

## PARABLE OF THE WEDDING FEAST Matt. 22:1-14

The parable of Matthew tells us about Yah calling the Jewish people to be His bride but only a remnant accepted His invitation. The others did not take the wedding garment of salvation and robe of righteousness offered by Yeshua. **Matt. 22:1-14** *And Yeshua answered and spoke to them again in parables, saying, “**The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king, who gave a wedding feast for his son.**” And he sent out his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding feast, and they were unwilling to come. 4 “Again he sent out other slaves saying, ‘Tell those who have been invited, “Behold, I have prepared my dinner; my oxen and my fattened livestock are all butchered*



*and everything is ready; come to the wedding feast.” “**But they paid no attention and went their way**, one to his own farm, another to his business, and the rest seized his slaves and mistreated them and killed them. 7 “But the king was enraged and sent his armies, and destroyed those murderers, and set their city on fire. “Then he said to his slaves, ‘**The wedding is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy.**’ Go therefore to the main highways, and as many as you find there, invite to the wedding feast.’ 10 “And those slaves went out into the streets, and gathered together all they found, both evil and good; and the wedding hall was filled with dinner guests. “But when the king came in to look over the dinner guests, **he saw there a man not dressed in wedding clothes**, and he said to him, ‘Friend, **how did you come in here without wedding clothes?**’ And he was speechless. 13 “Then the king said to the servants, ‘Bind him hand and foot, and cast him into the outer darkness; in that place there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.’ “**For many are called, but few are chosen.**” We see a man who came to the wedding but did not respect the wedding occasion enough to come prepared, dressed in clean white linen. All are invited to become brides of Yahveh; Yeshua said "COME", but few will strive to actually qualify to be a bride. Just because your invited, doesn't mean you automatically qualify. Regardless of who comes to a wedding, that*

person must acknowledge the fact that you don't wear regular clothing to a wedding. One must dress accordingly and appropriately. In other-wards, you don't just jump ahead of the line because you were invited to the wedding supper of the lamb by existing, you must honor it and respect the wedding accordingly. The only way you can fit in such an occasion as this is if you are set-apart, holy, and like-minded. You cannot sneak in under the cover of grace. You will be found and expelled.

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