

## Perspective in the Valley

### Psalm 23

- A glimpse \_\_\_\_\_: Jesus \_\_\_\_\_.

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- A glimpse \_\_\_\_\_: Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_.

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- A glimpse \_\_\_\_\_: God's \_\_\_\_\_

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## QUESTIONS FOR FURTHER REFLECTION:

1. Begin by reading Psalm 23.
2. Would you say you experience healthy rest (Sabbath)? How might God “make you lie down in green pastures?”
3. As you think of what lies ahead of you in life, what causes the most anxiety or fear? How does it bring you comfort that Jesus is leading you?
4. Is there anything you feel like you need/long for that you don't currently have? How could the lack of that thing be evidence of God's goodness and love for you?
5. This Psalm ends by saying, “And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.” This means that David's hope was not contingent on any worldly outcome. What is the “bottom line” of your hope? Can you honestly say that it is pointed toward “forever” or is it something more temporal? Explain.