

Your Verse



Psalm 23 with Ethan Morrison

INTRODUCTION

Throughout seasons of life, we seek stability. Our current situation is no exception. What provides you a sense of security? Through this series, we want to encourage you to hold onto Scripture. Nothing in this world has the stability that we can find in the Word of God.

GROUP SHARING

1. Have someone in the group share their verse.
2. **Read it together** - have your group turn to that passage and look at it together.
3. Ask those who share their verse this week - Why did you choose this passage? When did you choose it? How have you held onto this verse in your life?
4. Have one or two members share each week, hearing from each member throughout the series.
5. If time allows, continue the discussion related to this week's message.

MESSAGE DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

6. What is one thing that stood out to you from Sunday's message?
7. **Read Psalm 23.**
8. This Psalm describes God as our Shepherd, how does that bring you comfort?
9. What valley's have you walked through in your life? Do you believe God was with you? Why or why not?
10. Why is it difficult for us to believe that God is with us in the valleys of life?
11. Since God is a Shepherd, how does He use the rod and the staff throughout life? How are we to respond when He uses them?
12. When we are in the presence of the Shepherd, we find great comfort, abounding goodness and consistent mercy. What is holding you back from enjoying His presence in spite of what season of life you find yourself?

NEXT STEPS

1. Talk to your group about the desire for each of us to have a life verse. Encourage each group member to choose a passage that they can memorize and hold onto tightly. If they need some help or some possible suggestions, point them to bridgewater.church/your-verse where we have put together 100 verses from a dozen different topics.
2. Encourage each member to share their life verse through the remainder of the series. Start with those who already know their verse, giving time to those who may need to find one.