

Song of Solomon

Week 1

Written around 965 BC

He composed some 3,000 proverbs and wrote 1,005 songs.
[1 Kings 4:32]

Let him kiss me with the kisses of his mouth—for your love is more delightful than wine. Pleasing is the fragrance of your perfumes; your name is like perfume poured out. No wonder the maidens love you!
[Song of Songs 1:2-3]

Lover: Solomon
Beloved: Shulamite maiden
Friends: daughters of Jerusalem

1. Godly Character

...your name is like perfume poured out. No wonder the maidens love you!
[Song of Songs 1:3]

2. Emotional Connection

I liken you, my darling...
[Song of Songs 1:9]

9x – “my darling”

I liken you, my darling, to a mare among Pharaoh’s chariot horses.
[Song of Songs 1:9]

“If you don’t like what you are seeing, look at what you are saying.”

My beloved is to me a sachet of myrrh resting between my breasts. My beloved is to me a cluster of henna blossoms from the vineyards of En Gedi. How beautiful you are, my darling! Oh, how beautiful! Your eyes are doves.
[Song of Songs 1:13-15]

Dark am I, yet lovely, daughters of Jerusalem, dark like the tents of Kedar,
like the tent curtains of Solomon.

[Song of Songs 1:5]

3. Genuine Honesty

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

[Song of Songs 2:1]

- Value them

- Speak life to them