

**Jesus Christ is the Gentle Shepherd  
Psalm 23**

The 23<sup>rd</sup> Psalm was written by David, the shepherd of Israel, probably after all his \_\_\_\_\_ were over and \_\_\_\_\_ ruled.

David recognized himself as a \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ care.

**Psalm 23:1**

David understood that the greatest need of his life was the \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_).

**Psalm 23:1**

Jesus reveals Himself as the \_\_\_\_\_ who leads and cares for His people.

**John 10:11**

As David's \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ causes His lamb to do three things.

The Shepherd gives \_\_\_\_\_ (salvation) to our souls.

**Psalm 23:2;**

The Shepherd gives \_\_\_\_\_ to our souls.

**Psalm 23:2, 3**

The Shepherd leads us down the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

**Psalm 23:3**

Because the Gentle Shepherd leads His sheep, they have nothing to fear.

The tools of discipline are turned into weapons against the enemies.

**Psalm 23:4**

Though surrounded by enemies, the Good Shepherd prepares a feast for His sheep.

**Psalm 23:5**

In life and in death, the Good Shepherd cares for His sheep.

**Psalm 23:6**