

THE PASSIONATE BRIDE

THE FATHER WANTS A BRIDE FOR HIS SON

- "LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD AND GIVE THE GLORY TO HIM, FOR THE MARRIAGE OF THE LAMB HAS COME AND HIS BRIDE HAS MADE HERSELF READY." (REV 19:7)
- "FOR YOUR HUSBAND IS YOUR MAKER, WHOSE NAME IS THE LORD OF HOSTS; AND YOUR REDEEMER IS THE HOLY ONE OF ISRAEL, WHO IS CALLED THE GOD OF ALL THE EARTH. (ISA 54:5)
- AND I SAW THE HOLY CITY, NEW JERUSALEM, COMING DOWN OUT OF HEAVEN FROM GOD, MADE READY AS A BRIDE ADORNED FOR HER HUSBAND. (REV 21:2)
- THE SPIRIT AND THE BRIDE SAY, "COME." AND LET THE ONE WHO HEARS SAY, "COME." AND LET THE ONE WHO IS THIRSTY COME; LET THE ONE WHO WISHES TAKE THE WATER OF LIFE WITHOUT COST. (REV 22:17)

- **"THEREFORE, BEHOLD, I WILL ALLURE HER, BRING HER INTO THE WILDERNESS AND SPEAK KINDLY TO HER. "THEN I WILL GIVE HER HER VINEYARDS FROM THERE, AND THE VALLEY OF ACHOR AS A DOOR OF HOPE. AND SHE WILL SING THERE AS IN THE DAYS OF HER YOUTH, AS IN THE DAY WHEN SHE CAME UP FROM THE LAND OF EGYPT. "IT WILL COME ABOUT IN THAT DAY," DECLARES THE LORD, "THAT YOU WILL CALL ME ISHI AND WILL NO LONGER CALL ME BAALI. "FOR I WILL REMOVE THE NAMES OF THE BAALS FROM HER MOUTH, SO THAT THEY WILL BE MENTIONED BY THEIR NAMES NO MORE. "IN THAT DAY I WILL ALSO MAKE A COVENANT FOR THEM WITH THE BEASTS OF THE FIELD, THE BIRDS OF THE SKY AND THE CREEPING THINGS OF THE GROUND. AND I WILL ABOLISH THE BOW, THE SWORD AND WAR FROM THE LAND, AND WILL MAKE THEM LIE DOWN IN SAFETY. "I WILL BETROTH YOU TO ME FOREVER; YES, I WILL BETROTH YOU TO ME IN RIGHTEOUSNESS AND IN JUSTICE, IN LOVINGKINDNESS AND IN COMPASSION, AND I WILL BETROTH YOU TO ME IN FAITHFULNESS. THEN YOU WILL KNOW THE LORD.**

- (HOS 2:14-20)

OUR JOURNEY TO OUR WEDDING

- **1) SLAVE - OBEDIENT CAPTIVE**
- **2) SERVANT - WILLING FRIEND**
- **3) SON - ADOPTED HEIR AND STEWARD OF
OUR INHERITANCE**
- **4) BRIDE - SURRENDERED LOVER**

THE BRIDE

- **FOR THIS REASON A MAN SHALL LEAVE HIS FATHER AND HIS MOTHER, AND BE JOINED TO HIS WIFE; AND THEY SHALL BECOME ONE FLESH.**
- **(GEN 2:24)**
- **THAT THEY MAY ALL BE ONE; EVEN AS YOU, FATHER, ARE IN ME AND I IN YOU, THAT THEY ALSO MAY BE IN US, SO THAT THE WORLD MAY BELIEVE THAT YOU SENT ME. "THE GLORY WHICH YOU HAVE GIVEN ME I HAVE GIVEN TO THEM, THAT THEY MAY BE ONE, JUST AS WE ARE ONE;**
- **(JOH 17:21-22)**