

Dying to Live: John 10:1-21
Our Living Hope (The Gospel of John)
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Jesus, the good shepherd, dies voluntarily for us so that we can live abundantly through him.

1. Jesus Pictures His Personal Leadership as Our Good Shepherd, 10:1-6

a. The right to lead us, 10:1-5

the presence of the real shepherd whom we can fully trust is confirmed by:

the responsiveness of the watchman (connecting the shepherd with his sheep)

the attentiveness of the sheep (voice recognition)

b. The failure to understand Jesus, 10:6

if we're not careful, we can also easily miss the truth that Jesus intends for us

2. Jesus Emphasizes His Personal Sacrifice as Our Good Shepherd, 10:7-21

a. The gracious gate, 10:7-10

Jesus is the entry point into God's kingdom and a life that is full and overflowing

b. The good shepherd, 10:11-18

what distinguishes Jesus as our good shepherd is that he lays down his life for the sheep

c. The mixed response, 10:19-21