



MY FOREVER HOME

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And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever. PSALM 23:6 ESV

At this point in the beloved psalm, David envisions the seasonal return of the flock to the _____.

1. Desire the Good Shepherd's presence.

“Dwell” = to sit down, inhabit, or live in

Are you _____ with God, or are you
_____ in His presence?

Where shall I go from your Spirit? Or where shall I flee from your presence? ⁸ If I ascend to heaven, you are there! If I make my bed in Sheol, you are there! ⁹ If I take the wings of the morning and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea, ¹⁰ even there your hand shall lead me, and your right hand shall hold me. ¹¹ If I say, “Surely the darkness shall cover me, and the light about me be night,” ¹² even the darkness is not dark to you; the night is bright as the day, for darkness is as light with you. PSALM 139:7-12 ESV

_____ is with the Good Shepherd of my soul.

2. Delight in going to God's house for worship.

One thing have I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to inquire in his temple. PSALM 27:3 ESV

I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the LORD!" PSALM 122:1 ESV

Do you share _____ in going to the Lord's house to worship Him?

For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere. I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness. PSALM 84:10 ESV

3. Discover your eternal dwelling place with God.

"In my Father's house are many rooms ..." JOHN 14:1-3

And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God." REVELATION 21:3