The Feast for You

Lesson 2-The Mysterious Feast

**Introduction:** What does a wedding, a birthday, a funeral, Christmas, Easter, the Superbowl, and the Fourth of July have in common?

 Why? Why is that so important?

Name one thing that brings people together more than this activity.

**Sitting with the Lord**

Exodus 24:9-11-As the children Israel settled at the foot of Mount Sinai, Moses calls the elders to the mountain. Describe the scene.

What are some human analogies that might match this meal?

What was its purpose?

**A Meal to Sustain to Eternal Life**

John 6:26-27; 32-35; 48-57

Before we can discuss these verses in this context. What reasons might we have to avoid saying Jesus is talking about the Lord’s Supper?

What are the best reasons to say that he is describing this meal?

What was bread to the average person?

 How is Jesus bread?

What things does Jesus promise to those who eat his flesh and drink his blood?

 Why speak of eating and drinking?

 Why give bread and wine with his body and blood?

**The Marriage Feast**

Revelation 19:6-9

What do you see, hear, and feel in these words?

Who do you see at the feast? Who else? (Or who is already enjoying this feast?

What does that mean for you when you enjoy the Lord’s Supper?

**A meal that proclaims death with solemn joy**

Jesus said, “Do this in remembrance of me.”

Paul said, “Whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes.”

In what ways are these words often misunderstood?

For what purpose are memorials given? How might that apply to this supper? Who gives?

What are we proclaiming about the Lord’s death when we partake in the supper?

I call this a “mysterious feast” a little wafer and a sip of wine does not seem like much of a feast. However, this is the only feast that can feed both our bodies and souls for eternal life. And the only feast in which heaven and earth unite