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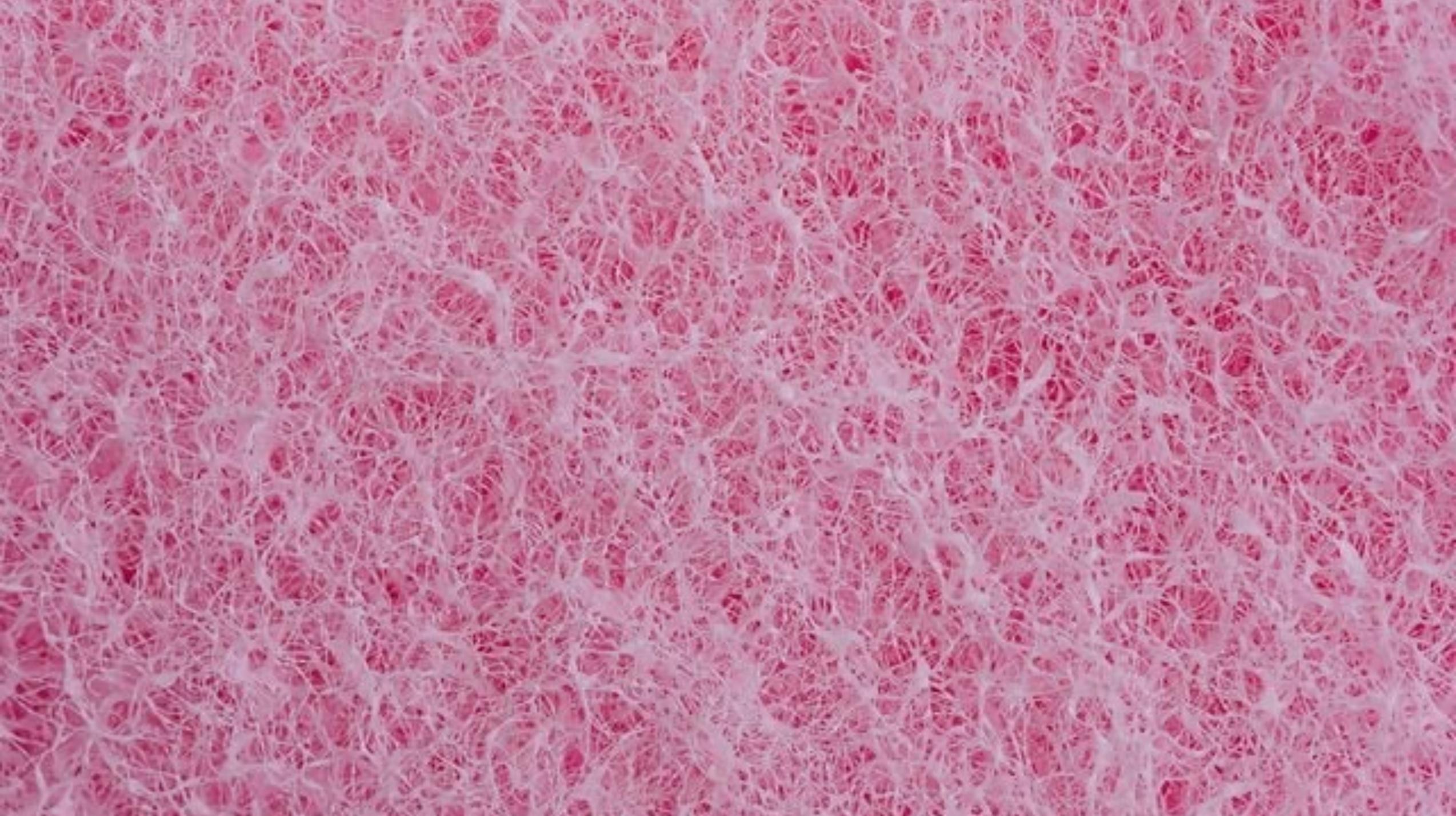


















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# Ruth

## Naomi and Ruth

1 In the days when the judges ruled, a famine came over the land, and a man from Bethlehem in Judah, together with his wife and two sons, went to live for a while in the country of Moab. 2 The man's name was Elimelech, and his wife's name was Naomi; and he had two sons, Mahlon and Chilion, who were from Bethlehem in Judah. 3 They went to Moab and lived there for some time.

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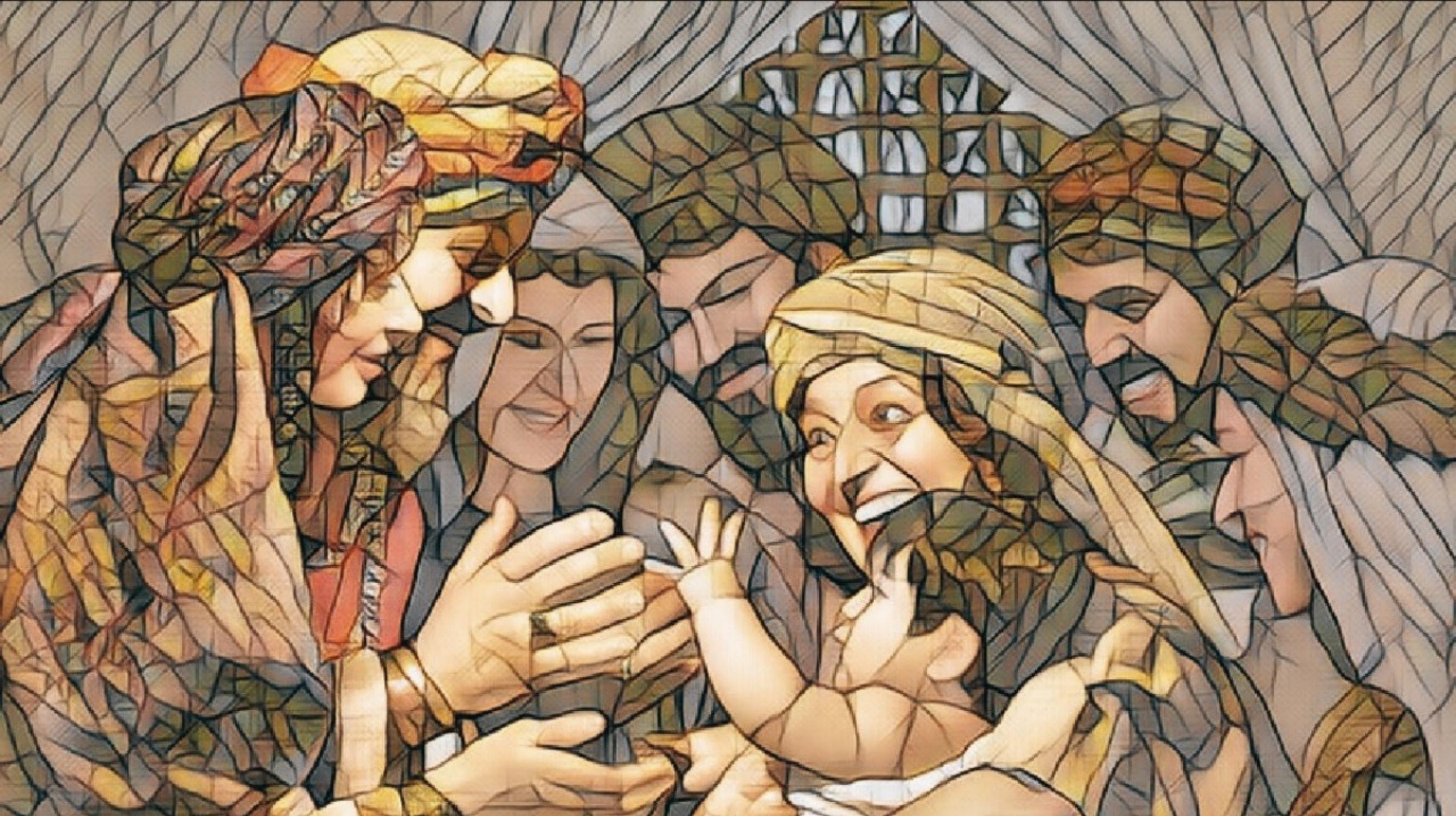
16 But Ruth replied, "Don't urge me to leave you or to turn back from you; where you go I will go, and where you stay I will stay. Your people will be my people and your God my God. 17 Where you die, and there I will be buried. May the LORD deal with me, be it ever so harsh, if I do not do everything you say. 18 When Naomi realized that Ruth had determined to go with her, she stopped



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Ruth 4:1-22





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## Paul, Titus 2:11-14 NIV

<sup>11</sup> For the grace of God has appeared that offers **salvation to all people**. <sup>12</sup> It teaches us to say “No” to ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright and godly lives in this present age, <sup>13</sup> while we wait for the blessed hope—the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, <sup>14</sup> who **gave himself for us to redeem us** from all wickedness and to purify for himself a people that are his very own, eager to do what is good.

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