

## REFLECTIONS OF LOVE

### SONG OF SOLOMON CHAPTERS 1 & 2

#### The Literal-Historical Perspective

- Structure and Nature
    - Conversation between 3 parties: “Beloved” (She), “Lover” (He), Friends (observers of the relationship)
    - Jewish Wedding Tradition
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#### **Looking at and Listening to the Language of Love**

What does love look like – Song of Solomon Chapter 1

#### The Courtship

- Chemistry/Attraction: 1:2-4
- Communication/Adoration – 1:15
- Commitment/Assurance– 1:17

What does love look like – Song of Solomon Chapter 2

#### The Consummation

- Companionship – 2:10, 13
- Caring – 2:15
- Covenant-2:16-17

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#### The Allegorical Perspective

- Structure and Nature
    - Conversation between 3 parties: “Beloved” (The Church), “Lover” (Christ), Friends (Observers)
    - The Love Relationship between Christ and The Church
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#### The Consummation

- Companionship/Amity – 2:10, 13
- Caring/Attentive – 2:15
- Covenant/Agreement - 2:16-17