

I Am Guided | Psalm 23

- 1. How much are we like sheep as they prefer to stay on well known pastures even to the point of destroying their pasture and getting sick? Are we content where we are with God or are we keen for new adventures with him?
- 2. Like sheep, that cannot go everywhere, in what ways can we get into a place in our lives that is not spiritually healthy for us?
- 3. Like sheep, how excited do we get with new pastures? New opportunities for God new revelations of his desires for us and his will for us etc. Are we keen to move on?
- 4. Discuss and consider the "Instead of" statements we looked at on Sunday, which are a practical guide in God's paths of righteousness. How does God guide us into these paths? How can we encourage one another to practice these "Instead of" statements?

As a reminder here they are:-

- Instead of me, put God first and others next, me last.
- Instead of being one of the crowd be prepared to be set apart even singled out.
- Instead of insisting on my rights, be willing to let them go in favour of others.
- Instead of wanting to be top dog and boss, be prepared to be at the bottom.
- Instead of finding fault and blaming others, be willing to accept my circumstances with an attitude of gratitude.
- Instead of asserting my will, I will seek God's will.
- Instead of choosing my path, I will choose to follow God's "paths of righteousness for HIS names sake."
- 5. How does God guide us today?



What did you discover about God in this passage? What did you discover about people in this passage? How will you commit to obey this passage this week? With whom will you share what you have learned?

