

Sunday Celebration

Gathering

"Home"

*Worship Songs

"Forever Reign"

"10,000 Reasons"

Joys & Prayers

Offering & Tithe

Offering Song

"Kindness"

Scripture

Ruth 1:1-5; 8-12

Message

"Going It Alone"

Jack D. Cohen

*Response/Prayer Time

"Trust in You"

*Closing



We hope that the worship service today has helped you know & grow closer to the Lord. If you are visiting or have further questions & comments please fill out the Response Card so we can connect with you.

Haven Community Church

May 14, 2017

Mother's Day

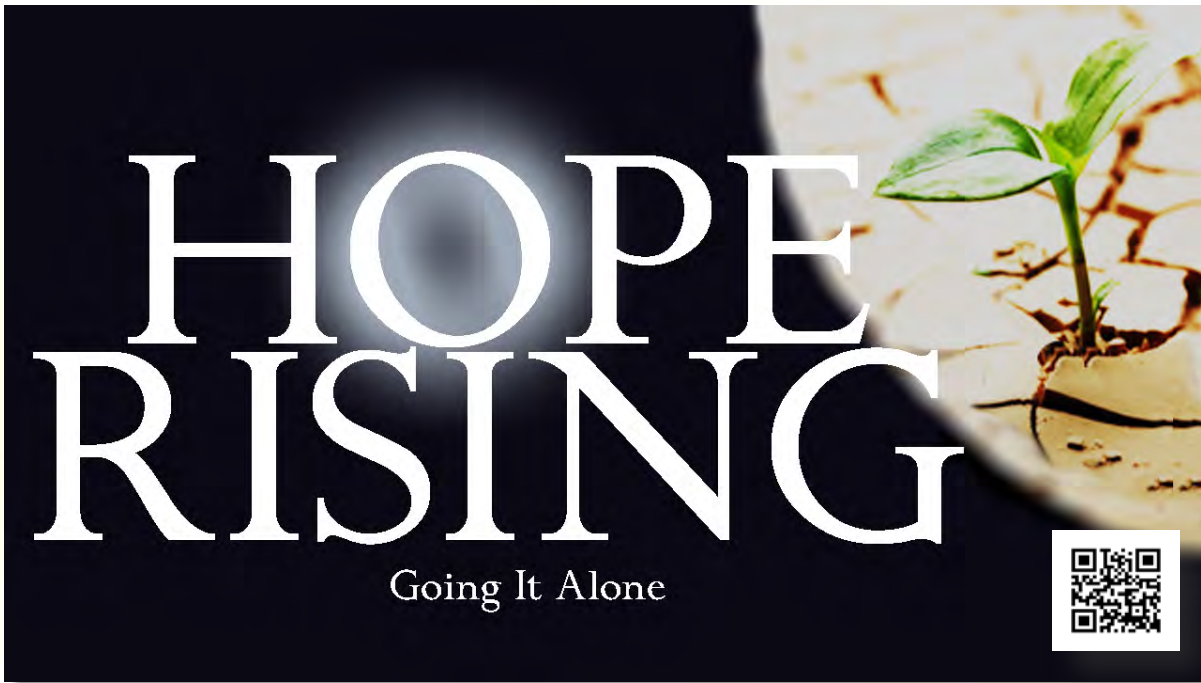
Where flowers bloom
so does

hope



"Hope has two beautiful daughters. Their names are anger and courage; anger at the way things are, and courage to see that they do not remain the way they are."

— Augustine of Hippo



3 MAIN CHARACTERS

- _____:
- _____:
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TYPES WHO GO IT ALONE

- 1) Those who have _____
- 2) Those who experienced _____
- 3) Those who _____

CHALLENGES OF GOING IT ALONE

“Go back to your mothers’ homes instead of coming with me....May the Lord bless you with the security of another marriage.”
 – Ruth 1:8-9 (NLT)

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“I will go wherever you go and live wherever you live. Your people will be my people, and your God will be my God. I will die where you die and will be buried there. May the Lord punish me severely if I allow anything but death to separate us!”
 – Ruth 1:16 (NLT)

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- **Your** _____ **&** _____

“Let me go out into the harvest fields to pick up the stalks of grain left behind by anyone who is kind enough to let me do it. “Naomi replied, “All right, my daughter, go ahead.” So, Ruth went out to gather grain behind the harvesters.”
 – Ruth 2:2-3 (NLT)

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“Then Boaz asked his foreman (and I quote), ‘Who is that girl over there?’”
 – Ruth 2:5 (NLT)

“Suddenly, around midnight, he wakened and sat up, startled. There was a woman lying at his feet! ‘Who are you?’ he demanded). ‘It’s I, sir--Ruth,’ she replied. ‘Make me your wife according to God’s law, for you are my close relative.’ ‘Thank God for a girl like you!’ he exclaimed.... ‘Now don’t worry about a thing, my child; I’ll handle all the details, for everyone knows what a wonderful person”
 – Ruth 3:8-11 (LB)

HOPE RISING WHEN GOING IT ALONE

- 1) **Be** _____ **while you grieve**
- 2) **Don’t go it** _____

“Wherever you go I will go. Wherever you live I will live. I’m not going to let you or myself go it alone.”
 – Ruth 1:16

- 3) **Learn to be** _____

“I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation.....I can do everything through him (Christ) who gives me strength.”
 – Philippians 4:12-13