Week Three | Song of Songs

Pastor Kirby - 02/26/2023

Song of Songs 6:8-9

⁸ Sixty queens there may be, and eighty concubines, and virgins beyond number;
⁹ but my dove, my perfect one, is unique, the only daughter of her mother, the favorite of the one who bore her.
The young women saw her and called her blessed;

the queens and concubines praised her.

Song of Songs 2:1-7

She

¹ I am a rose of Sharon, a lily of the valleys.

He

² Like a lily among thorns is my darling among the young women.

She

³Like an apple tree among the trees of the forest is my beloved among the young men.

I delight to sit in his shade, and his fruit is sweet to my taste.

⁴Let him lead me to the banquet hall, and let his banner over me be love.

⁵ Strengthen me with raisins, refresh me with apples, for I am faint with love.

⁶ His left arm is under my head, and his right arm embraces me.

⁷ Daughters of Jerusalem, I charge you by the gazelles and by the does of the field: Do not arouse or awaken love until it so desires.

Ecclesiastes 1:1-11

¹ The words of the Teacher, son of David, king in Jerusalem:

² "Meaningless! Meaningless!" says the Teacher.
"Utterly meaningless!

Everything is meaningless."

³ What do people gain from all their labors at which they toil under the sun?

⁴Generations come and generations go, but the earth remains forever.

⁵ The sun rises and the sun sets, and hurries back to where it rises.

⁶ The wind blows to the south and turns to the north;

round and round it goes,

ever returning on its course.

⁷ All streams flow into the sea, yet the sea is never full.

To the place the streams come from, there they return again.

⁸ All things are wearisome,

more than one can say.

The eye never has enough of seeing, nor the ear its fill of hearing.

⁹ What has been will be again, what has been done will be done again; there is nothing new under the sun.

¹⁰ Is there anything of which one can say, "Look! This is something new"?

It was here already, long ago;

it was here before our time.

¹¹ No one remembers the former generations, and even those yet to come

will not be remembered

by those who follow them.

⁸ The wisdom of the prudent is to give thought to their ways, but the folly of fools is deception.

Proverbs 22:3

³ The prudent see danger and take refuge, but the simple keep going and pay the penalty.

"Are you the person the person you're looking for is looking for?" – '*The New Rules for Love, Sex, and Dating*' by Andy Stanley

Song of Songs 2:7 and 3:5

Daughters of Jerusalem, I charge you by the gazelles and by the does of the field: Do not arouse or awaken love until it so desires.

Song of Songs 8:4

⁴Daughters of Jerusalem, I charge you: Do not arouse or awaken love until it so desires.

Healthy Relational Habits to practice:

- 1. Commitments
- 2. Confront your past.
- 3. Learn to view people the way God does.