

Lesson 15h: A Nourished and Enlarged New Soul

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Along with a new body, Jesus gives His Wife everything she needs so that a new soul can be formed in her. When His Holy Spirit joins with our spirit, a new soul begins to form inside our hearts that will be just like His Soul (review Lesson 13: Three Make One). His Bride will not be complete and healthy if she does not have His Soul of love.

Psa 103:1-5 (ESV)

A husband provides those things that his wife needs in order to survive and be satisfied. Her body needs food and water to be healthy and her soul needs love in order to be happy and content.

Our soul hungers and thirsts just like our body does. Feeding our soul with God's Word and Truth and doing His will by keeping His commandments makes our soul satisfied. It in turn makes our body (flesh and bones) healthier and stronger, like a fertilized and watered garden or field.

Pro 16:24 (MKJV)

Pro 12:4 (MKJV)

Isa 58:11 (MKJV)

Jesus provides and prepares all those things for His Wife, the Church. All she has to do is dine (or feast) with Him in the house where He is dwelling with her (see A Close Relationship).

Rev 3:20 (ISV)

Joh 4:34 (ISV)

Joh 6:27 (ISV)

Joh 6:33-35 (ISV)

Joh 6:53-56 (ISV)

Joh 6:63 (ISV)

Joh 4:13-14 (ISV)

Our love for Jesus increases when we spend more time dining with Him. Communication is open and close when a husband and wife dine together. It is a time

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when they can sit down and talk face to face. The more we love Him with all of our soul, then the more we will be filled by His spiritual food and drink.

Eph 5:18-20 (GW)

Act 14:17 (LITV)

Mat 5:6 (LITV)

As we dine with Jesus, we will also begin to have God's heart of love, we will realize the power over sin in our life that He gives, and we will gain the wisdom and understanding that He gives us through His Holy Spirit. When our body is properly nourished, then the fruit of the Spirit can grow in us so that our new soul can come to fullness - like a tree that produces fruit.

Luk 8:15 (MKJV)

Gal 5:22-23 (KJVR)

Rom 15:13 (LITV)

2Ti 1:7 (MKJV)

Lev 26:3-4 (MKJV)

Isa 61:3 (KJV)

A husband and wife must "be fruitful and multiply". The joining of Jesus and His Wife by Spirit produces the fruit of her new soul. In a healthy and loving marriage, a husband and wife multiply and have children so that they can share their love with them.

Gen 1:28 (ESV)

Mal 2:15 (ESV)

God could not produce "godly offspring" with sinful and unfruitful Israel. So God established Himself on the earth as Jesus so that He could join Himself with His Wife, the Church, to conceive "godly offspring".

Isa 54:1-3 (MKJV)

When God's Spirit unites with Mankind, it always produces new life - physical and spiritual.

Mat 1:20-21 (ESV)

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Just as Mary conceived a Son (Jesus) by the Holy Spirit, we as the Church conceive spiritually when we allow the Holy Spirit to produce fruit in our lives - forming the Bride's new soul. When the Church body brings others to a relationship with Jesus, then that is how the Wife's body multiplies and produces "godly children". We become children of God when we accept Jesus as our Lord and have His Spirit dwelling in our hearts.

Rom 8:16-17 (LITV)

Gal 3:29 (MKJV)

1Pe 3:6 (MSG)

When the Church confidently calls Jesus her Husband, then she becomes a true daughter of Sarah and Abraham. As the Wife of Jesus, the Church becomes joint heirs with Jesus, sharing in all the promises that God gave to His Son and to Abraham, her Father (see The Death of the Husband).

When Israel, God's wife, was spiritually reborn, she was also given a new and personal name, just like when God gave us His new name - Jesus (review All My Soul#1 Pledge - Worship, Bless, and Praise His Name). I believe that Israel's new and personal name is Jerusalem, the daughter of Abraham. It is in Jerusalem where the King's House is located and that is where He holds His feasts.

Psa 116:19 (KJV)

Psa 135:21 (GNB)

Exo 12:46 (MKJV)

Joh 2:13 (MSG)

Eph 2:19-20 (ISV)

1Co 3:9 (GNB)

Jerusalem is the city where His earthly house was built and New Jerusalem is where the Lord's Spiritual House is being built. That new city is where He will dine forever with His Bride, whose body, soul, and spirit is united, fully formed, and perfected.

Psa 107:1-21 (KJV)