



In Pursuit of the Good Life

Psalm 23:6

Main Idea: When I pursue the Shepherd, good things will pursue me.

1. Rely on God's faithfulness.

- A) His powerful character
- B) His personal concern
- C) His perpetual care

2. Receive the Lord's love.

- A) His goodness supplies my needs.
- B) His mercy forgives my failures.

3. Reflect on what you leave behind.

- A) You can bless others.
- B) You can be a blessing to God.

4. Remain in the Lord's presence.

- A) In this life
- B) In the life to come

PSALM 23 (English Standard Version)

1 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.