

Ruth

To Be, or Not To Be, Christian?

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What if becoming a healthy human involves living into the fact that you're both an "I" and a "we"?

Ruth 4v17-21

17 The women of the neighbourhood gave him a name, saying, 'A son has been born to Naomi.' They named him Obed; he became the father of Jesse, the father of David.

18 Now these are the descendants of Perez: Perez became the father of Hezron, 19 Hezron of Ram, Ram of Amminadab, 20 Amminadab of Nahshon, Nahshon of Salmon, 21 Salmon of Boaz, Boaz of Obed, 22 Obed of Jesse, and Jesse of David.

What if Ruth can help us see the value of both?

Famous People

...but known by God.

An ugly blanket...

A New Creation people!

An I and a we.

Identifying as "Christian"??

A nobody from nowhere...

Matthew 1v1-6

1 An account of the genealogy of Jesus the Messiah, the son of David, the son of Abraham.

2 Abraham was the father of Isaac, and Isaac the father of Jacob, and Jacob the father of Judah and his brothers, 3 and Judah the father of Perez and Zerah by Tamar, and Perez the father of Hezron, and Hezron the father of Aram, 4 and Aram the father of Aminadab, and Aminadab the father of Nahshon, and Nahshon the father of Salmon, 5 and Salmon the father of Boaz by Rahab, and Boaz the father of Obed by Ruth, and Obed the father of Jesse, 6 and Jesse the father of King David.

Matthew 1v16

16 and Jacob the father of Joseph the husband of Mary, of whom Jesus was born, who is called the Messiah.

Hebrews 11v1-12v4

Songs: Tremble, Be Thou My Vision, We Will Feast in the House of Zion, Holy Forever, Blessed Assurance

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