



Redeeming
your story

Attraction
Where it all starts

Misplaced Attraction: where it ends

- (Jer 2:2) "Go and proclaim in the hearing of Jerusalem, Thus says the LORD, "I remember the devotion of your youth, your love as a bride, how you followed me in the wilderness, in a land not sown.

- (Jer 2:7) And I brought you into a plentiful land to enjoy its fruits and its good things. But when you came in, you defiled my land and made my heritage an abomination.



- (Jer 2:13) for my people have committed two evils: they have forsaken me, the fountain of living waters, and hewed out cisterns for themselves, broken cisterns that can hold no water.



- (Jer 2:20) "For long ago I broke your yoke and burst your bonds; but you said, 'I will not serve.' Yes, on every high hill and under every green tree you bowed down like a whore.



- (Jer 2:24) a wild donkey used to the wilderness, in her heat sniffing the wind! Who can restrain her lust? None who seek her need weary themselves; in her month they will find her.



- (Jer 2:33) "How well you direct your course to seek love! So that even to wicked women you have taught your ways.

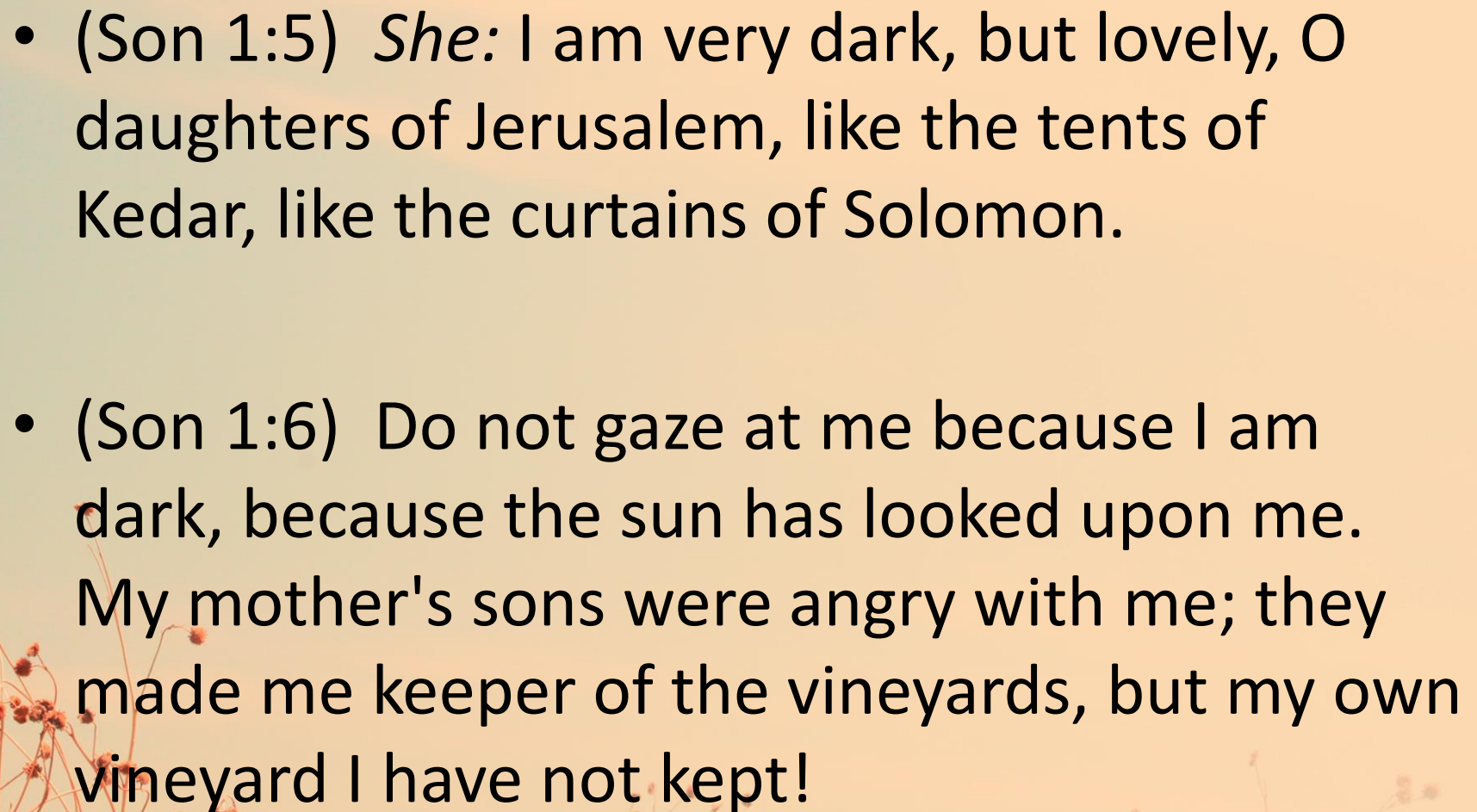


The Principle

Your Spiritual Attraction to God will be revealed in your romantic world.

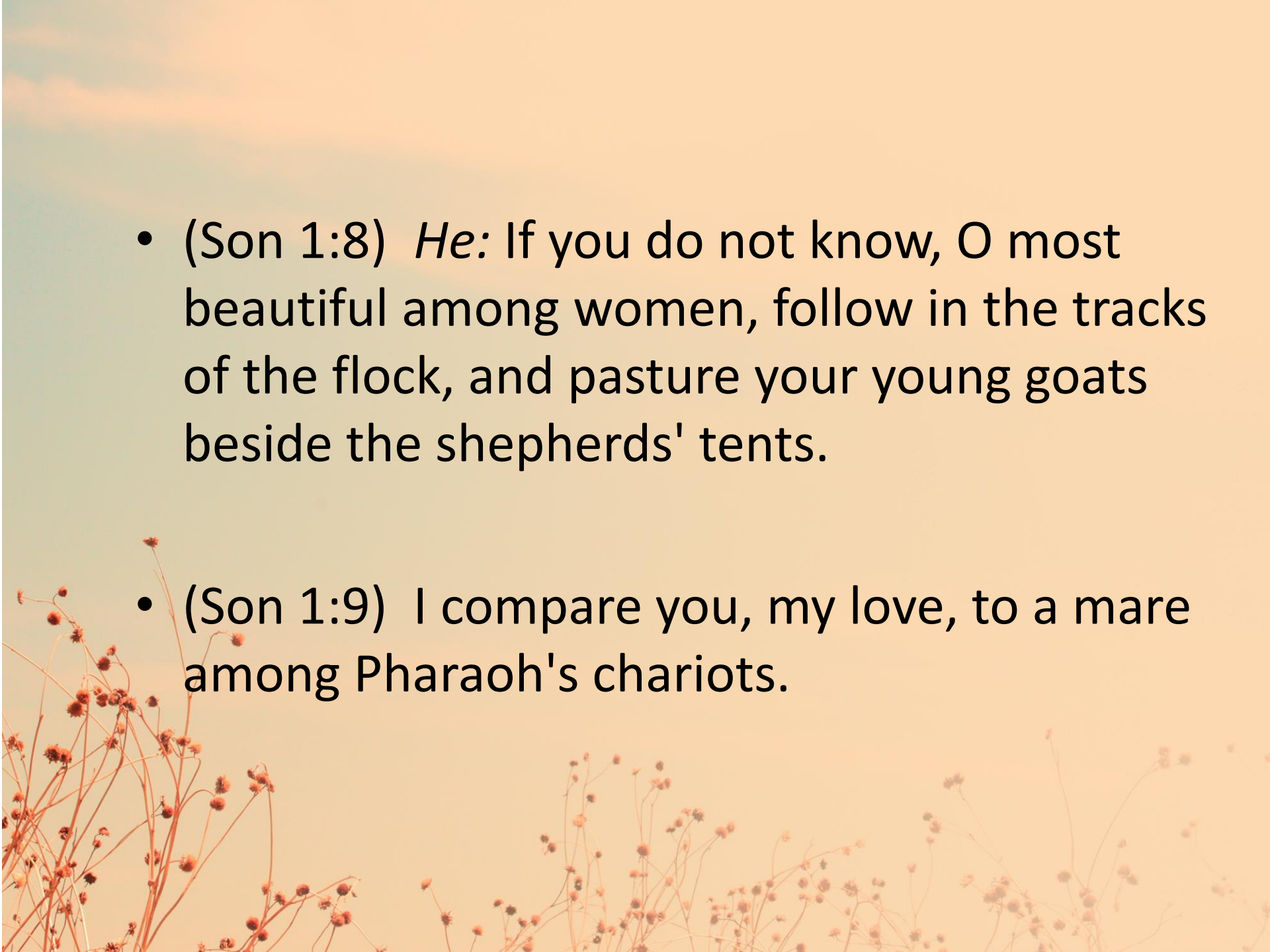


- (Son 1:1) The Song of Songs, which is Solomon's.
- (Son 1:2) *She*: Let him kiss me with the kisses of his mouth! For your love is better than wine;
- (Son 1:3) your anointing oils are fragrant; your name is oil poured out; therefore virgins love you.

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- (Son 1:5) *She*: I am very dark, but lovely, O daughters of Jerusalem, like the tents of Kedar, like the curtains of Solomon.
 - (Son 1:6) Do not gaze at me because I am dark, because the sun has looked upon me. My mother's sons were angry with me; they made me keeper of the vineyards, but my own vineyard I have not kept!

(Son 1:7) Tell me, you whom my soul loves,
where you pasture your flock, where you make
it lie down at noon; for why should I be like one
who veils herself beside the flocks of your
companions?



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- (Son 1:8) *He*: If you do not know, O most beautiful among women, follow in the tracks of the flock, and pasture your young goats beside the shepherds' tents.
 - (Son 1:9) I compare you, my love, to a mare among Pharaoh's chariots.

- (Son 1:10) Your cheeks are lovely with ornaments, your neck with strings of jewels.
- (Son 1:15) *He:* Behold, you are beautiful, my love; behold, you are beautiful; your eyes are doves.
- (Son 4:7) You are altogether beautiful, my love; there is no flaw in you.

What are you looking for? What are you
attracted to?



What is said about Jesus' appearance

- (Isa 53:2) For he grew up before him like a young plant, and like a root out of dry ground; he had no form or majesty that we should look at him, and no beauty that we should desire him.
- (Isa 53:3) He was despised and rejected by men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief; and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not.