

3. When I remember you upon *my bed*, \*  
 I muse on you through the watches *of the night*.  
 For you have been *my strength*; \*  
 in the shadow of your wings *I rejoice*.  
 My soul clings fast *to you*; \*  
 your right *hand upholds* me.
4. Those who seek to destroy *my life* \*  
 shall go down to the depths *of the earth*.  
 Put to the power of *the sword*, \*  
 they shall be left as prey *for the jackals*.
5. But the king shall rejoice in God; †  
 all that swear by him shall *exult*, \*  
 for the mouth of liars *shall be silenced*.

## COMMUNION

*Ego sum pastor bonus*

*Jn 20: 14*

II

I am the good shepherd, al-le-lu-ia; I know my  
 sheep and my own know me, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

Psalm 23 (22)

1. The LORD *is my shepherd*; \*  
there is nothing I *shall want*.  
Fresh and green *are the pastures* \*  
where he gives me *repose*.  
Near restful *waters he leads* me; \*  
he revives *my soul*.
  
2. He guides me along *the right path*, \*  
for the sake of *his name*.  
Though I should walk in the valley of the shadow of death, †  
no evil would I fear, for *you are with* me. \*  
Your crook and your staff will give *me comfort*.
  
3. You have prepared a *table before* me \*  
in the sight of *my foes*.  
My head you have anointed *with oil*; \*  
my cup is *overflowing*.
  
4. Surely goodness and mercy *shall follow* me \*  
all the days of *my life*.  
In the LORD's own house *shall I dwell* \*  
for length of days *unending*.

Glory be to the Father ...