

God's Love Song
Zephaniah 3:8-20

God's Song of Joyful Recovery – Zeph 3:17

- A revelation of God: He loves to deliver and renew His children – Jo 3:16

- A revelation of God's children: They must be loved into being – I Jo 4:7-19

(Song of Solomon 1:15; 2:14; 4:7,9; 5:1; 6:9)

God Reveals His Truth (Zeph 3:2) – Warns through His Prophets (Zeph 1:1) – Wounds and Weakens Rebel Subjects (Zeph 1:15) – Embraces the Humbled, Repentant in Love (Zeph 2:3; 3:12,17)

- "I will give..." – Zeph 3:9

...Grace: The activity of God in behalf of man – Eph 2:8-9

...Faith: Our receptivity of His activity – Eph 2:8-9

- In the Kingdom of God we become what we receive – Jo 1:12; Zeph 3:12; Col 3:3,4

We Inherit What the Savior – Our Representative – Secured:

- We receive a relational oneness with God – Zeph 3:15,17,20; Jo 17:20-24; I Cor 6:17

...a union with God with nothing between us – Jo 14:3

...restoring our fortunes – Zeph 3:20

- We receive an overcoming Life – Zeph 3:15-17; I Jo 5:4,5

...a victorious Warrior Who has dealt with all our oppressors – Zeph 3:13,19; Jo 16:33

...the law – Ro 3:23; Ga 3:13; Ro 8:1-4

...sins/sin – Col 2:13; I Jo 1:9; Ro 6:10-11

...Satan/evil/world – Zeph 3:15; I Jo 3:8; 4:4

- We receive a family – Zeph 3:8-12; I Cor 12:13

...all with equal value – II Cor 4:7

...serving together – Zeph 3:9; Phil 2:3,4

...worshipping together – Zeph 3:10

...living humbly together – Zeph 3:12

- We receive joy – Zeph 3:14,15; I Pet 1:3-8

...the witness upon a Christ-referential Life – Ro 11:36; I Jo 4:18; Phil 4:13