

A Tale of Three Women (Naomi, Orpah and Ruth)

easy piano

The familiar story of the devotion expressed by Naomi and her daughters-in-law, Orpah and Ruth.

Lyrics by Clark Saunders

Music by Craig Cassils

Gently with rubato ♩ = 96

Piano

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1. Na - o - mi and her hus - band moved to a far - off land. And
2. The wo - men cried to - geth - er. How could they bear to part? When

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B^b C B^b/D C/E F B^b/D C

there they raised two sons who grew un - til each one be - came a man. These
Or - pah fin - 'lly said good - bye, she said it with a hea - vy heart. But

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Gm7 C7 F B^b C B^b/D C/E

broth - ers both got mar - ried, one to Or - pah, one to Ruth. But
Ruth clung to Na - o - mi. She re - fused to stay be - hind. Na -

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12 B $\flat$ C Gm7 C

then all three men died, — leav - ing wi - dows, two still in their youth.
o - mi turned to go. — In that mo - ment Ruth made up her mind.

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16 Gm7 C Gm7

And then Na - o - mi turned to Or - pah and to Ruth. "There's noth - ing here for me," she said,
And then she gent - ly looked Na - o - mi in the eye. "Wher - ev - er you may go," she said,

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20 C7 F B $\flat$ F/A

"so I must leave you you and go back to my coun - try. May
"I will go with you. And I will ne - ver leave you. Your

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23 B $\flat$ F/A B $\flat$ C7 F^{1.}

God deal with you kind - ly as you have dealt with me."
peo - ple will be mine, and your God will be my

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26 ^{2.} F Gm7 C7 F

God." "Wher - ev - er you may go," she said, "I will go with you. Not

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30 B^b F/A B^b F/A B^b *rit.* C7

ev - en death will part us. I say it from my heart: Your God will be my

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33 Dm G Gm7 *slowly* C7 F

God. Your God will be my God."

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slowly

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