

TRUST ISSUES

Psalm 23:1–6 (NKJV)

1 The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. 2 He makes me to lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside the still waters. 3 He restores my soul; He leads me in the paths of righteousness For His name's sake.

Psalm 23:1–6 (NKJV)

4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; For You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me. 5 You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; You anoint my head with oil; My cup runs over.

Psalm 23:1–6 (NKJV)

6 This is Jacob, the generation of those who seek Him, Who seek Your face. Selah 7 Lift up your heads, O you gates! And be lifted up, you everlasting doors! And the King of glory shall come in. 8 Who is this King of glory? The LORD strong and mighty, The LORD mighty in battle.

Psalm 23:1–6 (NKJV)

9 Lift up your heads, O you gates! Lift up, you everlasting doors! And the King of glory shall come in.

Whatever we trust determines the direction of our lives.

Isaiah 26:3 (NIV)

You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in you.

When you have trust issues you will create peace issues.

Breakthrough happens when you shift from Jesus not just being your savior, but Jesus also being your shepherd.

1. Trust Gods Pace

Psalm 27:14 (NIV)

Wait for the Lord; be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord.

Habbakuk 2:3 (NIV)

For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay.

2 Peter 3:8-9 (NIV)

But do not forget this one thing, dear friends: With the Lord a day is like a thousand years, and a thousand years are like a day. 9 The Lord is not slow in keeping his

promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance.

2. Trust His Path

Proverbs 3:5-6 (NIV)

Trust in the Lord with all your heart
and lean not on your own understanding;
in all your ways submit to him,
and he will make your paths straight.

Psalms 32:8 (NIV)

I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my loving eye on you.

3. Trust His Protection

Psalms 91:1-4 (NIV)

Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High
will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.[a]
I will say of the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress,
my God, in whom I trust."

Psalms 91:1-4 (NIV)

Surely he will save you
from the fowler's snare
and from the deadly pestilence.
He will cover you with his feathers,
and under his wings you will find refuge;
His faithfulness will be your shield and rampart.

Sometimes God protects you from the fire and sometimes he protects you through the fire.

Sometimes the miracle is not that God kept you out of it. The miracle is that he brought you through it.

Isaiah 43:2 (NIV)

When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;
and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze.

"Faith is not trusting God because you can see where you're going. Faith is trusting God because you know who is leading."