



PART 3: Ditch The Comfort Zone

There is a voice that quietly says, "Stay safe! Stay comfortable. The status quo is good enough."
It may be time for you to become comfortable embracing the discomfort.

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SCRIPTURE

MAIN TEXT: [Ruth 2:21-3:18](#)

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THINK

- Share about one of your favorite comfort items that you know is a little ridiculous, but you still can't live without it.
- We often feel an instinctive urge to resist discomfort from others or situations. Why do you think this is?
- READ [RUTH 3:9](#) → What Ruth asks Boaz was filled with discomfort. It was practical, a request for protection, and a proposal. Imagine yourself in the roles of Ruth and Boaz. What layers of discomfort are present in this moment?
- READ [RUTH 3:10](#) → Boaz responds to Ruth with immense love and respect, emphasizing the "**hesed**" (kindness) he observes in her. Hesed reveals God's faithful, compassionate, unconditional, and unwavering love. In the context of the world we live in, what makes this type of kindness stand out?

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ENGAGE

- **Ditch The Comfort Zone** → What faith-filled step is God calling you to take that is filled with discomfort? Step into the discomfort.
- **Ditch The Comfort Zone** → God has called us to fear Him, obey Him, and serve Him. The two ways we can prioritize Him in our lives are through our **time** and our **treasure**. What step can you take in these two areas to keep Him as your number one priority?

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PRAY

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