



THE SHEEPDOGS OF HEAVEN

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Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life.

PSALM 23:6 ESV

The word translated “follow” means _____

The word “surely” sets forth the _____
between the shepherd and his sheep.

The shepherd conveys to his sheep a _____ and
_____ about the future.

The Sheepdog Named Goodness

Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good. PSALM 34:8 ESV

*Oh, how abundant is your goodness, which you have stored up for those who
fear you.* PSALM 31:8A ESV

Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever!
PSALM 107:1 ESV

*And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who
love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.*

ROMANS 8:28 NAS

Every detail in our lives of love for God is worked into something good. ROMANS
8:28 MSG

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The Sheepdog Named Mercy

The Bible also renders the word translated as “mercy” as

_____, _____, or _____.

In the Hebrew language, *hesed* speaks of God’s _____ and is something on which we can _____.

_____ is God giving us good things we do not deserve;

_____, is God withholding from us the divine punishment we do deserve.