Seeking a Bride for Isaac.

Bible students seem well agreed that Isaac represents Christ. As Abraham gave his son Isaac, in whom centered the promises, to be sacrificed, so the Heavenly Father gave His son, Jesus, to be the Sin-Offering for Adam and his race, and received Him again from the dead, as Abraham figuratively received Isaac. (Hebrews 11:17-19.)

Isaac’s bride, Rebecca, typified the Church of Christ, which is to become His Bride in the resurrection, at His Second Coming. The correspondencies are remarkable. If Isaac represented Jesus, then Abraham would represent the Heavenly Father, and Eliezer, the servant, sent to get the bride, would typify the work of the Holy Spirit, the Spirit of Truth. Rebecca was asked: “Will you go with this man?” In like manner the invitation was extended to the called of this age. (Psalm 45:10-11.)

The blessing upon Rebecca was: “Be thou the mother of thousands of millions.” (Genesis 24:60.) To some Bible students this implies that the Church of Christ will mother in regeneration the millions of Adam’s race, as the glorified Redeemer will be their “Everlasting Father.” (Isaiah 9:6.)