



RED LETTER – Pt. 4
Jesus is the Good Shepherd

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1. We are the _____ of God's flock.

Psalm 100:3 (NLT), "Acknowledge that the Lord is God! He made us, and we are his. We are his people, the sheep of his pasture."

1 Peter 5:2-4 (NKJV), "**Shepherd the flock of God** which is among you, serving as overseers, not by compulsion but willingly, not for dishonest gain but eagerly; 3) nor as being lords over those entrusted to you, but being examples to the flock; 4) and when **the Chief Shepherd** appears, you will receive the crown of glory that does not fade away."

2. Jesus is the Good _____.

John 10:10-16 (NLT), "¹⁰The thief's purpose is to **steal and kill and destroy**. My purpose is to give them a **rich and satisfying life**. ¹¹**I am the good shepherd**. The good shepherd **sacrifices his life** for the sheep. ¹²A hired hand will run when he sees a wolf coming. He will abandon the sheep because they don't belong to him and he isn't their shepherd. And so the wolf attacks them and scatters the flock. ¹³The hired hand runs away because he's working only for the money and **doesn't really care about the sheep**. ¹⁴**I am the good shepherd**; I know my own sheep, **and they know me**, ¹⁵just as my Father knows me and I know the Father. So I sacrifice my life for the sheep. ¹⁶I have other sheep, too, that are not in this sheepfold. I must bring them also. **They will listen to my voice**, and there will be one flock with one shepherd."

3. Jesus is the Shepherd of the _____.

Psalm 23:1-3 (NIV), "¹The Lord is my **shepherd**, I **lack nothing**. ²He makes me lie down in **green pastures**, he leads me beside **quiet waters**,

³He **refreshes** my soul. He guides me along the **right paths** for his name's sake."

Proverbs 3:6 (NLT), "**Seek his will** in all you do, and he will show you **which path to take.**"

Psalm 23:4, "⁴Even 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.

Psalm 91:1-3 (NLT), "¹Those who live in the shelter of the Most High will find rest in the shadow of the Almighty. ²This I declare about the LORD: He alone is my refuge, my place of safety; he is my God, and I trust him.

³For **he will rescue you** from every trap and **protect you from deadly disease.**"

Psalm 23:5-6 (NIV), "⁵You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. ⁶Surely **your goodness and love will follow me** all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever."

4. Jesus is the Shepherd to the _____.

Matthew 9:35-36 (NLT), "³⁵Jesus traveled through all the towns and villages of that area, teaching in the synagogues and announcing the Good News about the Kingdom. And he healed every kind of disease and illness. ³⁶When he saw the crowds, **he had compassion on them** because they were confused and helpless, **like sheep without a shepherd.**"

Luke 15:7 (NLT), "In the same way, there is **more joy in heaven over one lost sinner who repents and returns to God** than over ninety-nine others who are righteous and haven't strayed away!"

Luke 19:10 (NLT), "For the Son of Man came to **seek and save those who are lost.**"

1 Peter 2:25 (NLT), "Once **you were like sheep who wandered away**. But now you have turned to your Shepherd, the Guardian of your souls."
