

# **God's Victory** for My Dark Valleys

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#### The 23rd Psalm

<sup>1</sup>"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

<sup>2</sup>He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. <sup>3</sup>He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

<sup>5</sup>You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. <sup>6</sup>Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever." (English Standard Version)

### The truth about valleys:

	Valleys are INEVITABLE
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Valleys are UNPREDICTABLE

Valleys are INCONVENIENT

Valleys are TEMPORARY

Valleys are PURPOSEFUL

John 16:33

Jeremiah 4:20

Proverbs 6:15

Psalm 23:4

1 Peter 1:6; Romans 8:18

1 Peter 1:7; James 1:2-4

#### How to overcome the dark valley:

Instead of talking	God, start talking	God

God becomes \_\_\_\_\_ in our dark valleys

Refuse

Rely on God's \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_

Christians are \_\_\_\_\_ from dark valleys



We will sing together

Online Notes



A host will say "Hello"



You will hear an encouraging message



We will sina some more



We will receive an offering





## **Memory Verse**

"Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me."
Psalm 23:4 ESV

#### **My Next Steps:**

- o I'll memorize Psalm 23:4
- o Today, for the first time, I'm choosing to accept Jesus as my Lord and Savior!
- o I'll apply one step this week to acheive God's victory in my dark valley
- o I'll attend the rest of the Daily Victory Through the 23rd Psalm teaching series

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