Song of Solomon 2

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The Bride and the Bridegroom Rejoice

- ¹ I am the rose of Sharon, and the lily of the valleys.
- ² As the lily among thorns, so is my love among the daughters.
- 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.
- 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 of love.
- ⁶ His left hand is under my head, and his right hand doth embrace me.
- ⁷ I charge you, O ye daughters of Jerusalem, by the roes, and by the hinds of the field, that ye stir not up, nor awake my love, till he please.

The Bride Hears Her Beloved

- ⁸ The voice of my beloved! behold, he cometh leaping upon the mountains, skipping upon the hills.
- ⁹ My beloved is like a roe or a young hart: behold, he standeth behind our wall, he looketh forth at the windows, shewing himself through the lattice.
- My beloved spake, and said unto me, Rise up, my love, my fair one, and come away.
- 11 For, lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone;

- ¹² The flowers appear on the earth; the time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land;
- ¹³ The fig tree putteth forth her green figs, and the vines with the tender grape give a good smell. Arise, my love, my fair one, and come away.

The Bridegroom Speaks to His Beloved

- O my dove, that art in the clefts of the rock, in the secret places of the stairs, let me see thy countenance, let me hear thy voice; for sweet is thy voice, and thy countenance is comely.
- Take us the foxes, the little foxes, that spoil the vines: for our vines have tender grapes.
- ¹⁶ My beloved is mine, and I am his: he feedeth among the lilies.
- Until the day break, and the shadows flee away, turn, my beloved, and be thou like a roe or a young hart upon the mountains of Bether.

HEBREW & GREEK WORD STUDIES

Love — אַהַבָּה / חֵסֶד (Ahavah / Chesed)

Love / Loyal-love

Hebrew uses **ahavah** (אַהֶּבָה) for love generally, but the covenant term **chesed** (תְּסֶד) describes God's steadfast, loyal love—faithful covenant commitment beyond mere emotion.

CROSS REFERENCES

Song of Solomon 2:1 Related: Song of Solomon 5:13; 6:3; Psalms 85:11; Isaiah 57:15;

Hosea 14:5

Song of Solomon 2:2 Related: 1 Peter 2:12

Song of Solomon 2:3 Related: Song of Solomon 8:5; Isaiah 25:4; 32:2

Song of Solomon 2:4 Related: Song of Solomon 1:1; 1:4; 5:1; 6:4; Esther 7:7; Psalms 20:5;

60:4; 84:10; Isaiah 11:10; Revelation 3:20

Song of Solomon 2:5 Related: Song of Solomon 5:8; 2 Samuel 6:19; Hosea 3:1

Song of Solomon 2:6 Related: Jeremiah 32:41; Zephaniah 3:17

Song of Solomon 2:7 Related: Song of Solomon 1:5; 3:5; 8:4

Song of Solomon 2:8 Related: Song of Solomon 2:17; John 3:29; 10:27; Revelation 3:20

Song of Solomon 2:9 Related: Song of Solomon 2:17; 8:14

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Related: Song of Solomon 2:8; 2:13; 2 Corinthians 11:2; Revelation 22:17

Song of Solomon 2:11 Related: Ecclesiastes 3:11

Song of Solomon 2:12 Related: Isaiah 55:12; Jeremiah 8:7; Colossians 3:16

Song of Solomon 2:13 Related: Song of Solomon 2:10; Isaiah 61:11

Song of Solomon 2:14 Related: Song of Solomon 1:5; 5:2; 8:13; Exodus 3:6

Song of Solomon 2:15 Related: Song of Solomon 2:13; 7:12; Psalms 80:13; Luke 13:32;

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