



**THE LIFE-CYCLE OF A CHRISTIAN HOME**  
**PART TWO: THE BEAUTIFUL IMAGE OF MARRIAGE**  
*Revelation 19:6-9*

**1. An Exultant \_\_\_\_\_**

God, who established the grandeur of marriage, is to be celebrated at the fulfillment of this beautiful image. For all marriage is meant to be a display of what God intends for the redeemed.

*"The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son." ~ Matthew 22:2*

**2. A Grand \_\_\_\_\_**

Coming together like a bride and groom is the redeemed with the Lord Jesus: the Lamb who was slain and the Bride who is the church. It is a grand presentation before all the hosts of heaven.

*This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church. ~ Ephesians 5:32*

**3. A Fulfilled \_\_\_\_\_**

Like a bride beautifully dressed is the church prepared to meet her Savior. Every righteous work done for the glory of Christ is an ornament of splendor adorned as fine linen upon the church.

*...and to put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness. ~ Ephesians 4:24*

**4. An Absolute \_\_\_\_\_**

This will happen. The union of Christ and His church, the glorious return of our King and the marriage of the Lamb to His people is inevitable. Where will you be: together with Christ or forever separated?

*"And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also." ~ John 14:3*

**REVELATION 21:9**

**THEN CAME ONE OF THE SEVEN ANGELS WHO HAD THE SEVEN BOWLS FULL OF THE SEVEN LAST PLAGUES AND SPOKE TO ME, SAYING, "COME, I WILL SHOW YOU THE BRIDE, THE WIFE OF THE LAMB."**



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**Additional Scripture References**  
*(And Rabbit Trails Discussion)*

**Song of Solomon 1:4b**

*We will exult and rejoice in you; we will extol your love more than wine; rightly do they love you.*

**Revelation 7:9**

*After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands.*

**Genesis 2:24**

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

**Matthew 19:6**

*So they are no longer two but one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate."*

**Psalms 11:7**

*For the Lord is righteous; he loves righteous deeds; the upright shall behold his face.*

**1 Peter 3:4**

*...but let your adorning be the hidden person of the heart with the imperishable beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which in God's sight is very precious.*

**Matthew 25:10**

*And while they were going to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the marriage feast, and the door was shut.*

**2 Corinthians 1:20**

*For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory.*

**Romans 6:8**

*Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him.*