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WHEN I FEEL INSECURE

Psalm 23

- 1 The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing.
- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures,
He leads me beside quiet waters,
3 He refreshes my soul.
He guides me along the right paths for his name's sake.
- 4 Even though I walk through the darkest valley, 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 your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

When David Finds Himself In The Valley
He Makes A _____

What's A Rod & A Staff?

- A Rod Is A Tool For _____ & _____
- A Staff Is A Tool For _____ & _____

How Does Jesus Care For His Sheep?

1. If I Bring Him My Hurts, Jesus _____ Me _____

“When Jesus saw the crowds, his heart was filled with compassion for them because they were hurting and didn't know where to get help. They were like sheep without a shepherd.”

Matthew 9:36

“I came here not to be served, but to serve others, and to give my life as a ransom for many.”

Matthew 20:28

2. If I Wander Away, Jesus _____ Me And _____ Me _____

“All of us, like sheep, have strayed away. We have left God's paths to follow our own. Yet the Lord laid on him the sins of us all.”

Isaiah 53:6

“If a shepherd has 100 sheep, and one wanders away and is lost, won't he leave the 99 safe sheep to go search for the lost one?”

Matthew 18:12

“The godly may trip seven times, but they will get up again.

But one disaster is enough to overthrow the wicked.”

Proverbs 24:16

3. If I Trust Him To Save Me, Jesus _____ Me _____

“My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never die, and no one can steal them out of my hand. My Father gave my sheep to me. He is greater than all, and no person can steal my sheep out of my Father's hand.”

John 10:27-29

MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO . . .

- Memorize Psalm 23
- Ask Jesus Christ to be my Lord, Savior and Shepherd for the 1st time
- Ask Jesus to give me His heart of compassion for the people around me
- Get the most out of this weekend's teaching by attending my Life Group this week.

