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1. When is a time you struggled with bitterness like Naomi?
2. What were some blessings from God that you may have overlooked at that time?
3. Why do you think God loves to care for people through other people?
4. Can you think of any less obvious ways God uses people to care for others in need?
5. Why does it matter that Ruth was a foreigner in Israel? How does this impact your perspective on Boaz?

Genesis 50:20

You intended to harm me, but God intended it all for good. He brought me to this position so I could save the lives of many people.

6. Think through some challenging situations from your past or present and how God has redeemed them or how you hope He will redeem them. Share if you are comfortable doing so.
7. Write a prayer to God about one of these three ideas:
 - a. Bitterness to be confessed
 - b. Opportunities to be God's care for others in need
 - c. Difficult situations to be redeemed