Isaiah 54

The Salvation of Israel through the Servant Yeshua.

Marriage is a union between a man and a woman, ordained by God. But God uses marriage symbolically to illustrate various truths:

- The bride and the bride groom (church and Jesus)
- The nation of Israel being married back to the land of Israel
- Israel the wife of God

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- 1. The marriage contract: The whole book of Deuteronomy is a marriage contract between God and Israel. 5:1-3, 6:10-15, 7:6-11, Eze 16:8
- 2. The great adultery: Jer 3:1-5 and 20, 31:32, Eze 16:15-34,
- 3. The separation: Isa 50:1,
- 4. The divorce: Jer 3:6-10
- 5. The punishment: Eze 16:35-43, 58-59, Hosea 2:6-13,
- 6. Marriage with restored blessing: Jer 31:31-34, Eze 16:60-63, Isa 62:4-5, Hosea 2:14-23

Clearly portrayed in the marriage relationship between Hosea and his wife, Gomer.

For a deeper study into this topic, see Arnold Fruchtenbaum's study here: chrome-extension://efaidnbmnnnibpcajpcglclefindmkaj/viewer.html?pdfurl=https%3A%2F%2Fariel.org.nz%2Fwp-content%2Fuploads%2F2018%2F07%2F015-Wife-of-Jehova-bride-of-christ.pdf&clen=217687&chunk=true

1 "Sing, O barren one, who did not bear; break forth into	Who was the mother of Israel? Sarah. Picture of Sarah and
singing and cry aloud, you who have not been in labour!	Hagar.
For the children of the desolate one will be more	Gal 4:27. 1Sam 2; Hannah's prayer
than the children of her who is married," says the LORD.	Israel has been like the barren woman spiritually with little
	to show for the light she was called to be.
2 "Enlarge the place of your tent, and let the curtains of	A short-term return from exile, but the bigger context is on
your habitations be stretched out;	Israel in the Millennial Kingdom. Compare the land that
do not hold back; lengthen your cords and strengthen your	God promised Abraham to the current size of Israel.
stakes.	
3 For you will spread abroad to the right and to the left,	
and your offspring will possess the nations and will	
populate the desolate cities.	
4 "Fear not, for you will not be ashamed;	Isa 45:17
be not confounded, for you will not be disgraced;	Zech 12:10. They shall weep bitterly when Rev 1:7
for you will forget the shame of your youth,	
and the reproach of your widowhood you will remember	"Widowhood" is Israel's current relationship to God.
no more.	
5 For your Maker is your husband,	Jer 3:14. Hos 2:19.
the LORD of hosts is his name;	
and the Holy One of Israel is your Redeemer,	
the God of the whole earth he is called.	
6 For the LORD has called you	Isa 50:1.
like a wife deserted and grieved in spirit,	
like a wife of youth when she is cast off,	
says your God.	
7 For a brief moment I deserted you,	
but with great compassion I will gather you.	Isa 26:20. Isa 43:14-21.
8 In overflowing anger for a moment	
I hid my face from you,	
but with everlasting love I will have compassion on you,"	
says the LORD, your Redeemer.	Isa 49:10-13.

9 "This is like the days of Noah to me:	Gen 9:11 The Noahic Covenant
as I swore that the waters of Noah	
should no more go over the earth,	
so I have sworn that I will not be angry with you,	Eze 39:25-29.
and will not rebuke you.	
10 For the mountains may depart	God's everlasting love for his wife, Israel.
and the hills be removed,	
but my steadfast love shall not depart from you,	
and my covenant of peace shall not be removed,"	
says the LORD, who has compassion on you.	
11 "O afflicted one, storm-tossed and not comforted,	Rev 21:19.
behold, I will set your stones in antimony,	The New Jerusalem
and lay your foundations with sapphires.	
12 I will make your pinnacles of agate (Heb Rubies),	
your gates of crystal,	
and all your wall of precious stones.	
13 All your children shall be taught by the LORD,	Jesus quotes this text in John 6:45.
and great shall be the peace of your children.	
14 In righteousness you shall be established;	
you shall be far from oppression, for you shall not fear;	
and from terror, for it shall not come near you.	
15 If anyone stirs up strife, it is not from me;	
whoever stirs up strife with you shall fall because of you.	
16 Behold, I have created the blacksmith who blows the	
fire of coals and produces a weapon for its purpose.	
I have also created the ravager to destroy;	
17 no weapon that is fashioned against you shall succeed,	
and you shall refute every tongue that rises against you in	
judgment.	
This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD	
and their vindication from me, declares the LORD."	God will vindicate Israel by His Righteousness.

- **Isa 45:17**. But Israel is saved by the LORD with everlasting salvation; you shall not be put to shame or confounded to all eternity.
- **Zech 12:10**. "And I will pour out on the house of David and the inhabitants of Jerusalem a spirit of grace and pleas for mercy, so that, when they look on me, on him whom they have pierced, they shall mourn for him, as one mourns for an only child, and weep bitterly over him, as one weeps over a firstborn.
- **Rev 1:7**. Behold, he is coming with the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him, and all tribes of the earth will wail on account of him. Even so. Amen.
- **Jer 3:14**. Return, O faithless children, declares the LORD; for I am married to you; I will take you, one from a city and two from a family, and I will bring you to Zion.
- Isa 43:15. I am the LORD, your Holy One, the Creator of Israel, your King."
- **Issa 50:1**. Thus says the LORD: "Where is your mother's certificate of divorce, with which I sent her away? Or which of my creditors is it to whom I have sold you? Behold, for your iniquities you were sold, and for your transgressions your mother was sent away.
- **Isa 26:20**. Come, my people, enter your chambers, and shut your doors behind you; hide yourselves for a little while until the fury has passed by.
- **Isa 49:10-13**. They shall not hunger or thirst, neither scorching wind nor sun shall strike them, for he who has pity on them will lead them, and by springs of water will guide them. And I will make all my mountains a road, and my highways shall be raised up. Behold, these shall come from afar, and behold, these from the north and from the west, and these from the land of Syene." Sing for joy, O heavens, and exult, O earth; break forth, O mountains, into singing! For the LORD has comforted his people and will have compassion on his afflicted.

Eze 39:25-29. "Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD: Now I will restore the fortunes of Jacob and have mercy on the whole house of Israel, and I will be jealous for my holy name. They shall forget their shame and all the treachery they have practiced against me, when they dwell securely in their land with none to make them afraid, when I have brought them back from the peoples and gathered them from their enemies' lands, and through them have vindicated my holiness in the sight of many nations. Then they shall know that I am the LORD their God, because I sent them into exile among the nations and then assembled them into their own land. I will leave none of them remaining among the nations anymore. And I will not hide my face anymore from them, when I pour out my Spirit upon the house of Israel, declares the Lord GOD."