

The background is a vibrant, abstract composition. It features a base of warm orange and yellow tones, overlaid with large, organic shapes in shades of light blue and a darker, muted blue. A prominent, white, hand-drawn scribble, resembling a signature or a calligraphic flourish, is positioned in the center-right area. The overall aesthetic is modern and artistic.

LESSON 54 **Song of Songs**

# SONG OF SONGS

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## 01

### OBSERVATIONS

1. What kind of examples do the Lover and Beloved use to describe each other and how do they feel about each other? (Chapters 1-8)
2. How is the banquet table described and what season is it? (Chapter 2)
3. How do the friends view the lover and the beloved? (Chapter 1-8)
4. How is Solomon described coming up out of the desert? (Chapter 3)
5. How does he describe her eyes, hair, teeth, and lips? (Chapter 4)
6. How does the Beloved feel when her lover is gone? (Chapter 5)
7. What can we learn about love from this book? (Chapters 1-8)
8. What can we learn about giving from this book?

02 DEEPER THOUGHT »

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DEEPER THOUGHT

1. Why is this book important?
2. How and what can we learn from it for the present?
3. Why is she dark and what is the spiritual parallel? (Chapter 1)
4. Who do the friends picture spiritually?
5. What can we learn about seeking the Lord from this book?
6. What do the other maidens represent?
7. Who do the watchmen represent spiritually? (Chapters 3 & 5)
8. What is verse 4:16 speaking of?

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CONSIDERATION  
CORNER

*Consider this:*

Jesus is looking for a bride with no flaws and altogether beautiful. When she matures to that point, it is then that He will come leaping across the mountains and bounding over the hills to return for her!

**ANSWERS TO LESSON 54**

**OBSERVATIONS**

1. Fruit, animals, birds, trees, wine, perfume, flowers. They are deeply in love with each other.
2. There is sweet fruit and a banner of love. It is spring. (2:3-5, 11-13)
3. They praise their love and beauty but seem envious.
4. It's an impressive procession of fully armed soldiers accompanying his amazing carriage of silver and gold with the crowned Solomon riding in it. (3:6-11)
5. Eyes are like doves, hair like a flock of goats, teeth like white sheep, and lips like scarlet ribbon. (4:1-3)
6. Insecure, unsure of His faithfulness to her. (5:6-8)
7. Both positive and negative aspects of love. How unfounded and damaging jealousy can be. How seeing the good aspects can minister life.
8. Both of them gave with total abandonment, no concern for themselves.

**QUESTIONS FOR DEEPER THOUGHT**

1. It gives good examples of devoted love relationships between husband and wife, Jesus and his bride.
2. Selfishness has greatly damaged our society. We can learn a lot about commitment and loyalty.
3. She is dark from working in the sun at the vineyards. People forcing us to do things we aren't called to, takes its toll on us. (1:5-6)
4. Nominal Christians who are mere observers of the love relationship.
5. We can follow the example of those who know the Lord intimately and ultimately learn to hear His voice ourselves.
6. Those who also know the Lord and want to have a close relationship with him.
7. People in the world who we may encounter. We can be hurt by them because they care only for the things of the world. (3:3, 5:7)
8. We keep our peace whichever way the wind is blowing. The good in us will be spread to others in any circumstance and the Lord will always be there with us.