Ring Farm and The Rings

SHEEP IN THE BIBLE

The Bible uses shepherd imagery to show God’s care, leadership, and our need for guidance.

For generations, people have understood what it means to be led, protected, and known by a shepherd.



CHRISTIANS BELIEVE THE BIBLE IS GOD'S WORD AND IT TEACHES US HOW WE CAN KNOW GOD

Here are some Bible verses about sheep and shepherds.

“WE ALL, LIKE SHEEP, HAVE GONE ASTRAY, EACH OF US HAS TURNED TO OUR OWN WAY.” (ISAIAH 53:6)

Why does God liken us to sheep?
Sheep have a tendancy to go astray!
(Astray = Take the wrong path)
What makes our way different from God's way?
Jesus said: "I am the Way..."

I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD, AND KNOW MY SHEEP, AND AM KNOWN OF MINE. (JOHN 10:14)

What does God know about us?
Does this mean that only some people are God's sheep?
What makes people God's sheep?
How do we get to know God?



I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD. THE GOOD SHEPHERD GIVES HIS LIFE FOR THE SHEEP. (JOHN 10:11)

Why does Jesus say I am THE good shepherd, not A good shepherd?
Why did Jesus say that he gave his life for the sheep?
Did he need to give his life for the sheep?

MY SHEEP HEAR MY VOICE, AND I KNOW THEM, AND THEY FOLLOW ME. (JOHN 10:27)

How do we hear God’s voice?

How can we follow Jesus today?



THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD; I SHALL NOT WANT... (PSALM 23)

If Jesus is our shepherd, what does that mean?

