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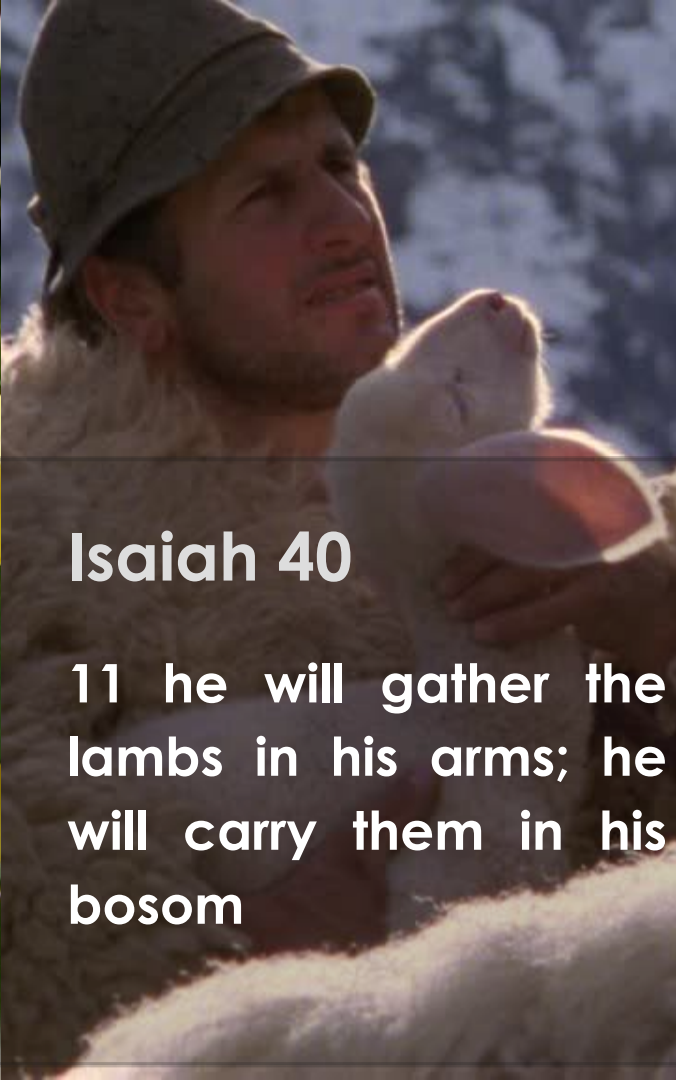
The Romance of Christmas





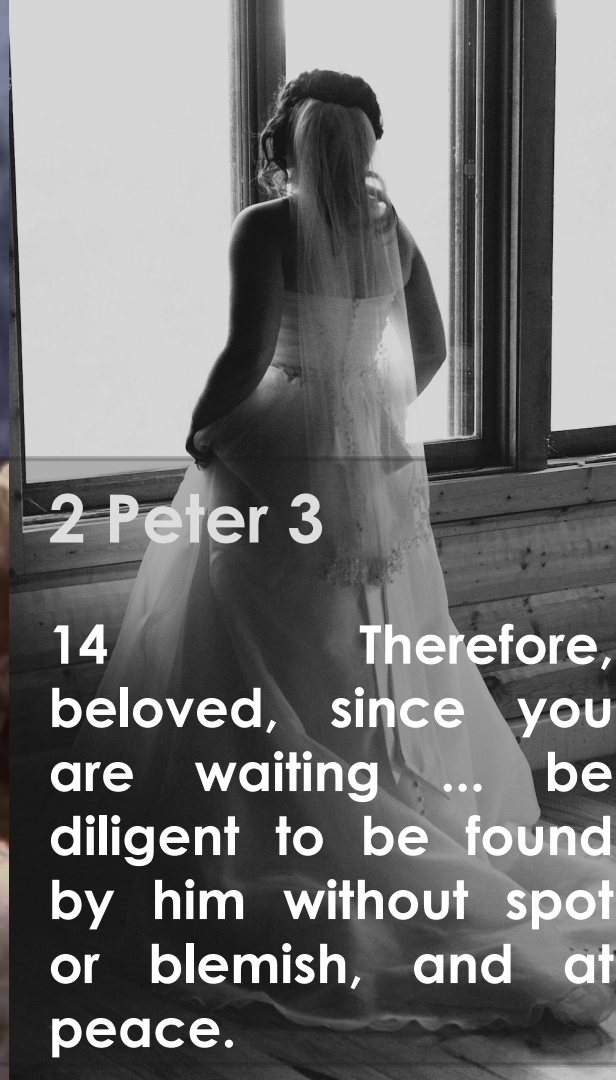
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Match Made In Hell



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<sup>1</sup> Lord, you were favorable to your land;  
you restored the fortunes of Jacob.

<sup>2</sup> You forgave the iniquity of your people;  
you covered all their sin. *Selah* ...

....

<sup>8</sup> Let me hear what God the Lord will speak,  
for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints;  
but let them not turn back to folly.

<sup>9</sup> **Surely his salvation is near to those who fear him,  
that glory may dwell in our land.**



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righteousness and peace kiss each other.**
- 11 Faithfulness springs up from the ground,  
and righteousness looks down from the sky.**
- 12 Yes, the Lord will give what is good,  
and our land will yield its increase.
- 13 Righteousness will go before him  
and make his footsteps a way.**



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**10 MERCY and TRUTH have met together  
RIGHTEOUSNESS and PEACE shall kiss.**

**11 TRUTH** out of the earth shall spring,

and **RIGHTEOUSNESS** from heaven shall look down.

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KJV Translation Count — Total: 6x

The KJV translates Strong's G2705 in the following manner: kiss (6x).

Outline of Biblical Usage [?]

/. to kiss much, kiss again and again, kiss tenderly

Strong's Definitions [?]

(Strong's Definitions Legend)

καταφιλέω *kataphiléō*, kat-af-ee-leh'-o; from G2596 and G5368; to kiss earnestly: —kiss.

Thayer's Greek Lexicon [?]

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**40** Comfort, comfort my people,  
says your God.

**2** **Speak tenderly** to Jerusalem,

and **cry to her**

that her warfare is ended,

that her iniquity is pardoned,

that she has received from the LORD's  
hand

**double** for all her sins.



Isaiah 40



### 3 A voice cries:

“In the wilderness prepare the way of the LORD;  
make straight in the desert a highway for our God.

4 Every valley shall be lifted up,  
and every mountain and hill be made low;  
the uneven ground shall become level,  
and the rough places a plain.

**5 And the glory of the LORD shall be revealed,  
and all flesh shall see it together,  
for the mouth of the LORD has spoken.”**



Isaiah 40

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6 A voice says, “Cry!”

And I said, “What shall I cry?”

All flesh is grass, and all its beauty is like the flower of the field.

7 The grass withers, the flower fades  
when the breath of the LORD blows on it;  
surely the people are grass.

8 The grass withers, the flower fades,  
but **the word of our God will stand forever.**





# BEHOLD YOUR GOD

9 **Go on up** to a high mountain, O Zion, **herald of good news; lift up your voice with strength,**

O Jerusalem, **herald of good news; lift it up, fear not; say to the cities of Judah, “Behold your God!”**

Isaiah 40

10 Behold, the Lord GOD comes with might,  
and his arm rules for him;  
behold, his reward is with him,  
and his recompense before him.

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13 But according to his promise we are **waiting** for new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells.

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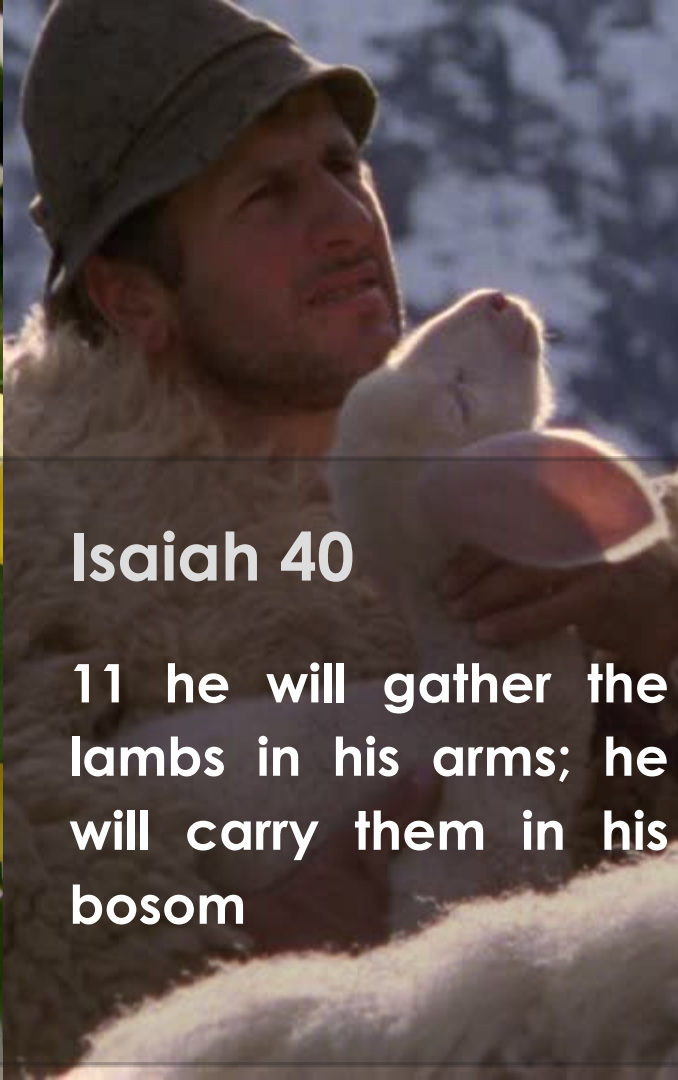
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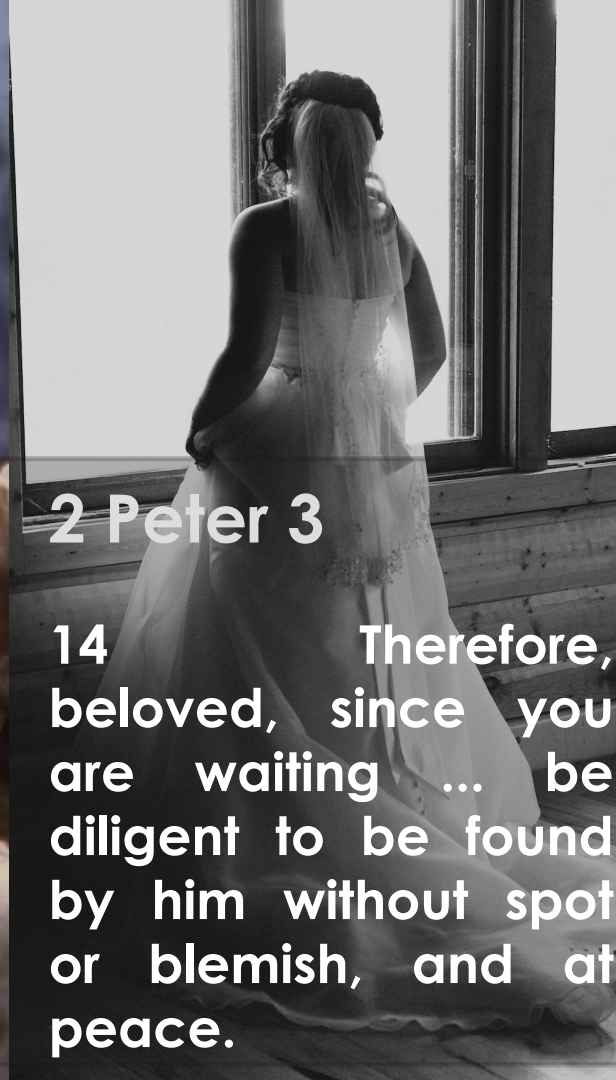
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