

SONG OF SOLOMON

THE GREATEST

song

1. Mesmerized by You



2. Meeting with You



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(Song of Solomon 3:6-7 ESV)

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3. Marrying You



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Around it are sixty mighty men, some of the mighty men of Israel, all of them wearing swords and expert in war, each with his sword at his thigh, against terror by night.

(Song of Solomon 3:7-8 ESV)

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King Solomon made himself a carriage from the wood of Lebanon. He made its posts of silver, its back of gold, its seat of purple; its interior was inlaid with love by the daughters of Jerusalem.

(Song of Solomon 3:9-10 ESV)

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Go out, O daughters of Zion, and look upon King Solomon, with the crown with which his mother crowned him on the **day of his wedding, on the day of the gladness of his heart.**

(Song of Solomon 3:11 ESV)

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Behold, you are beautiful, my love, behold, you are beautiful!
(Song of Solomon 4:1 ESV)



Your eyes are doves behind your veil.
(Song of Solomon 4:1 ESV)



Your hair is like a flock of goats leaping down the slopes of Gilead.
(Song of Solomon 4:1 ESV)



Your teeth are like a flock of shorn ewes that have come up from the washing, all of which bear twins, and not one among them has lost its young. (4:2)



Your lips are like a scarlet thread, and your mouth is lovely.
(Song of Solomon 4:3)



Your cheeks are like halves of a pomegranate behind your veil.
(Song of Solomon 4:3)



Your neck is like the tower of David, built in rows of stone; on it hang a thousand shields, all of them shields of warriors. (4:4)



Your two breasts are like two fawns, twins of a gazelle, that graze among the lilies. (Song of Solomon 4:5)



Until the day breathes and the shadows flee, I will go away to the mountain of myrrh and the hill of frankincense. (4:6)



You are altogether beautiful, my love; there is no flaw in you.
(Song of Solomon 4:7)



Come with me from Lebanon, my bride;
come with me from Lebanon. (4:8)



Depart from the peak of Amana, from the peak of Senir and Hermon,
from the dens of lions, from the mountains of leopards. (4:8)



You have captivated my heart, my sister, my bride;
you have captivated my heart with one glance of your eyes,
with one jewel of your necklace. (4:9)



How beautiful is your love, my sister, my bride! How much better is your love than wine, and the fragrance of your oils than any spice!
(Song of Solomon 4:10)



Your lips drip nectar, my bride; honey and milk are under your tongue;
the fragrance of your garments is like the fragrance of Lebanon.

(Song of Solomon 4:11)



A garden locked is my sister, my bride,
a spring locked, a fountain sealed. (Song 4:12)



Drink **water** from your own cistern, flowing **water** from your own **well**. Should your **springs** be scattered abroad, streams of **water** in the streets? Let them be for yourself alone, and not for strangers with you. Let your **fountain** be blessed, and **rejoice in the wife of your youth**, a lovely deer, a graceful doe. **Let her breasts fill you at all times with delight; be intoxicated always in her love.**

(Proverbs 5:15-19 ESV)

Your shoots are an orchard of pomegranates with all choicest fruits,
henna with nard, (Song 4:13)



nard and saffron, calamus and cinnamon, with all trees of frankincense, myrrh and aloes, with all choice spices (4:14)



a garden fountain, a well of living water,
and flowing streams from Lebanon. (4:15)



Awake, O north wind, and come, O south wind!
Blow upon my garden, let its spices flow. (4:16)



Let my beloved come to his garden, and eat its choicest fruits.
(Song of Solomon 4:16)



I came to my garden, my sister, my bride,
I gathered my myrrh with my spice, I ate my honeycomb with my
honey, I drank my wine with my milk. (5:1)



Eat, friends, drink, and be drunk with love!
(Song of Solomon 5:1)



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(Song 4:16-5:1 ESV)

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Therefore a man shall leave his father and his
mother and hold fast to his wife,
and they shall become one flesh.

(Genesis 2:24 ESV)

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Let your fountain be blessed, and rejoice in the wife of your youth, a lovely deer, a graceful doe. Let her breasts fill you at all times with delight; be intoxicated always in her love.

(Proverbs 5:18-19 ESV)

THE KING OF KINGS
THE GREATEST *SONG*

...deceitful spirits and teachings of demons,
...who forbid marriage

(1 Timothy 4:1-3 ESV)

LOVE IT SOLDIER
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Let marriage be held in honor among all,
(Hebrews 13:4 ESV)

DAVID BRIDGES
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Let marriage be held in honor among all,
and let the marriage bed be undefiled,
for God will judge the
sexually immoral and adulterous.

(Hebrews 13:4 ESV)

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I adjure you, O daughters of Jerusalem,
by the gazelles or the does of the field,
that **you not stir up or awaken love**
until it pleases.

(Song of Solomon 3:5 ESV)

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For this is the will of God, your sanctification:
that you **abstain from sexual immorality**; that
each one of you know how to control his own
body in holiness and honor,

(1 Thessalonians 4:3-4 ESV)

LOVE OF GOD

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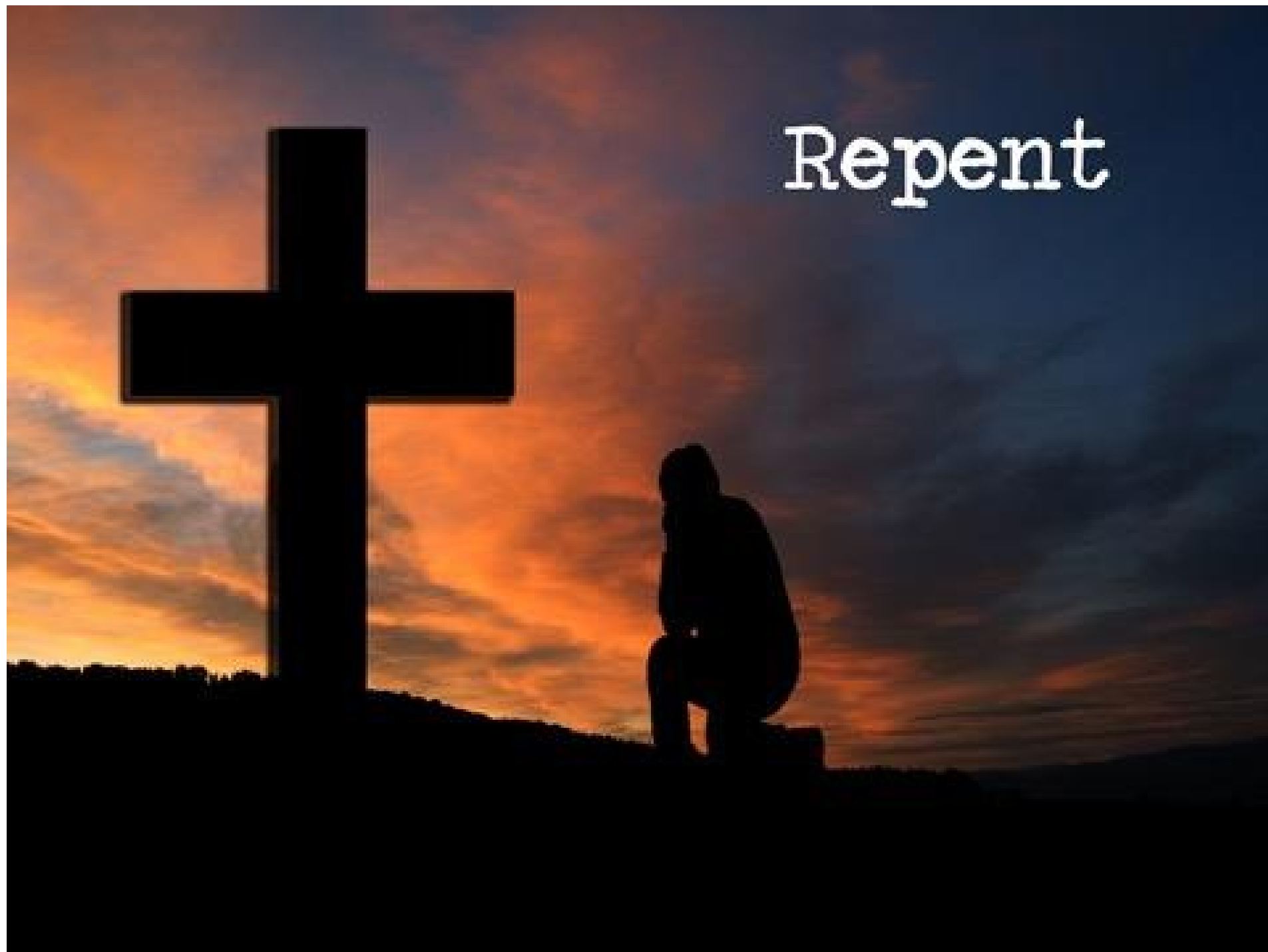


**KEEP
CALM**

AND

**WAIT UNTIL
MARRIAGE**

Repent



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mother and hold fast to his wife,
and the **two shall become one flesh.**”

(Ephesians 5:31-32 ESV)

LOVE BY GOLDMANS

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Or do you not know that he who is joined to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For, as it is written, “The two will become one flesh.”

(1 Corinthians 6:16 ESV)

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“Sexual intimacy and sexual climax get their final meaning from what they point to. They point to ecstasies that are unattainable and inconceivable in this life.”



“Just as the heavens are telling the glory of God’s power and beauty, so sexual climax is telling the glory of the immeasurable delights that we will have with Christ in the age to come.”

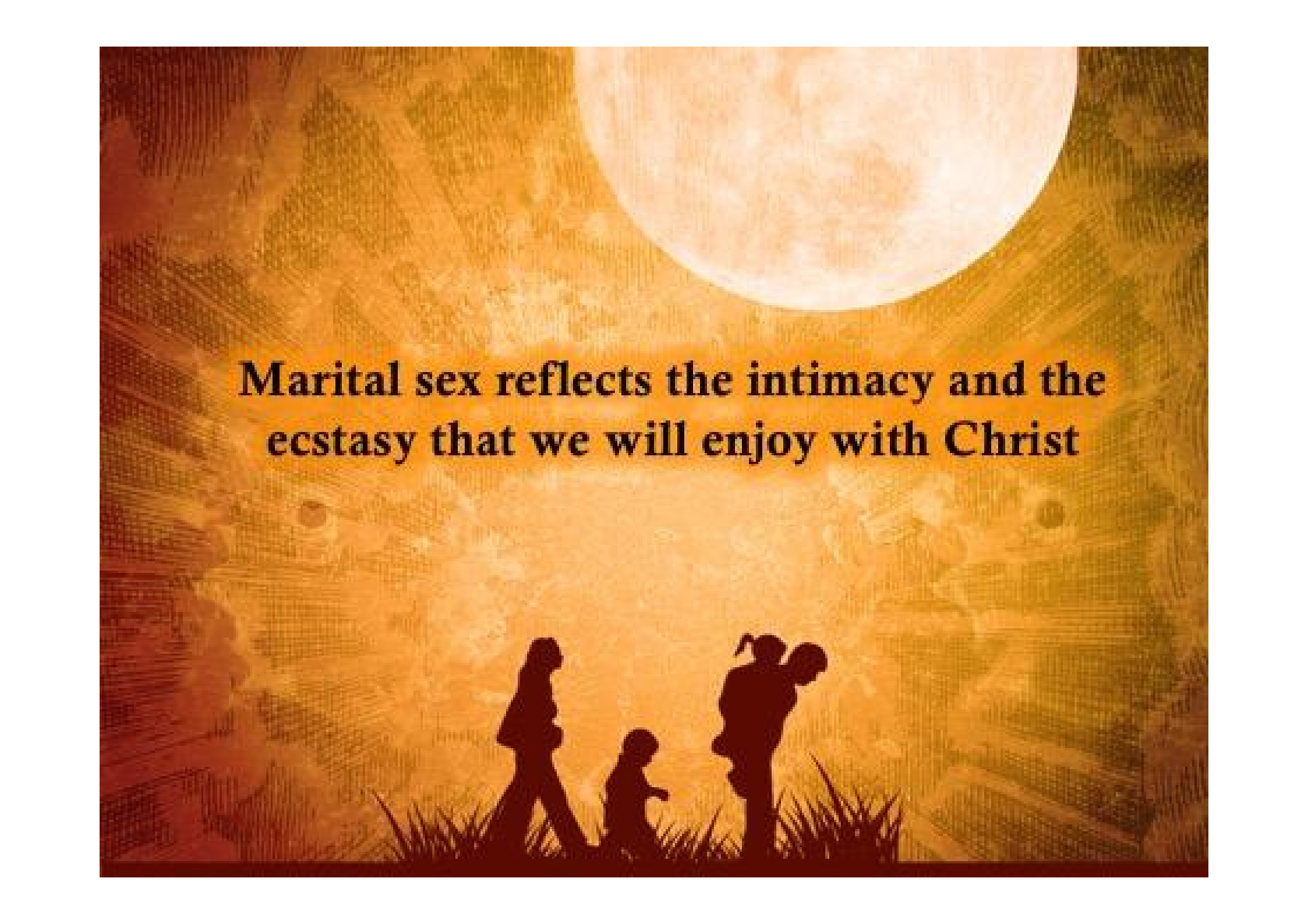


“There will be no marriage there. But what marriage meant will be there. And the pleasures of marriage, ten-to-the-millionth power, will be there.”





Focus
on the
Family

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**Marital sex reflects the intimacy and the
ecstasy that we will enjoy with Christ**

Peter Kreeft

I think a secularist has only one substitute left for God, only one experience in a desacrilized world that still gives him something like the mystical, self-transcending thrill of ecstasy that God designed all souls to have forever, and to long for until they have it.....that experience has to be sex.

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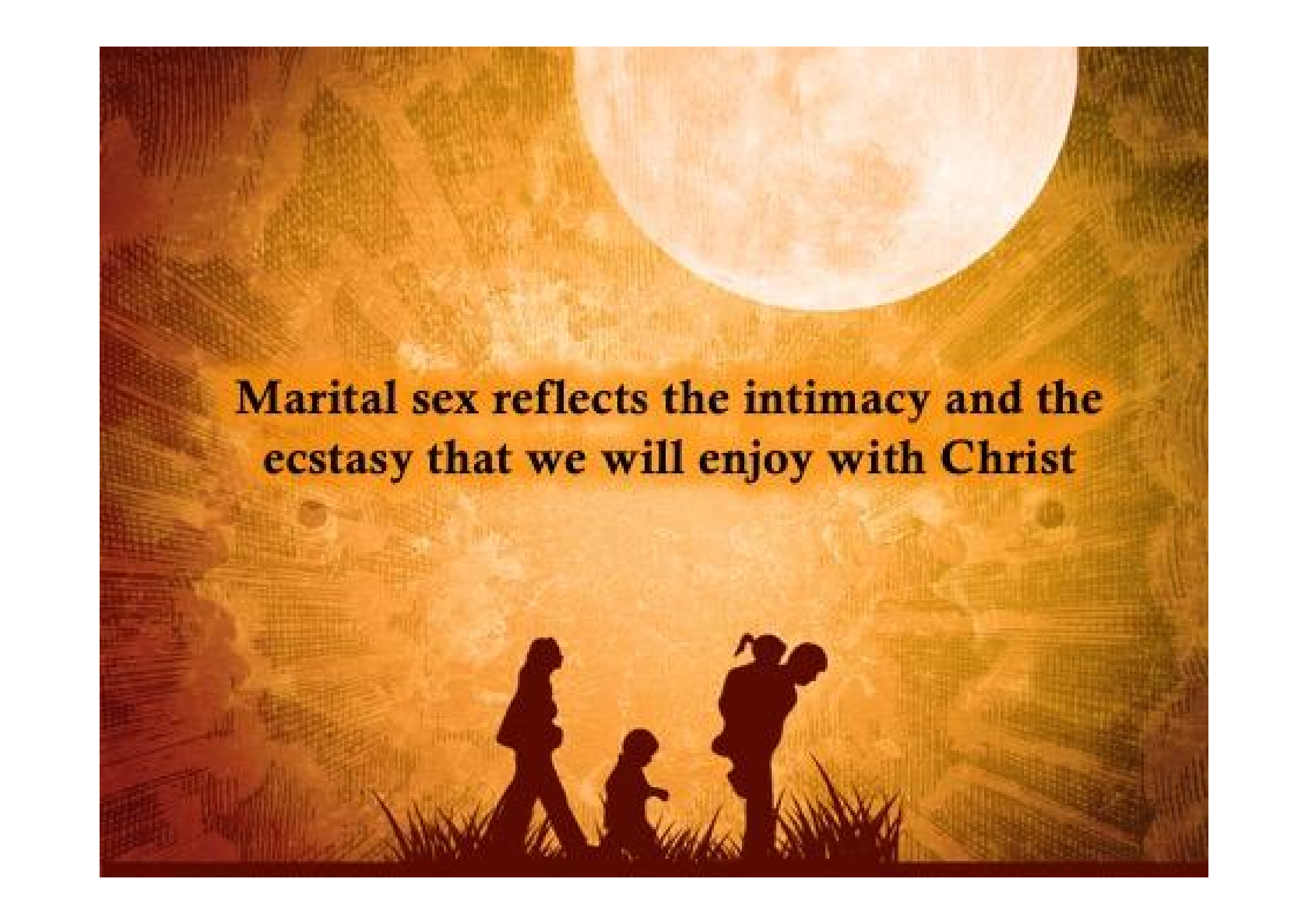
For we are designed for something beyond morality,
something in which morality will be transformed.
Mystical union with God. Sex is a sign and appetizer of
that.

THE GREAT^{EST}SONG

The young man who rings the bell at the brothel
is unconsciously looking for God.

Bruce Marshall's novel
The World, the Flesh, and Father Smith (1944)

LONG ST. SOLDIER
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Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory,
for the marriage of the Lamb has come,
and his Bride has made herself ready;

(Revelation 19:7 ESV)

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He who testifies to these things says,
"Surely I am coming soon." Amen.
Come, Lord Jesus!

(Revelation 22:20 ESV)

LOVE OF GOLDEN
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