

THE ROYAL BRIDE (BIBLICAL BEAUTY)

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Revelation 19:6 And I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunderings, saying, Alleluia: for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth.

7 Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready.

8 And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is <u>the righteousness of saints</u>.
9 And he saith unto me, Write, Blessed are they which are called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb. And he saith unto me, These are the true sayings of God.

TEXT: Psalm 45:11 So shall the king greatly desire thy beauty: for he is thy Lord; and worship thou him. 13 The king's daughter is all glorious within: her clothing is of wrought gold. 14 She shall be brought unto the king in raiment of needlework: the virgins her companions that follow her shall be brought unto thee.

Matthew 22:2 The kingdom of heaven is like unto a certain king, which made a marriage for his son, 3 And sent forth his servants to call them that were bidden to the wedding: and they would not come.

Song of Solomon 4:9 Thou hast ravished my heart, my sister, my spouse; thou hast ravished my heart with one of thine eyes, with one chain of thy neck.

10 How fair is thy love, my sister, my spouse!
how much better is thy love than wine! and the smell of thine ointments than all spices!
12 A garden inclosed is my sister, my spouse; a spring shut up, a fountain sealed.

Matthew 12:50 For whosoever shall do the will of my Father which is in heaven, the same is my brother, and sister, and mother.

"By the term 'sister,' carnal ideas are excluded; the ardor of a spouse's love is combined with the purity of a sister's..." (JFB Commentary)

"Sin has almost deprived us of the capacity even to stand with unshod feet before this burning bush." (Scofield)

"...to show the greatness of his love to her, which is such, as cannot be sufficiently expressed by any one relation, but must borrow the perfections and affections of all to describe it." (Poole)

"So the bridegroom calls his spouse his sister, Song of Solomon 4:9. Thus Livia, the wife of Augustus, is called his sister in ancient coins." (Poole)

"The king's daughter, i.e. the spouse; so called...because the spouse or wife is sometimes called the husband's daughter; partly because she is supposed [in these contexts] to be younger than he; and partly because of that respect and subjection which she oweth to him, and that fatherly care and affection which he oweth to her...."

(Poole)

- Jeremiah 3:1 They say, If a man put away his wife, and she go from him, and become another man's, shall he return unto her again?...yet return again to me, saith the Lord.
- 4 Wilt thou not from this time cry unto me, My father, thou art the guide of my youth?

Proverbs 2:16 To deliver thee from the strange woman, even from the stranger which flattereth with her words; 17 Which forsaketh the guide of her youth, and forgetteth the covenant of her God.

'The husband who didst espouse me, and become my guide in the days of my youth..." (Benson Com.)

""...Hast thou Not from this time called me, My Father, thou art the husband of my youth?" (Barnes)

...guide of...youth - that is, husband..." (JFB Com.)

. Jeremiah 2:2 Go and cry in the ears of Jerusalem, saying, Thus saith the Lord; I remember thee, the kindness of thy youth, the love of thine espousals, when thou wentest after me in the wilderness...

Ezekiel 16:8 Now when I passed by thee, and looked upon thee, behold, thy time was the time of love; and I spread my skirt over thee, and covered thy nakedness: yea, I sware unto thee, and entered into a covenant with thee, saith the Lord GOD, and thou becamest mine.

2 Samuel 12:3 But the poor man had nothing, save one little ewe lamb, which he had bought and nourished up: and it grew up together with him, and with his children; it did eat of his own meat, and drank of his own cup, and lay in his bosom, and was unto him as a daughter.

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1 Peter 3:4 But let it be the hidden man of the heart, in that which is not corruptible, even the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit, which is in the sight of God of great price. **5** For after this manner in the old time the holy women also, who trusted in God, adorned themselves, being in subjection unto their own husbands:

1 Timothy 2:9 In like manner also, that women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with broided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array; **10 But (which becometh women professing**) godliness) with good works.

1 John 3:18 My little children, let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth.

1 Corinthians 11:13 Judge in yourselves: is it comely that a woman pray unto God uncovered? 14 Doth not even nature itself teach you, that, if a man have long hair, it is a shame unto him? 15 But if a woman have long hair, it is a glory to her: for her hair is given her for a covering.

1 Corinthians 11:7...the woman is the glory of the

man.

Proverbs 12:4 A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband: but she that maketh ashamed is as rottenness in his bones.