

The Lord is My Shepherd



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I shall not want.

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He maketh me to lie down

in green pastures;



He leadeth me

beside 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 my 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.



The King of love my shepherd is,
whose goodness faileth never.
I nothing lack if I am his,
and he is mine forever.

Where streams of living water flow,
my ransomed soul he leadeth;
and where the verdant pastures grow,
with food celestial feedeth.

Perverse and foolish, oft I strayed,
but yet in love he sought me;
and on his shoulder gently laid,
and home, rejoicing, brought me.

In death's dark vale I fear no ill,
with thee, dear Lord, beside me;
thy rod and staff my comfort still,
thy cross before to guide me.

Thou spreadst a table in my sight;
thy unction grace bestoweth;
and oh, what transport of delight
from thy pure chalice floweth!

And so through all the length of days,
thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing thy praise
Within God's house forever.

--*Sir Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877)*

