

LIFE / STAND ON GOD'S WORD VERSES

The Lord Is My Shepherd

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A PSALM OF DAVID

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.

- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures.
He leads me beside still waters.
- 3 He restores my soul.
He leads me in paths of righteousness

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Rejoice, O Lord, I lift up my soul.
In you, O Lord, I trust.
Let me not be put to shame,
Let not my enemies exult over me,
And none who wait for you shall be put to shame.
They shall be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.

I Will Bless the Lord

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O Lord, vindicate me, O Lord, for I have walked in my integrity, and I have trusted in the Lord without wavering.
Prove me, O Lord, and try

All the ends of the earth shall remember
even the one who could not keep
himself alive.
Posterity shall serve him,
it shall be told of the Lord to the
coming generation.
They shall come and proclaim his
righteousness to a people yet
unborn,
that he has done it.

Lift up your heads, O gates,
and be lifted up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in.
Who is this King of glory?
The Lord, strong and mighty,
the Lord, mighty in battle!
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Who is this King of glory?
The Lord of hosts,
he is the King of glory!

The friendship of the Lord
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My eyes are ever toward the Lord,
for he will pluck my
net.
Turn to me and be gracious,
for I am lonely and afflicted.
The troubles of my heart
bring me out of my distress.
Consider my affliction and
and forgive all my sins.

Consider how many are nigh,
and with what violent
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Oh, guard my soul, and do not let
me be put to shame,
Let me not be put to shame,
take refuge in you, O Lord.
May integrity and uprightness
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Anyone know last week's verse?

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"The Holy Scriptures
are our letters from home."

- Augustine of Hippo

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which shows up our own crookedness. We can't
really tell how crooked our thinking is until we
line it up with the straight edge of Scripture."**

- Elizabeth Elliot

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• **John 14:26** - "But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will **teach you** all things, and **bring to your remembrance** all that I said to you."

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1 "Listen to Me in silence, you coastlands, And let the peoples gain new strength; Let them come forward, then let them speak; Let's come together for judgment.

2 "Who has stirred one from the east Whom He calls in righteousness to His feet? He turns nations over to him And subdues kings. He makes them like dust with his sword, Like the wind-driven chaff with his bow.

3 "He pursues them, passing on in safety, By a way he had not been traversing with his feet. 4 "Who has performed and accomplished it, Summoning the generations from the beginning? **'I, the Lord, am the first, and with the last. I am He.'** "

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⁵The coastlands have seen and are afraid; The ends of the earth tremble; They have approached and have come. ⁶Each one helps his neighbor And says to his brother, "Be strong!"

⁷So the craftsman encourages the smelter, And he who smooths metal with the hammer encourages him who beats the anvil, Saying of the soldering, "It is good"; And he fastens it with nails, So that it will not totter.

⁸But you, Israel, My servant, Jacob whom I have chosen, Descendant of Abraham My friend,

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¹⁰Do not fear, for I am with you; Do not be afraid, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, I will also help you, I will also uphold you with My righteous right hand.'

¹¹'Behold, all those who are angered at you will be shamed and dishonored; Those who contend with you will be as nothing and will perish.'

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12" You will seek those who quarrel with you, but will not find them,

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Charles Spurgeon

"Every truthful man feels that he has a right to be believed. He speaks upon the honour of an honest man, and if you say, 'I cannot believe you,' and begin to lament that you have no faith in him, the reflection is not upon yourself, but on the person whom you cannot believe. And shall it ever come to this, that God's own children shall say that they cannot believe their God? Oh, sin of sins! It takes away the very Godhead from God, for if God be not true, he is not a God; and if he be not fit to be believed, neither is he fit to be adored, for a God whom you cannot trust you cannot worship."

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O Lord, vindicate me, O Lord, for I have walked in my way, and I have trusted in the Lord without wavering. Prove me, O Lord, and test my heart, and my reins, for your steadfast love is true, and I walk in your truth.

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The Lord Is My Shepherd

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A PSALM OF DAVID

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside still waters; He restores my soul; He leads me in paths of righteousness

25

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Oh, praise the Lord, O Lord; vindicate me, O Lord; for I have walked in my integrity, and I have trusted in the Lord without wavering; Prove me, O Lord, and try

All the ends of the earth shall remember
even the one who could not keep
himself alive
Posterity shall serve him;
it shall be told of the Lord to the
coming generation
they shall come and proclaim his
righteousness to a people yet
unborn
that he has done it.

Lift up your heads, O gates;
and be lifted up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in;
who is this King of glory?
The Lord, strong and mighty,
the Lord, mighty in battle;
Lift up your heads, O gates;
and lift them up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in;
who is this King of glory?
The Lord of hosts,
he is the King of glory.

The friendship of the Lord
who fear him
and he makes known
covenant.
My eyes are ever toward
for he will pluck my
net.
Turn to me and be gracious,
for I am lonely and afflicted;
The troubles of my heart
bring me out of my distress;
Consider my affliction and
and forgive all my sins.

Consider how many are
and with what violent
hate me;
Oh, guard my soul, and do
Let me not be put to
take refuge in you;
May integrity and uprightness
preserve me;
for I wait for you.

22 Redeem Israel, O God;
out of all his troubles.