

PSALM 23

VERSE 1

THE LORD

Creator, all powerful, Master

MY NOT THE

Personal relationship

SHEPHERD

Great care and providence of God

JOB 13:15

I SHALL NOT WANT

God will provide my every need Ps.37:25

Content in Savior's care

VERSE 2

LIE DOWN IN GREEN PASTURES

Free from fear

Free from friction

Free from pests

Free from hunger

Protected and in abundance

STILL WATERS

Calm and gentle so as not to disturb sheep

Peace with God

VERSE 3

RESTORETH MY SOUL

Cast down and dejected

Sheep on back and cannot get up 3 reasons

Soft spot, too much wool, too fat

Need comfort of Savior

LEADETH ME IN PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNES

Leads not shouts and pushes

Always in best way

HIS NAME'S SAKE

Bring glory to name of God

VALLEY OF SHADOW OF DEATH

Trials and troubles God will take care

Rod used only 3 feet long

Staff used hook to carry and pull sheep

**PRESENCE OF SHEPHERD GREAT
COMFORT**

NOT JUST DEATH

VERSE 5

TABLE

Mesa prepared by shepherd for sheep

Surrounded by enemies – cannot stop it

HEAD WITH OIL

Heal wounds and hurts of sheep

CUP OVERFLOWS

Provide abundantly

Cup refers to place where sheep drank

VERSE 6

GOD TAKE CARE OF ME ALWAYS

CALM STORM – CALM CHILD

FOLLOW GOD AND LIVE ETERNALLY
