

Psalm 23

23 The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

² He makes me lie down in green pastures.

He leads me beside still waters.

³ He restores my soul.

He leads me in paths of righteousness

for his name's sake.

⁴ Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil,

for you are with me;

your rod and your staff,

they comfort me.

⁵ You prepare a table before me

in the presence of my enemies;

you anoint my head with oil;

my cup overflows.

⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me

all the days of my life,

and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord

for ever.

All I want for Christmas - Psalm 23

Intro: What's on your list?

David, shepherds and sheep

We need this shepherd

In our abundance (vv.1-3)

...he is the true source

...he secures for us the true path

In our deepest fears (v.4)

The shepherd beside

For our eternal good (vv.5-6)

Shepherd you home

Here is our shepherd! (John 10)

Shepherding to death (John 10)

Shepherded for life

False shepherds

Stubborn sheep

Returning to the shepherd

Living for the shepherd

All I want in a life of thanks