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Red Bank on Mission

Living the Abundant Life

Psalm 23, Ecclesiastes 1:1-11, John 10:1-11

Everyone wants to live an abundant life. The world lures people to believe wealth, prestige, pleasure, position, sports, social media presence provides the abundant life people crave. People quickly realize the emptiness of the world's promise. The only way to have abundant life is through Jesus Christ.

Additional Verses:

Mark 8:36

John 4:14-15, 7:28, 15, 17:3

Colossians 3:4

Galatians 6:8

Outline:

1. The world's empty promise of the abundant life.

2. Jesus' assured promise of the abundant life.

3. Living the abundant life with the Shepherd.

Provision

Rest

Rejuvenation

Guidance

Purpose

Peace

Presence

Protection

Usefulness

Blessing

Steadfastness

Reward

Study Questions:

1. How does the world's promise of an abundant life always fail? Where has the world's promise failed you? What did God teach you during that time?

2. What is your reaction when Jesus promises an abundant life? Why?

3. Why does Jesus start the conversation about abundant life with shepherd imagery? What is the first step to claim the promised abundant life?

4. How does the abundant life apply to life now and life eternal?

5. How does Psalm 23 describe living the abundant life with Jesus? Which verse encourages you the most? Why?

6. Explain your responsibility to experience the abundant life daily?

7. How is the Holy Spirit leading you to respond to God today?