

*"So Boaz took Ruth, and she was his wife: and when he went in unto her, **The LORD Gave Her Conception**, and she bare a son." Ruth 4:13 KJV*



Ruth the Moabitess was the mother of Obed, grandmother of Jesse, and great-grandmother of king David, the ancestry and lineage of Christ. She was given this honor, because of her faith. God is *"a Rewarder of them that diligently seek Him."* The fertile womb is a gift from God! In the truest sense of Eden's Blessing, *"God Blessed them, and God Said unto them, 'Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth,'" God's Commands ARE His Blessings. What God Commands, God Enables! A child is the epitome of man and wife becoming one. "And they twain shall be one flesh."* Each child contains the complete DNA of its mother AND its father. We are given, by God, the sober responsibility of creating new life. It is the melding of the very essence of two individuals. It cannot be done without a man and a woman! It is another unique being crafted in the mind of God, in the image of God. There is never more than one of anyone, even twins, and reproduction doesn't end at birth! *"And thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might. And these Words, which I Command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up."* All the complexity of the biological process was perfectly engineered at creation. Man was given the gift of being the first to produce a child. God did not create a child until He placed the Christ child in the womb of Mary, and there was no melding of heavenly DNA with earthly! All the flesh that was Jesus was created in the pristine Holiness of God's Word and placed intact in a sinner's womb for nourishment and growth. Mary was a chosen vessel and only by virtue of God's Choice could she become *"Blessed among women."* The biological process was performed in the Heavenlies and nurtured in the earthly. Adam was the son of God by virtue of having no biological human parents. *"Adam, which was the son of God."* (Lk.3:38) Jesus had no biological human parents or He could not be sinless, the *"Last Adam. And the angel answered and said unto [Mary], 'The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the Power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that Holy Thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God.'" (Lk.1:35)* Human conception occurs only by God's direction. Abortion, the murder of innocents, goes beyond the atrocity itself. It actually grinds underfoot a precious, unique gift from the Creator. It is tantamount to the rejecting of the gift of Eternal Life. When innocence is murdered not only is a body destroyed, but a soul is cut off from among men. Who can determine the worth of a soul? If I may, direct your thoughts to the value that God placed on it. *"For God so Loved the world, that He Gave His Only Begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have Everlasting Life."* Torture and death were not too high a price for the Almighty to pay for your soul! God's Precious Gift of Life is trampled to death, daily, by a selfish multitude concerned only with pleasure; spurned by the wicked who will certainly perish lest they repent!

A precious gift from God above,
A life unique from act of love,
A soul, on loan from Heaven's light,
To be enriched with Truth and right. –CGP

Satan has convinced the Godless a new life is simply a cumbersome chain restraining the soul from pleasure, and must be shed to continue the pursuit of self-gratification. There is nothing more rewarding than the unfeigned love of a little child or the gratitude of a nurtured life, and nothing more eternal than a soul!

"Lo, children are an Heritage of the LORD: and the fruit of the womb is His Reward. As arrows are in the hand of a mighty man; so are children of the youth. Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them: they shall not be ashamed, but they shall speak with the enemies in the gate." Psalms 127:3-5 KJV