Psa 23:1 (KJV) A Psalm of David. The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou *art* with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

Psa 23:1 (TPT) David's poetic praise to God. The Lord is my best friend and my shepherd. I always have more than enough.

Psa 23:2 He offers a resting place for me in his luxurious love. His tracks take me to an oasis of peace, the quiet brook of bliss.

Psa 23:3 That's where he restores and revives my life. He opens before me pathways to God's pleasure and leads me along in his footsteps of righteousness so that I can bring honor to his name.

Psa 23:4 Lord, even when your path takes me through the valley of deepest darkness, fear will never conquer me, for you already have! You remain close to me and lead me through it all the way. Your authority is my strength and my peace. The comfort of your love takes away my fear. *I'll never be lonely, for you are near*.

Psa 23:5 You become my delicious feast even when my enemies dare to fight. You anoint me with the fragrance of your Holy Spirit; you give me all I can drink of you until my heart overflows.

Psa 23:6 So why would I fear the future? For your goodness and love pursue me all the days of my life. Then afterward, when my life is through, I'll return to your glorious presence to be forever with you!

14 Blessings of Sheep

- 1. The Lord as their Shepherd
- 2. No Lack
- 3. Rest in Green Pastures/food
- 4. Refreshing of mind/body
- 5. Restoration of Soul
- 6. Guidance in the paths of right
- 7. Safe passage in this life

- 8. No fear of evil
- 9. Comfort of the Shepherds rod and staff
- 10. Feasting in safety
- 11. Heads anointed
- 12. Cups running over
- 13. Confidence that goodness and mercy are following
- 14. Faith in eternity to be with Him in His House fore

Psalms 23 "Transliteration"/1st Person" Say this outloud!

Lord, You are my Shepherd and companion on this journey. The truth is with You I have no lack, failure or decrease.

I will not be lessened, made lower or bereaved. You make me rest in pleasant places, home. You lead me gently to run with enthusiasm beside a peaceful course. You restore, make me rejoice, bring me home again and deliver, refresh and rescue me. You restore my physical strength, my mental vigor and capacity for meaningful and purposeful existence. You give me power to live and grow. You lead me in the right paths of prosperity for Your honor. When I walk thru the shadows of trouble, distress and evil, You are with me. Your correction and support comfort me. You arrange in order a table, a meal, in the sight of my enemies. You remove the ashes from my head, at the place, time and rank I am in. You anoint me with richness and fruitfulness. I am filled, satisfied and wealthy. Goodness, kindness and mercy chase me all the days of my life, and I settle and remain in your family home forever Lord!