**Chapter Six Study / Discussion Questions**

**Rise Up and Come Away**

1. In what ways do we justify our love from him with our words rather than giving him our bodies to live through?
2. In what ways do we leave Jesus standing outside our walls and peeking through our window and not let him in? How can we make his lonely and rejected state not important to us and our fears the only thing we care about? Is that the heart of a bride?
3. His call to her in chapter two verse 10 is, “Rise up and come away.” At this point, she needs to come away from her selfishness, laziness and lack of care for the things he needs instead of making it all about what she needs and where she is at.
4. How does this Shulamite show us that it is possible to experience real love and union with Jesus and then make it all about our comfort, feelings, and the things we want instead of him?
5. Explain how the wall in chapter two verse nine shows a division between how she lives and how He lives.
6. What is the Shulamite’s response to her Beloved’s exhortation to *“take us the foxes, the little foxes, that spoil the vines: for our vines have tender grapes”* ? What are those foxes trying to destroy? Whose fault is it if the foxes win and break up the vine and branch?

***Students -- Please hand to Kelly by Sunday am church service***