Jesus is the Bridegroom

In John 3:22-30 (ESV) again we read John the Baptist’s testimony about Jesus.

John 3:25 (ESV): John’s disciples get into a discussion about purification.

John 3:26 (ESV): John’s disciples are upset about more people going to Jesus than to John.

John 3:27 (ESV): John tells them that everything comes from God.

John 3:28 (ESV): John reminds them that he is not the Messiah.

Jesus is the Bridegroom: John 3:29 (ESV)

How We Are to Relate to Jesus as the Bridegroom

As a **Bride** – Revelation 21:9 (ESV)

With **Rejoice** – Mark 2:19-20 (ESV)

With Him **Increasing** and Us **Decreasing** – John 3:30 (ESV)

2 Corinthians 11:1-3 (ESV)

**Betrothed** – Total Commitment

**Pure Virgin** – Jesus as Our One and Only

**Pure Devotion** – Adoring Him Above Anyone or Anything

How Jesus as the Bridegroom Relates to Us – Ephesians 5:25-27 (ESV)

**He Loves** us with No Conditions or Boundaries

**He Gave** Himself for Us by Dying on the Cross for Our Sins

**He Sanctifies** Us by Setting Us Apart for His Use Only

**He Cleanses** Us with the Word of God by Speaking the Truth and the Holy Spirit Uses It to Transform Us

**He Makes** Us full of Splendor, Without Any Spot or Wrinkle, Holy and Without Any Blemish

Jesus as the Bridegroom loves us as His bride

Jesus as the Bridegroom gave His life for us as His bride

We are to worship Him and exalt Him so that others can come to know Him

Revelation 19:6-9 (ESV) – Jesus will come for His bride

Are we ready?