

SONG 14: THE RHYTHMS OF LIFE

Song 7:11 – 8:4

- 2 refrains in the Song: 1. Purity (2:7; 3:5; 8:4)
2. Possession (2:16; 6:3; 7:10)

Two scenes:

- I. *Bed and Breakfast* _____ : R _____ 7:11-13
- A. *The need for romantic getaways*
Worth the (considerable) effort and expense
 - B. *The freedom for wives to be aggressive and creative (v13)*
- II. *Bed and Breakfast* _____ : R _____ 8:1-4
- A. *More public displays of affection! (v1)*
 - B. *The responsibilities of parents to teach your kids about sex (v2)*
See wholesome continuity of the generations without shame: let's go
to my home where I first learned about love.
 - C. *There are times of desire that cannot be fulfilled even in marriage*
(v3-4)
Marriage does not eliminate the need for self-control!

The reflections of the soul and Jesus

- I. *You need times away with Jesus for spiritual refreshment*
- Hours
 - Days of Prayer
 - Retreats
- II. *Our waiting and longing for His coming should sometimes seem unbearable*
Romans 8:18-25
Psalm 63