**The Marriage Supper of the Lamb**

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What does the Bible mean

* Revelation 19:9

The Bible is a love story.

* Courtship,
* Marriage.
* Infidelity,
* Separation,
* Divorce,
* The possibility of remarriage.

The groom is the Lord.

* Adam and Eve
	+ Sin of disobedience.
* Romantic relationship that God had with his special creation.
* The lineage between Adam and Abraham
	+ Son named Isaac.
	+ Isaac had a son named Jacob.
		- Jacob's name was changed to Israel.
* Israel has had a very colorful and exciting history.
	+ The deliverance from Egypt,
* The marital relationship
	+ Ten tribes and was called Israel
* In time,
	+ God would have no choice but to divorce Israel.
		- Not to divorce Judah.
		- God never stopped loving Israel.
* At the appropriate time,
	+ God came to Judah,
	+ John 1: 10-11
	+ Luke 13:34
* In fact his ex-wife, Israel,
	+ I Corinthians 2:8)
* After dying,
	+ His death, burial and resurrection had a profound and wonderful affect on his legal status
* What wonderful news! God is eligible to be married and he is actively seeking his bride.
	+ But poor Israel,
	+ Two thousand years ago
* It is important
	+ Be patient
	+ (Revelation 21::2,9,10,12,27.)
* Is your name written in the Lambs Book of Life?