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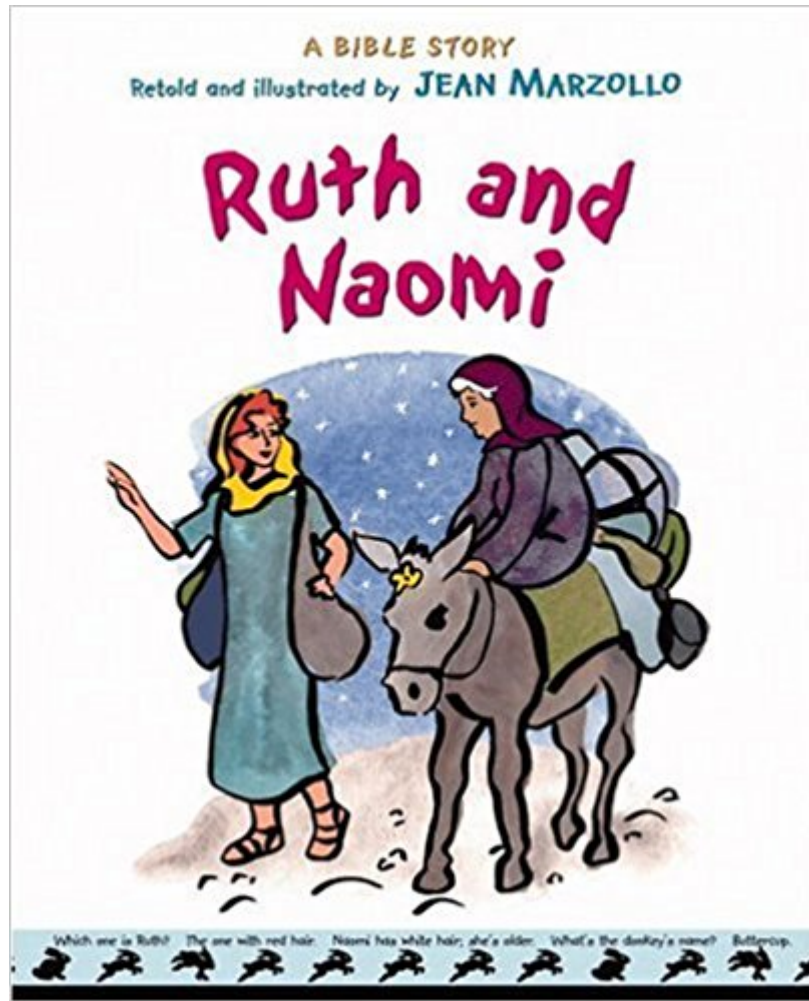
Ruth And Naomi

Synopsis

nother Bible story vividly and refreshingly retold by Jean Marzollo introduces the widowed Ruth, who remains loyal to her mother-in-law Naomi, travels to a new city, and finally finds comfort and joy with farmer Boaz. This hopeful story of courage and loyalty shows how happiness can come about in unexpected ways. Vibrant illustrations accompany the moving story, and small rabbit characters at the bottom of each page offer lively commentary.

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Age Range: 1 - 10 years

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Customer Reviews

PreSchool-Grade 3 Ã¢â ¬â œThis abbreviated retelling of the experiences of two widows, Ruth and her mother-in-law, Naomi, highlights the key events from the Old Testament story. The women travel from Moab to Bethlehem, where Naomi was born. Although Ruth is concerned that she will not be welcome, Boaz, a wealthy farmer, treats her kindly. Ruth's loyalty and devotion to Naomi are rewarded when she attracts Boaz's attention and he proposes marriage. The story concludes with the birth of her first child, the ancestor of David, King of Israel. This simple tale explores themes of loyalty and sacrifice, and also provides an interesting look at the farming customs of biblical times. Dialogue and a harvest song supplement the text. Painted in watercolor and Chinese ink and then finished in Adobe Photoshop, the cartoon illustrations are bright and expressive, further illuminating the message of this beloved parable. A border featuring rabbit silhouettes appears along the bottom

of each page with sentences that highlight important points of the story. Although the spreads are a bit cluttered, the dialogue moves the narrative along, and the rabbits' commentary provides a touch of humor and encourages readers to think about the moral issues addressed here. A fine addition to Marzollo's well-received series of Bible stories.Ã¢â ¬â œLinda L. Walkins, Mount Saint Joseph Academy, Brighton, MA Copyright Ã Â© Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved.

Jean Marzollo is the author of over one hundred books, including the best-selling, award-winning I SPY books (with photographs by Walter Wick).

I was looking for a much more true approach to this wonderful story of Ruth and Naomi. I was very disappointed.

RUTH AND NAOMI is one of a five-book series at present of Bible stories written by Jean Marzollo, creator of the I Spy series of books children love. This book tells the story of Ruth and Naomi in a simple version for young kids ages 4-10, using bright, colorful pictures to add to the story's interest. Little bunnies hop along throughout the story's pages adding their own little comments also. Highly recommended.

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