

<u>Scripture</u>

• Song of Solomon 1:5

"I am black but lovely. O daughters of Jerusalem, Like the tents of Dedar, like the curtains of Solamon. Do not stare at me because I am swarthy, for the sun has burned me. My mother's sons were angry with me; They made me caretaker of the vineyards..." Tell me, O you whom my soul loves, where do you pasture your flock, where do you make it lie down at noon? For why should I be like one who veils herself beside the flocks of your companions?" "If you yourself do not know, most beautiful among women, go forth on the trail of the flock and pasture your young goats by the tents of the shepherds.¹²While the king was at his table, my perfume gave forth its fragrance.

• Song of Solomon 2:1-4

"I am the rose of Sharon, the lily of the valleys. Like a lily among the thorns, so is my darling among the maidens. 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. He has brought me to his banquet hall, and his banner over me is love.

Other Scriptures

- Acts 20:35
- John 21:15-17

Main Points

- We need to be in fellowship with the rest of God's children.
- Seek out a community.
- God created us to give.
- We need to have God-confidence.
- There is a banner of love over your life.

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Questions

1. When we are feeling disconnected from God, what should we do?

- 2. Is true spirituality meant to be lived alone? Write about this.
- 3. The person who is richest is the person that ______. Write about this.
- **4.** How can we be a shepherd if we are not a pastor? Has God revealed a person to you that this might apply?

5. How does being loved completely make us act and look differently?