

grow  
*together*



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**P**ause to be with God

**R**ejoice & Reflect on Scripture

**A**sk for God's help

**Y**ield to God's will for your life





# *Pause*

BREATHE DEEPLY TO REMIND YOUR  
BODY TO SLOW DOWN

REJOICE

Psalm 23



**PSALM 23:1-4** NIV

The LORD is my shepherd, I lack nothing.

<sup>2</sup> He makes me lie down in green pastures,  
he leads me beside quiet waters,

<sup>3</sup> he refreshes my soul.

He guides me along the right paths  
for his name's sake.

<sup>4</sup> Even though I walk  
through the darkest valley,

I will fear no evil,  
for you are with me;  
your rod and your staff,  
they comfort me.



**PSALM 23:5-6 NIV**

You prepare a table before me  
in the presence of my enemies.

You anoint my head with oil;  
my cup overflows.

<sup>6</sup> Surely your goodness and love will follow me  
all the days of my life,  
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

LEADER

*This is the word of the Lord.*

PEOPLE

*Thanks be to God!*



Where have you seen God be your good shepherd? Whether in times of peace and rest or in times of darkness and evil?



# REFLECT

Think about all that happened in 2024. Thank God for His blessings and rejoice for all He has done in your life.





**ASK**

Think about what might be ahead for 2025. Ask God for His help and for His will to be done in your life.



**JOHN 15:1-4** NIV

“I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. <sup>2</sup> He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. <sup>3</sup> You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. <sup>4</sup> Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.”



**JOHN 15:5 NIV**

“I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.”

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PEOPLE

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If the **ONLY** way I will bear fruit in 2025 is by “remaining” in Jesus, how will I make time in my schedule to be with Him in prayer and reading His Word each day?



**YIELD**

Pray the Lord's Prayer together.



*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
Your kingdom come, Your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from the evil one.  
For yours is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever, **Amen.***

