The Bride Of Jesus

Part 1



Scriptures

• Revelation 19:7-10

⁴⁷Let us rejoice and be glad and give the glory to Him, for the marriage of the Lamb has come and His bride has made herself ready." ⁸It was given to her to clothe herself in fine linen, bright *and* clean; for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints. ⁹Then he said to me, "Write, Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb." And he said to me, "These are true words of God." ¹⁰Then I fell at his feet to worship him. But he said to me, "Do not do that; I am a fellow servant of yours and your brethren who hold the testimony of Jesus; worship God. For the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy."

• Song of Songs 1:4

⁴"Draw me after you *and* let us run *together!* The king has brought me into his chambers. We will rejoice in you and be glad; We will extol your love more than wine. Rightly do they love you."

• John 11:35

³⁵Jesus wept.

• Matthew 25:45

⁴⁵Then He will answer them, 'Truly I say to you, to the extent that you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to Me.'

• Revelation 7:15

¹⁵For this reason, they are before the throne of God; and they serve Him day and night in His temple; and He who sits on the throne will spread His tabernacle over them.'

• Genesis 1:27

²⁷God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.'

• Genesis 1:31

⁶³¹God saw all that He had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.'

Hebrews 1:9

'9"You have loved righteousness and hated lawlessness; Therefore God, Your God, has anointed You With the oil of gladness above Your companions."'

Other Scriptures

- Song of Songs 1:8 & 15, 4: 1 & 7, 5:9, 6:4, 7:6
- Song of Songs 6:9
- Song of Songs 1:5-6
- Song of Songs 6:5

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Main Points

- The Song of Songs reveals the emotions of the LORD
 - o God is an emotional God
 - The reason that we have the capacity to experience emotion is because the God that created us is emotional
 - We are created in His image
 - We can experience Him emotionally
- God is also the most humble and sensitive being in the universe
 - o He has voluntarily placed Himself in a position that He can be affected by us
 - He chooses to allow us to be either hurt or wounded by us, or to be blessed and experience great joy because of how you and I respond to Him and love Him
- Jesus is calling us to partner with Him!
 - o We are the bride of Jesus
 - o Jesus died so He could marry us and He wants us to respond with passion
- In Song of Songs, we gain an understanding of the emotional nature of God
 - We are not ruled by emotions or feelings, but we cannot exclude them from our lives altogether
- No matter how we view ourselves, Jesus calls us "Most Beautiful!"

1. What does it mean to say that beauty is in the heart of the beholder?

- o Beauty is in the heart of the beholder
- o We are created in His Image

Discussion Questions

2.	Discuss the depth of knowing that you affect God emotionally.

- 3. How does the Song of Songs reveal to us the emotional nature of God?
- 4. Why can't we disregard our emotions at all times?