

## <u>Scripture</u>

#### Song of Solomon 4:7,9

You are altogether beautiful, my darling, and there is no blemish in you. You have made my heart beat faster, my sister, my bride, you have made my heart beat faster with a single glance of your eyes, with a single strand of your necklace. How beautiful is your love, my sister, my bride! How much better is your love than wine. A garden locked is my sister, my bride. A rock garden locked, a spring sealed up.

#### • John 15:13 Greater love has no one than this, that one lay down his life for his friends.

• **<u>Psalm 103:1</u>** Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name.

## Other Scriptures

- Song of Songs 1:1; 4:1-7
- Ephesians 1:4
- Luke 15:10
- Isaiah 63:10
- Psalm 103:2-5
- Matthew 22:22-30
- Romans 11:36; 12:1
- I Peter 2:9
- John 15:19
- James 4:4

# Main Points

- You can make God's heart, beat faster.
- God *feels* what you *feel*.
- Peace unto you in Hebrew is Shalom Aleichem
- John 20:21-22; Revelation 3:20
- You and I, ultimately, exist for His purposes alone.
- Everything in our lives should be filtered by asking, "Father, is this pleasing to you?"

### Discussion Questions

- 1. What are some false identities from which we must receive freedom? Is there a false identity you wrestle with? Write about this.
- 2. How would really embracing that God is attracted to you change your life? Rabbi shared that we could make God's heart, beat faster. What does this mean? What is required of our lives to do this?
- 3. Why do we ultimately exist? How will this evidence itself in eternity concerning earthly relationships such as marriage?
- 4. What are our 3 roles as priests? How do we do these things with our 21<sup>st</sup> Century lives?
- 5. With what should we filter the things we allow in our lives?

6. Are you living your life as a locked rock garden and sealed spring? Write about an area of your life that may need some attention and what may need to be changed to cause you to be holy as He is holy.