
The Gospel Of John
"The Good Shepherd"
John 10

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Introduction: As we continue our study through John and come to chapter 10, things are coming to a head.

1. We are now a few months from Calvary and the opposition to Jesus is becoming more intense.
2. In this setting, Jesus shares a very powerful and absolutely clear message.
3. Jesus is the Good Shepherd, He lays down his life for the sheep, He gives His sheep eternal life, so they will never perish.
4. His message was so clear, the Jews try to kill Him twice here in chapter 10.
5. Obviously, it is an important text.
6. One of the common ways scripture describes God's relationship with His people is as a shepherd.
7. It was something everyone in Israel would understand.
8. His message is as important today as it was in Christ's day.
9. Every one of us needs a shepherd, this text gives us the chance to see what Jesus has to offer.

I. A Picture Of The Good Shepherd

- A. He Knows
- B. He Cares
- C. He Acts

II. The Plan Of The Good Shepherd

- A. A Contrast
- B. A Purpose
- C. A Transformation

Conclusion: At times life can feel like a maze.

1. Satan has deceived us into thinking we are in control and can direct our own lives.
2. Human history and personal experience points to the fact we need a Good Shepherd.
3. There is no better shepherd than Jesus.
4. He laid down His life, He rose from the dead, He offers us life to its very full.
5. Will you invite Him to be your Shepherd today?