

Psalm 23 ~ My Good Shepherd

The Lord is my shepherd; The great Lord of All is mine and I am his!

I shall not want, because he supplies my every need and
his treasures are abundant and infinite.

He makes me to lie down in green pastures; he walks beside me! The grass is green
and soft underfoot and I am fully at peace.

He leads me beside still waters. I breathe the air - fresh, deep, and clean.

He restores my soul; time with him refreshes and makes me whole.

He leads me in the paths of righteousness; For his name's sake. He teaches me
along the way. May my life bring him glory!

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death - though there is
darkness all around me, I will fear no evil; for you are with me
and I never have to be afraid.

Your rod and staff, they comfort me. You are my protection and your correction is for
my good, so I can trust you. You will never humiliate or embarrass me,
no matter the mess I've made.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. It is a peaceful place,
because you are there.

Though the world is dark, you sit beside me and serve all that I need
to live an abundant life.

You anoint my head with oil; your spirit is upon me and I am chosen and set apart as
your child. My cup runs over, and I am filled with joy in your presence.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; your light flows
through me and all my household will abide in your great love.

And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. I choose you, Jesus, and you have
chosen me. We are family; together forever – even until the end of time.

I praise and thank you, my Good Shepherd!