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Msg #1710 The Good, Great, and Chief Shepherd What The Bible Says Good Samaritan's Penny Pulpit by Pastor Ed Rice When David wrote "The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want," God was using a shepherd boy as a pen to write a preamble for his only begotten Son. Jesus said, "I am the Good Shepherd... I am the Great Shepherd... I am the Chief Shepherd" (John 10:11, Heb 13:20, 1Pet 5:4). How disparaging it would be to go through life with David's twenty-third Psalm memorized, yet not knowing its three-fold fulfillment. "The Good Shepherd giveth his life for the sheep," and can say, "I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved" (John 10:9). The Good Shepherd is God's fulfillment of David's twenty-second Psalm, "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?... All they that see me laugh me to scorn... saying He trusted on the LORD that he would deliver him... they pierced my hands and my feet... They part my garments among them, and cast lots upon my vesture" (Psalm 22). On the cruel cross of Calvary the Good Shepherd gave his life FOR the sheep, in place of, instead of, in substitution for, in propitiation of, the sinner... For while we were yet sinners, Christ died FOR us. Have you used the Door? Only the SAVED have a Great Shepherd, that fulfills David's twenty-third Psalm. That Great Shepherd of the sheep, brought from the dead, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, can make you perfect in every good work, as he "maketh me to lie down in green pastures... restoreth my soul, leadeth me in paths of righteousness for his names sake." At Christ's 2nd coming that Chief Shepherd shall appear with my crown of Glory and fulfill David's twenty-fourth Psalm, "The earth is the LORD's and the fulness thereof; the world, and they that dwell therein." An Essay for week #10 Mar 5, 2017 Msg in audio at [www.GSBaptistChurch.com/audio/gs170305.mp3](http://www.GSBaptistChurch.com/audio/gs170305.mp3) Msg in your weekly email, visit us at [www.GSBaptistChurch.com](http://www.GSBaptistChurch.com) Copyright © 2017 Good Samaritan Baptist Church, All Public Domain A weekly 300 word essay- The Penny Pulpit Our mailing address is: Good Samaritan Baptist Church 54 Main St. Box 99 Dresden, NY 14441

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