

Introduction

- I. In the words of the Shulamite, we find the words of the church, expressing her experience.
- II. In this relationship, we sometimes feel far from Jesus and far from God.

Seeking the One Whom We Love

I. A Needed Seeking

- A. The Shulamite, who is searching for Solomon, is a picture of the church searching for Christ.

- B. The experience, not always and not ordinarily, of God's people is that sometimes lose the sense of God's favor for a time (Canons V.5).

II. An Earnest Seeking

- A. We take notice of the earnest, even frenzied searching of the Shulamite.

- B. What does this seeking look like in our lives and what is it after?

III. A Seeking that Finds

- A. We find Him because Christ finds us.

- B. What do we find? We find our Savior Who suffered on the cross for our sins.