

Song of Solomon (1-13-13)

Song of Solomon Series

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TEXT: Song of Solomon 2:6 His left hand is under my head, and his right hand doth embrace me.

7 **I charge you**, O ye daughters of Jerusalem, by the roes, and by the hinds of the field, that ye stir not up, nor awake my love, till he please.

15 Take us the foxes, the little foxes, that spoil the vines: for our vines have tender grapes.

Song of Solomon 8:3 His left hand should be under my head, and his right hand should embrace me.

4 I charge you, O daughters of Jerusalem, that ye stir not up, nor awake my love, until he please.

"If the wife cannot make her home bright and happy, so that it shall be the cleanest, sweetest, cheerfulest place that her husband can find refuge in - a retreat from the toils and troubles of the outer world - then God help the poor man, for he is virtually homeless."

(Edward John Hardy, *How to be Happy Though Married*, 1886)

"The code 'women and children first' went down with the Titanic 100 years ago, says a new study." (*Discovery News*).

Luke 7:23 And blessed is he, whosoever shall not be offended in me.

2 Timothy 1:15 This thou knowest, that all they which are in Asia be turned away from me...

4:10...Demas hath forsaken me...

11 Only Luke is with me...

Proverbs 25:23 The north wind driveth away rain: so doth an angry countenance a backbiting tongue.

24 It is better to dwell in the corner of the housetop, than with a brawling woman and in a wide house.

Proverbs 26:20 Where no wood is, there the fire goeth out: so where there is no talebearer, the strife ceaseth.

Proverbs 16:28 A froward man soweth strife: and a whisperer separateth chief friends.

Psalms 57:7 My heart is fixed, O God, my heart is fixed...

Proverbs 18:24 A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly: and there is a friend that **sticketh** closer than a brother.

“Does Facebook wreck marriages...lawyers say the social network contributes to an increasing number of marriage breakups...More than a third of divorce filings last year contained the word ‘Facebook’...And more than 80% of U.S. divorce attorneys say they've seen a rise in the number of cases involving social networking...‘I see Facebook issues breaking up marriages all the time,’ says Gary Traystman, a divorce attorney in New London, Conn...‘Happily ever after’ less likely for married couples on Facebook...” (<http://money.msn.com>, 2012)

John 14:23 Jesus answered and said unto him, If a man love me, he will keep my words: **and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.**

Ephesians 4:30 And **grieve not** the holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are sealed unto the day of redemption.

"Our care must be that we do nothing to provoke Him to withdraw and to hide His face, that we carefully watch over our own hearts and suppress every thought that may grieve His good Spirit. Let those that have comfort be afraid of sinning it away."

(Matthew Henry)

"...nor can the church bear it that Christ should ever be offended, or that her sweet fellowship with Him should be interrupted."

(Poole)

Song of Solomon 2:15 Take us the foxes, **the little** foxes, that spoil the vines: for our vines have tender grapes.

Song of Solomon 5:9 What is thy beloved more than another beloved, O thou fairest among women? what is thy beloved more than another beloved, that thou dost so charge us?

Song of Solomon 6:1 Whither is thy beloved gone, O thou fairest among women?...

2 Peter 3:3 Knowing this first, that there shall come in the last days scoffers, walking after their own lusts,

4 And saying, Where is the promise of his coming? for since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as they were from the beginning of **the creation.**

Mark 3:21 And when **his friends** heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, **He is beside himself.**

32 And the multitude sat about him, and they said unto him, Behold, thy mother and thy brethren without seek for thee.

33 And he answered them, saying, Who is my mother, or my brethren?

34 And he looked round about on them which sat about him, and said, Behold my mother and my brethren!

35 For whosoever shall do the will of God, the same is my brother, and my sister, and mother.

Matthew 25:8 And the foolish said unto the wise, **Give us of your oil;** for our lamps are gone out.

9 But the wise answered, saying, **Not so;** lest there be not enough for us and you: but go ye rather to them that sell, and buy for yourselves.

10 And while they went to buy, the bridegroom came; and they that were ready went in with him to the marriage: and the door was shut.

Genesis 24:55 And **her brother and her mother** said, Let the damsel abide with us a few days, at the least ten; after that she shall go.

56 And **he said unto them, Hinder me not,** seeing the LORD hath prospered my way...

"Good-will: 'But how is it that you came alone?' Christian: '...some of my Neighbors stood crying and calling after me to return; but I put my fingers in my ears, and so came on my way...when they saw that they could not prevail, Obstinate went railing back...'"

(Pilgrim's Progress)

Matthew 16:22 Then Peter took him, and began to rebuke him, saying, Be it far from thee, Lord: this shall not be unto thee.

23 But he turned, and said unto Peter, **Get thee behind me, Satan:** thou art an offence unto me: for thou savourest not the things that be of God, but those that be of men.

Luke 14:26 If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple.

Romans 16:17 Now I beseech you, brethren, mark them which **cause divisions and offences** contrary to the doctrine which ye have learned; and avoid them.

And I think it is the teaching of the Bible, to not only mark them - but to warn them ahead of time. Fire some warning shots! Get some *godly jealousy!*:

Proverbs 4:23 Keep thy heart with all diligence...

24 Put away from thee a froward mouth, and perverse lips put far from thee.