

## CHAPTER FOUR

# “HE LEADS ME BESIDE QUIET WATERS”

**Isaiah 49:10** *“They will neither hunger nor thirst, nor will the desert heat or the sun beat down on them. He who has compassion on them will guide them and lead them beside springs of water.”*

“To drink” in spiritual terminology simply means to \_\_\_\_\_. That is to say it implies that a person \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the very life of \_\_\_\_\_ to the point where it \_\_\_\_\_.

**Three sources of water for sheep are: dew on the grass, deep wells, and springs or streams.**

What is the parallel in our Christian life to “dew on the grass”? What are the parallels to “deep wells” in our lives? What are the benefits to us?

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Describe a time you felt you were in a deep well and the result of that experience on your walk of faith. \_\_\_\_\_

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Why do people, like sheep, sometimes “drink from small, dirty, muddy pools” along the trail?

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List some “hidden dangers” that might be present in these alternative sources that we humans use to quench our thirst. \_\_\_\_\_

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What are the consequences of our misjudgment? How do we guard against the dangers of making bad decisions?

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**Read John 14:16-17, 15:26, 16:13-14** List some of the benefits of a “Life in Christ.”

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