

“Characteristics of the Bride of Christ, Part 1”
Genesis 24:1-28

1. We are blessed in every way (1).

2 Peter 1:2-4.

2. The Father undertakes to find a bride on behalf of His Son (2-4).

John 6:37

Matt. 22:2

3. We dwell in the midst of carnal worldliness but are to be separate (3).

1 John 2:15-16

John 17:14-18

4. We have a place God has put us and our contentment is there (4-8).

2 Cor. 12:9-10

Phil. 4:11-13

1 Tim. 6:8

Heb. 13:5

5. The Servant (Holy Spirit) calls out the bride (of Christ) (9-17).

John 16:8

Titus 3:5

“Characteristics of the Bride of Christ, Part 2”
Genesis 24:29-67

6. The bride has a foretaste of the Son's riches. (22, 30, 47)

Spirit as such: 2 Cor. 1:22, Eph. 1:14

7. The bride is elected by God. (13-27, 42-51)

John 6:37, 39, 44, 65

8. The bride chooses by faith. (18-20, 46, 58)

John 6:35, 37, 40, 47

9. We are on a journey without the physical presence of our Lord. (61)

John 16:7, 13-15; 1 Cor. 2:9-13

10. The bride meets the bridegroom dramatically. (62-67)

Luke 15:20-24; Rev. 19:9