Saturday – Read Psalm 45

1. Psalm 45 is a wedding song. John Calvin believes it was written about Solomon when he married his Egyptian bride (1 Kings 3). Write down your initial thoughts about each of these passages from Psalm 45:

   a. vv 1-5:

   b. vv. 6-7

   c. vv. 8-12

   d. vv. 13-17

Monday – Read Psalm 45 and Hebrews 1:8-9.

2. Who does the author of Hebrews say that Psalm 45 is talking about in vv. 6-7?

3. Write down any additional insight from this Psalm based on your response in question 2:

   a. vv 1-5:

   b. vv. 6-7

   c. vv. 8-12

   d. vv. 13-17
Tuesday – Read Psalm 45.
   1. Solomon married a foreigner when he married the daughter of Pharaoh. Christ married a foreigner when he brought the Gentiles, who had previously been excluded, into the Kingdom of God. How would you apply the instructions of vv. 10-11 to yourself as the once-foreign bride of Christ?

Wednesday – Read Psalm 45 and the introduction in Calvin Beisner’s book.
   2. Write down some thoughts you have from what you learn about the Psalms from Beisner’s introduction.

Thursday – Read Psalm 45 and Calvin’s preface to his commentary on the Psalms.
   1. Write down some thoughts you have from what you learn about the Psalms from Calvin’s preface.

   2. How do you think a study of the Psalms might improve your prayer life? Write down your thoughts about this and what goals you might have for this study of the Psalms.