

Song of Songs

Journeying into Divine Love

Part 12 Song of Songs 2: 6-7



Scriptures

- **Song of Songs 2:6-7:**
6“Let his left hand be under my head
And his right hand embrace me.”
7 “I adjure you, O daughters of Jerusalem,
By the gazelles or by the hinds of the field,
That you do not arouse or awaken *my* love
Until she pleases.”
- **Matthew 9:15:** And Jesus said to them, “The attendants of the bridegroom cannot mourn as long as the bridegroom is with them, can they? But the days will come when the bridegroom is taken away from them, and then they will fast.
- **Isaiah 45:5:** “I am the LORD, and there is no other; besides Me there is no God. I will gird you, though you have not known Me.
- **Matthew 25:1-13:** *Parable of the Ten Virgins*
- **John 3:29:** He who has the bride is the bridegroom; but the friend of the bridegroom, who stands and hears him, rejoices greatly because of the bridegroom’s voice. So this joy of mine has been made full.
- **Revelation 19:7-9:** Let 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." It was given to her to clothe herself in fine linen, bright and clean; for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints. Then 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."
- **Ephesians 5:31-32:** *For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and shall be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.* This mystery is great; but I am speaking with reference to Christ and the church.

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Main Points

- Jesus said in Matthew that when He was gone, they would fast. This is connected to the “lovesick” state that the Bride found herself in (2:6).
- The left hand represents the unseen activity of God in the Bride’s life. Jesus does so many unseen things in our lives to encourage, protect and shepherd us on our journey.
- The right hand represents the visible or apparent activity of God in the Bride’s life.
- In verses 5-6 the Bride is going through a season in which the LORD is doing a special thing in her life and she is filled with emotion in response.
- The Daughters of Jerusalem are less mature believers that are not able to discern the deeper things of God; they do not understand the bridal paradigm.
- In Verse 7, the Holy Spirit is communicating to less mature believers the importance of not disturbing the Bride when she God is working in her life in a special way. Similarly, when we know God is doing a deep work in our lives, we need to give him time and place and resist distraction.

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Discussion Questions

1. Discuss the prophetic meaning of the left and right hand in verse 6. Share specific ways you have seen the “right hand” operating in your life.
2. Have you ever become aware after the fact of God’s silent, unseen activity or “left hand?” Discuss with the rest of the group.
3. Why is it important to not disturb someone when Jesus is doing a deep work in their life?
4. How can you “not awaken love until it pleases” in your own life when you realize Jesus is taking you through a season of deeper internal workings?
5. Finish the by thanking Jesus for those things you discussed in numbers 1 and 2 above.