Kiev, Ukraine - **Draw Me After You!**

What is God Looking for?

**Scriptures**

- Song of Songs 2:3, 8, 10-11, 13; 3:1, 4; 4:1, 7

> 3“Like an apple tree among the trees of the forest, so is my beloved among the young men. In his shade I took great delight and sat down, and his fruit was sweet to my taste.”

> 8“Listen! My beloved”

> 10“My beloved responded and said to me, ‘Arise, my darling, my beautiful one, and come along. For behold, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone.

> 13Arise, my darling, my beautiful one, and come along!

> 17Until the cool of the day when the shadows flee away, turn my beloved, and be like a gazelle or a young stag on the mountains of Bether.’”

> 3:1 On my bed night after night I sought him Whom my soul loves; I sought him but did not find him.

> 4…’When I found him whom my soul loves; I held on to him and would not let him go”...until I had brought him to my mother’s house, and into the room of her who conceived me.”

> 4:1“How beautiful you are, my darling, how beautiful you are!” 7“You are altogether beautiful, my darling, and there is no blemish in you.”

**Other Scriptures**

- Genesis 5:24
- 2 Corinthians 11:12
- Matthew 7:22

**Main Points**

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- The Shulamite bride’s journey is a type of our journey.
- The word separation in English is transliterated Bether in Hebrew.
If we deliberately refuse to obey God, it will break our fellowship with Him.

It’s painful to obey God, but it is more painful to disobey and lose fellowship.

The Shulamite bride brought him into the most intimate places in her life.

When we chose to put Him first, when we chose to love Him, it moves His heart.

God has voluntarily placed Himself in a position where He can be moved by us.

We can either grieve God and make Him weep or fill Him up with exceeding joy.

Is there something in your life that you are putting above your desire to know God?

Questions

1. What was the experience of the Shulamite as she lay under the apple tree, Yeshua? Have you ever experienced this call away from one season to another by Yeshua?

2. What happens when we delay obedience in any one particular area that Yeshua is specifically highlights in our lives?

3. Write about an area that Jesus may be speaking to you about today that will take you to Bether, or that place of separation.

4. Do we all experience this in our journey into Divine Love? Who suffers when we fall into this separation from Yeshua? What did the Shulamite learn from this time? Is restoration possible?

5. What ultimately moves the heart of Father God? Why is this an amazing concept—that God allows Himself to be moved by our choice of Him?

6. Is there a block in your life that is higher and greater than your love for God?