

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 forever. (Psalm 23:1-6)

Because the Lord is my shepherd...

1. I will not lack peace.

"He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters." (v.2)

2. I will not lack restoration.

"He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake." (v.3)

3. I will not lack security.

"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." (v.4)

4. I will not lack blessing.

"You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows." (v.5)

5. I will not lack hope.

"Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever." (v.6)