

Sermon Notes – January 30, 2022

The Good Shepherd (*John 10:11-15*)

- I. Jesus is DISTINCT from other shepherds.
 - A. The source of GOODNESS.
 1. KALOS: pre-eminent, authentic, genuine, true, INTRINSICALLY GOOD. (Holy). Beauty in character and service.
The kalos shepherd. (*John 10:11*) The kalos wine. (*John 2:10*)
 2. AGATHOS: honorable, pleasing to God, beneficial. Being good in character is beneficial in its effect.
Agathos teacher. (*Luke 18:18*)
Agathos tree. (*Matthew 7:17*)
Agathos and faithful servant. (*Matthew 25:21*)
 - B. The shepherd, the GOOD.
 1. The types of Christ pointing to Christ.
 - a. Abel: righteous keeper of sheep. Slain by wicked hands.
(*Genesis 4:2*) (*Hebrews 11:4*)
 - b. Jacob: resourceful one who cared for the sheep.
(*Genesis 30:31, 31:38-40; 33: 13,14*)
 - c. Joseph: the feeder of the flock. (*Genesis 37*)
 - d. Moses: kept the flock. (*Exodus 2:16,17*)
 - e. David: the royal shepherd. (*Psalms 2, 22, etc*)
 - f. The Anti-Christ: foolish, worthless shepherd. (*Zechariah 11:16,17*)
 - g. The Good Shepherd: Jesus the perfect lamb of God!
 - C. The SACRIFICIAL shepherd.
 1. His definite atonement.
 - a. The good shepherd dies for the sheep. (*John 10*)
 - b. The good shepherd justifies the many. (*Isaiah 53:11*)
 - c. The good shepherd ransoms the many. (*Matthew 20:28*) (*Mark 10:45*)
 - d. The good shepherd dies for his friends. (*John 15:12-17*)
 - e. The good shepherd sheds his blood for the church.
(*Acts 20:28*) (*Ephesians 5:1,2,25*)
 2. His definite contrast.
 - a. Jesus is not a compassionless hireling.
 - b. Jesus is not an unconcerned coward. (*Revelation 21:8*)



3. His definite intimacy.
 - a. With the Father. (*10:30*)
 - b. With His sheep.
4. His definite Gospel.
 - a. The Good Shepherd: His death. (*John 10:11*)
 - b. The Great Shepherd: His resurrection. (*Hebrews 13:20*)
 - c. The Chief Shepherd: His return. (*1 Peter 5:4*)