## **Selections from...**

## "Song Of All Songs"

(A work in progress)

- 1) Dark But Lovely (SOS 1:5-6)
- 2) Apple Tree (SOS 2:3)
- 3) Lovesick And Longing (SOS 2:4-5)
- 4) Holy Of Holies (SOS 3:4)
- 5) I AM WHO I AM (SOS 4:7)
- 6) Locked Garden (SOS 4:12-16a)
- 7) We Give You Glorious Praise (SOS 6:4)
- 8) Like A Palm Tree (SOS 7:7-8a)
- 9) Your Holy And Anointed One (7:8b-9a)
- 10) Here On The Couch III (SOS 8:3-4)

### **Dark But Lovely**

### Song of Solomon 1:5-6

You have a sin problem... but God sees you as holy.

- 5 I am black, but comely, O ye daughters of Jerusalem, as the tents of Kedar, as the curtains of Solomon.
- 6 Look not upon me, because I am black, because the sun hath looked upon me: my mother's children were angry with me; they made me the keeper of the vineyards; but mine own vineyard have I not kept.

#### The Journey Begins

- 5 I am weak in my flesh and have made many mistakes... but the LORD lives deep in my heart. O nations of the earth... I have a sin problem **which can be seen** in the workings of my flesh... and I have wandered... but I **also** have the beauty and brightness of the Most Holy Place deep inside my heart where the glory of God dwells.
- 6 Don't look at me because of my sin... and; because the cares and toils of this world have worn me out and darkened my appearance. There are sons of heaven who have been jealous and angry with me. They have used me to serve "them" in the vineyards... but I have not attended to my own heart.

The "daughters of Jerusalem" represent the sheep nations and whosoever believeth (throughout Song of Solomon) except for SOS 3:10 in which the "daughters of Jerusalem" represents Israel. "Tents of Kedar" are the unbelieving, rebellious, nomadic Kedarites who lived in the Holy Land. "My mother's children" in this verse can refer to sinful mankind and or to the fallen angels and their demonic strategies found in Ephesians 6:12. Luke 5:8, I John 1:8, Mark 7:20-23, Romans 7:15-20, Galatians 5:16-26...

## **Apple Tree**

### Song of Solomon 2:3

Growing in spiritual maturity... surrounded by all kinds of people... while under the protection and provision of the Word of God.

3 As the apple tree among the trees of the wood, so is my beloved among the sons. I sat down under his shadow with great delight, and his fruit was sweet to my taste.

3 Jesus, I see You as a fruitful apple tree among all the other trees; You are King of kings and I love to sit at Your feet where there is comforting protection and sweet LORD of lords. provision.

## **Lovesick and Longing**

### Song of Solomon 2:4-5

Growing here in the house... in God's victorious love... and hungering for more.

- 4 He brought me to the banqueting house, and his banner over me was love.
- 5 Stay me with flagons, comfort me with apples: for I am sick with love.
- 4 My LORD brought me into His house, where He loves to celebrate His victorious love for me. 5 O LORD, sustain me with the sweet fruitfulness of Your love and refresh me with Your word; because I am sooooo deeply satisfied by Your love... yet I weak, frail, trembling at Your word... am sooooo deeply hungry for more.

<u>Lovesick for Jesus</u>; To be deeply in love with the Word of God and yet to hunger for more; to be frail, humble, weak and of a contrite spirit... trembling at His word.

Psalm 12:6, Psalm 23:5, 103:13-14 (trembles at His word), Proverbs 25:11, Isaiah 66:2b, Jeremiah 15:16, Zephaniah 3:17,

Matthew 5:1-10, John 13:23, John 14:16-17, Galatians 5:22-23, Hebrews 5:14, 6:1...

## **Holy Of Holies**

### Song of Solomon 3:4

Thank You, dear heavenly Father... for Heaven here in my heart... Christ Jesus here in the Most Holy Place.

4 It was but a little that I passed from them, but I found him whom my soul loveth: I held him, and would not let him go, until I had brought him into my mother's house, and into the chamber of her that conceived me.

#### **The Deliverance Power Of God**

<sup>4</sup> It was just after I talked with these watchmen, I found You, my LORD... the One I love. This time I held on to You and would not let You go... no matter what... until I brought You into my mother's house, the Jerusalem which is above... and into the Most Holy Place... where long ago You planned everything about me; and where I will love and worship You forever.

# IAM WHO IAM Song of Solomon 4:7

God sees you and loves you the same yesterday, today and forever.

7 Thou art all fair, my love; there is no spot in thee.

7 You are absolutely beautiful and amazing, My favorite one; sealed as righteous... there is not a spot... not a blemish... not one imperfection in you (Key verse for the Song of Solomon).

### **Locked Garden (The Bride)**

### Song of Solomon 4:12-16a

Your heart is like a beautiful heavenly garden... which belongs to God.

- 12 A garden inclosed is my sister, my spouse; a spring shut up, a fountain sealed.
- 13 Thy plants are an orchard of pomegranates, with pleasant fruits; camphire, with spikenard,
- 14 Spikenard and saffron; calamus and cinnamon, with all trees of frankincense; myrrh and aloes, with all the chief spices:
- 15 A fountain of gardens, a well of living waters, and streams from Lebanon.
- 16a Awake, O north wind; and come, thou south; blow upon my garden, that the spices thereof may flow out.
- 12 Your heart is My private and locked garden, My family, My partner... enclosed and protected with My Holy Spirit inside of you... and My spring of living water is welling up in you... bringing forth eternal life.
- 13 There's an abundant orchard paradise of passions and emotions inside of you... rooted and grounded in My love... growing forth with the sweetness of the fruit of the Spirit; delicate, tender with intimate, extravagant worship;
- 14 Intimate, extravagant and costly worship; holy, anointed and bold... courageous; with all the treelike strength of priestly intercession, sacrificial purification and royal, luxuriant worship; with the fragrant revelation of heaven on earth;
- 15 A fountain of living water is welling up in you; bringing forth eternal life for many... and flowing with streams of glory.

### Your Response To What God Sees In You

16a Arise... O holy will of God... and come, O holy breath of God... and breathe upon my heart; And make the revelation of Yeshua HaMashiach (Jesus 'the' Messiah) flow forth!

## **We Give You Glorious Praise**

Song of Solomon 6:4

Together, we are God's amazing and victorious family... in earth and heaven.

 $^4$  Thou art beautiful, O my love, as Tirzah, comely as Jerusalem, terrible as an army with banners.

### What God Sees In His People

4 O My favorite one; You are My beautiful and amazing people in the earth; My lovely and wonderful people of heaven... and you are victorious in love!!!

## **Like A Palm Tree**

Song of Solomon 7:7-8a Standing there like a tree.

<sup>8a</sup> I said, I will go up to the palm tree, I will take hold of the boughs thereof:

7 You are like a palm tree... planted in the house of the LORD... and your prayers and songs are abundantly fruitful.

8a I told you, I will take hold of you... and I will be your God and you will be My people.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> This thy stature is like to a palm tree, and thy breasts to clusters of grapes.

## **Your Holy And Anointed One**

Song of Solomon 7:8b-9a Your heart feeds the LORD's heart.

 $^{8b}$  now also thy breasts shall be as clusters of the vine, and the smell of thy nose like apples;

<sup>9a</sup> And the roof of thy mouth like the best wine for my beloved,

8b Sustain Me with your fruitful songs and prayers... refresh Me with your pleasing worship;

9a And let deep, intimate and holy words of love come forth from deep in your heart... and let them pour into My heart.

## **Here On The Couch III**

Song of Solomon 8:3-4
The apostolic wisdom of the Song of Songs.

- <sup>3</sup> His left hand should be under my head, and his right hand should embrace me.
- <sup>4</sup>I charge you, O daughters of Jerusalem, that ye stir not up, nor awake my love, until he please.
- 3 O LORD, it is so good that Your left hand should always hold my head to Your heart... and that Your right hand should always hold me tight.
- 4 I seriously urge you, O nations of the earth; Do not disturb nor awaken love in the heart of My favorite one... until it's time.