

Dating and Purity
Song of Solomon
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Song of Solomon 1:1-3 NIV

- Theme: God's way is not only right, it WORKS.
- Dating and purity truths
 - ✓ You play like you PRACTICE or practice makes PERMANENT
 - ✓ To end up with God's best, I have to trust God's WAY
 - ✓ Singleness is not a SICKNESS - 1 Corinthians 7:7 NIV
 - ✓ The best marriages never stop DATING - Song of Solomon 2:8-9
- Five Dating Qualities
 - 1) CHEMISTRY
 - ✓ Wise with your TIME, talk and TOUCH.
 - ✓ Predetermine purity, boundaries and spiritual AUTHORITY
 - Song of Solomon 2:10-13 NIV
 - 2) CULTIVATION
 - ✓ Is this relationship growing and MATURING?
 - ✓ Does this relationship FILL me with life or DRAIN me of life?
 - ✓ Am I drawing closer to JESUS because of this person?
 - Song of Solomon 2:14-15 NLT
 - 3) CHARACTER
 - ✓ Do they speak with CLARITY?
 - ✓ How well do they handle CONFLICT?
 - Song of Solomon 2:16-17 NLT

4) COMMITMENT

- ✓ If we don't date with mutual devotion, then we will not be MARRIED with mutual devotion
- ✓ The other person cannot COMPLETE us, only Christ can

5) CHRIST - John 3:16 NIV