

The Bride of Christ

Revelation 21: 9-27

Revelation 21:9: Then one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls filled with the seven last plagues came to me and talked with me, saying, "Come, I will show you the bride, the Lamb's wife."

Ephesians 5:31-32: For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. This is a great mystery, but I speak concerning Christ and the church.

John 6:44: No one can come to Me unless the Father who sent Me draws him; and I will raise him up at the last day.

2 Corinthians 11:2-3: For I am jealous for you with godly jealousy. For I have betrothed you to one husband, that I may present you as a pure virgin to Christ. But I fear, lest somehow, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, so your minds may be corrupted from the sincere (single-hearted, undivided devotion) in Christ.

Revelation 19:9: ...Blessed are those who are called (invited) to the marriage supper of the Lamb!

Revelation 21:10: And he carried me away in the Spirit to a great and high mountain, and showed me the great city, the holy Jerusalem, descending out of heaven from God,

Revelation 21:11: ...having the glory of God. Her light was like a most precious stone, like a jasper stone, clear as crystal.

1 John 3:2: Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is.

Revelation 21:12: Also she had a great & high wall with twelve gates, and twelve angels at the gates, and names written on them, which are the names of the twelve tribes of the children of Israel:

Revelation 21:13: three gates on the east, three gates on the north, three gates on the south, and three gates on the west.

Revelation 21:14-15: Now the wall of the city had twelve foundations (stones), and on them were the names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb. And he who talked with me had a gold reed to measure the city, its gates and its wall.

Revelation 21:16: The city is laid out as a square; its length is as great as its breadth. And he measured the city with the reed: twelve thousand furlongs. Its length, breadth, and height are equal.

Revelation 21:17-21: Then he measured its wall: one hundred and forty-four cubits, according to the measure of a man, that is, of an angel. The construction of its wall was of jasper; and the city was pure gold, like clear glass. The foundations of the wall of the city were adorned with all kinds of precious stones: the first foundation (stone) was jasper, the second sapphire (deep blue), the third chalcedony (blue green), the fourth emerald (rich green), the fifth sardonyx (reddish brown), the sixth sardius (blood red), the seventh chrysolite (golden yellow), the eighth beryl (sea green), the ninth topaz (yellow), the tenth chrysoprase (bright green), the eleventh jacinth (orange), and the twelfth amethyst (purple). The twelve gates were twelve pearls: each individual gate was of one pearl (oyster- irritant damages soft tissue/nacre). And the street of the city was pure gold, like transparent glass.

Revelation 21:22-23: But I saw no temple in it, for the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are its temple. The city had no need of the sun or of the moon to shine in it, for the glory of God illuminated it. The Lamb is its light.

Revelation 21:24: And the nations of those who are saved shall walk in its light, and the kings of the earth bring their glory and honor into it.

Revelation 21:25-27: Its gates shall not be shut at all by day (there shall be no night there). And they shall bring the glory and the honor of the nations into it. But there shall by no means enter it anything that defiles or causes an abomination or a lie, but only those who are written in the Lamb's Book of Life.