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Song of Solomon 1:4b

“The King has brought me into His chambers.” Song of Solomon 1:4b

There is a third place of intimate fellowship with Jesus, beyond the King’s Chamber and the Emmaus Road. This place is unusual. It is a place most may not picture as a usual spot for fellowship.

Where is this third site for companionship with Christ? It is in the water’s of baptism; in the place of obedience; “If you love Me, keep My commandments.”

This place of obedience follows closely with the place of revelation. For once we “see” we must obey what we have seen! To hold the revelation of the Christ demands we follow along to this place in the waters! “Men and brethren, what must we do *to be saved?*” Then Peter said to them, “Repent, and be baptized, everyone of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.” (Acts 2:37 – 38).

Faith acts out its belief! It is a legitimate question to ask – “Why would you not follow Jesus into the waters of baptism if you say you are a Christian?” “...and the eunuch said to Philip, “See, here is water. What *would* hinder me from being baptized?” And Philip said, “If you believe with all your heart, you may be baptized.” And he answered and said, “I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.” And he commanded the chariot to stop; and they both went down into the waters... and Philip baptized him.” (Acts 8:36 – 38).

Have you followed Jesus into this place of obedience – into the waters of baptism? If you won’t follow Him at this point, where then will you follow Him?

“He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned.” (Mark 16:16)

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