

**“How to Avoid a Bad Night
In the Bedroom”**
Song of Solomon 5:2-8

I. Understand the desire for love may fail because of bad timing. (5:2)

1. Work may cause the problem.
2. Words may not cure the problem.

II. Understand the details for love may feel like too much trouble. (5:3)

1. Guard against having silly priorities.
2. Guard against being a selfish person.

III. Understand the denial of love may flower only temporarily. (5:4-7)

1. You may reconsider saying no. (5:4-5)
2. You may reap from saying no. (5:6)
 - A. He may walk.
 - B. He may not talk.
3. You may regret saying no. (5:7)
 - A. You may be alone.
 - B. You may be ashamed.

IV. Understand the drive of love may flame with testimony. (5:8)

1. Tell others of your love.
2. Tell your mate of your love.