

This Is Everything

Psalm 23

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^{TITLE} A psalm by David.

¹ Yahweh is my shepherd;
I will not lack.

² In grassy pastures¹ He makes me repose.
To² restful waters³ He leads me.

³ My soul He restores.
He guides me in tracks of righteousness for the sake
of His name.

⁴ Even when I walk in the valley of the death-shadow,
I will not fear harm,⁴ for You are with me;
Your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

⁵ You arrange before me a table, in front of my foes;
You refresh my head with oil; my cup overflows.

⁶ Only⁵ goodness and lovingkindness will pursue me all
the days of my life,
and I will return *to dwell* in the house of Yahweh for the
length of *my* days.

(Pastor Phillips' ad hoc translation)

Title:

I. Having Yahweh As _____ Is Everything (vv. 1-4)

A. "I Will Not _____" (vv. 1-3)

1. The basis (v. 1)

2. The _____ (vv. 2-3)

a. _____ (v. 2)

b. _____ ation (v. 3a)

¹ Literally *pastures of grass*.

² Or *up to*.

³ Literally *waters of rests/resting-places*.

⁴ Or *evil*.

⁵ Or *surely*.

c. _____ness (v. 3b)

B. “I Will Not _____” (v. 4)

1. _____ (v. 4a)

2. _____ (v. 4b)

3. _____ (v. 4b-c)

II. Yahweh, My _____ : “I Will _____” (vv. 5-6)

A. _____ What (vv. 5-6a)

1. A luxuriant and unlikely _____ (v. 5)

2. A delightful _____ (v. 6a)

B. _____ What (v. 6b)

Hymns

The King of Love My Shepherd Is (Henry W. Baker, 1868 hymnbook)

<p>1. The King of love my Shepherd is, Whose goodness faileth never, I nothing lack if I am His And He is mine forever.</p> <p>2. Where streams of living water flow My ransomed soul He leadeth, And where the verdant pastures grow, With food celestial feedeth.</p> <p>3. Perverse and foolish oft I strayed, But yet in love He sought me, And on His shoulder gently laid, And home, rejoicing, brought me.</p>	<p>4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill With Thee, dear Lord, beside me; Thy rod and staff my comfort still, Thy cross before to guide me.</p> <p>5. Thou spread'st a table in my sight; Thy unction grace bestoweth; And O what transport of delight From Thy pure chalice floweth!</p> <p>6. And so through all the length of days Thy goodness faileth never; Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise Within Thy house forever.</p>
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My Shepherd Will Supply My Need (Isaac Watts)

<p>1. My shepherd will supply my need: Jehovah is His name; In pastures fresh He makes me feed, Beside the living stream. He brings my wandering spirit back When I forsake His ways, And leads me, for His mercy's sake, In paths of truth and grace.</p> <p>2. When I walk through the shades of death Thy presence is my stay; One word of Thy supporting breath Drives all my fears away. Thy hand in sight of all my foes, Doth still my table spread; My cup with blessings overflows, Thine oil anoints my head.</p>	<p>3. The sure provisions of my God Attend me all my days; O may Thy house be mine abode, And all my work be praise! There would I find a settled rest, While others go and come; No more a stranger, nor a guest, But like a child at home.</p>
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