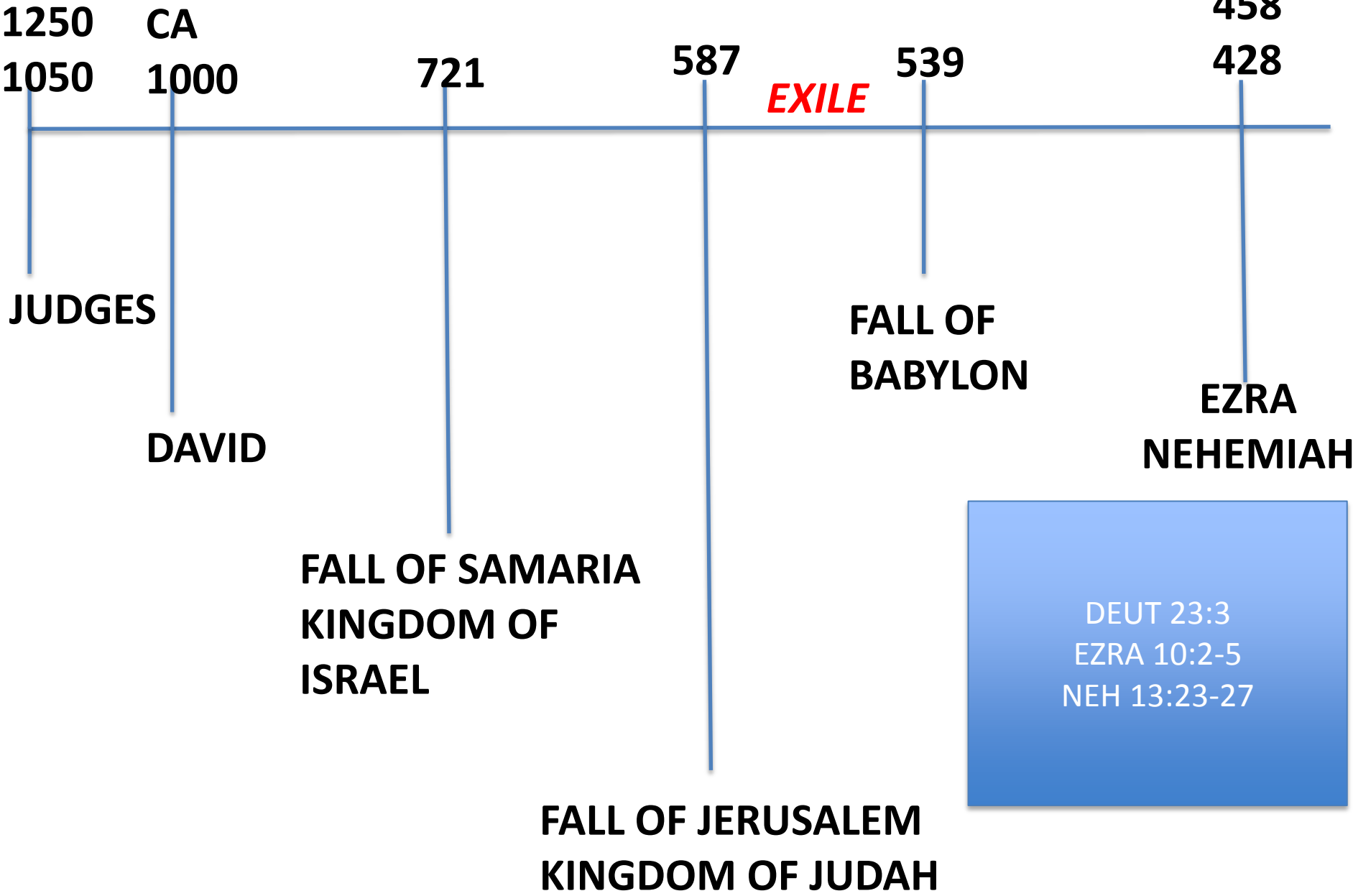
LOVING KINDNESS

STEADFAST LOVE

LOYALTY

FAITHFULNESS

GOD'S RELATIONSHIP TO ISRAEL



NAOMI

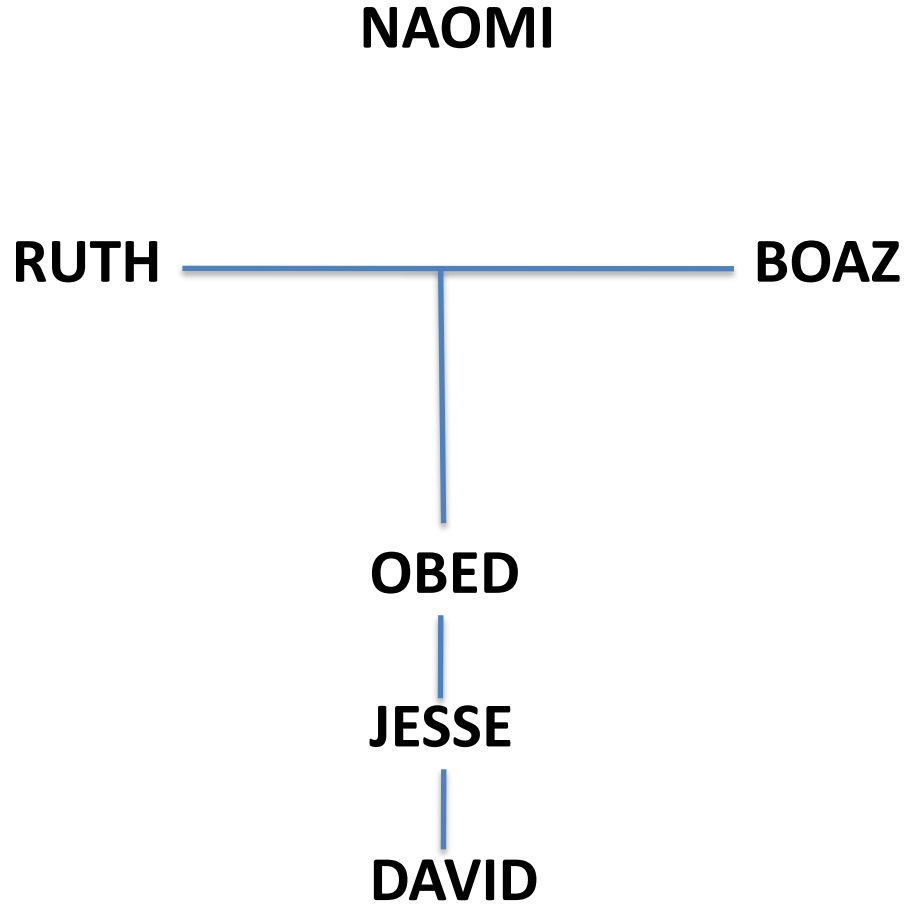
RUTH

BOAZ

OBED

JESSE

DAVID



NAOMI

RUTH

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BOOK OF RUTH

HESED

REDEMPTION

MOABITE, FOREIGNER, SOJOURNER

RADICAL INCLUSIVENESS