

Volume 2 Books of Poetry Psalm 23

How can the writer offer anything of substance to such a pinnacle of Biblical and literary work? This psalm is without a doubt one of the most beloved passages of the entire Bible – even when read in the dated King James Version. If there is any thought that may be offered may it be this – notice the personal and intimate manner in which the Psalmist speaks of Yahweh! "Holy Spirit, speak this wonderful psalm to our hearts, making it real in our daily living!"

"A Psalm of David. The LORD is my Shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever." Psalm 23 KJV

"Good Shepherd, I too, want to know You as young David did!"

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