

SERMON OUTLINE for April 22, 2018

Text: John 10:11-18

Title: "Jesus the True Shepherd"

Introduction

There are many things and many people who would like to shepherd your life, but there is only one "True Shepherd." Today, Jesus gives you his qualifications to be your shepherd.

- I. The qualities of Jesus the True Shepherd (verses 11-13)
 - A. He lays down his life for the sheep.
 - B. He protects the sheep.
- II. The relationship of the sheep to Jesus the True Shepherd (verses 14-16).
 - A. He knows the sheep and the sheep know him and listen to him.
 - B. He owns all the sheep, but not all are in the pen.
- III. The control of the sheep's lives belongs to Jesus the True Shepherd (verses 17-18).
 - A. He laid down his life to save the sheep.
 - B. He has the authority over death.

Conclusion

Only Jesus is truly qualified to shepherd your life.