

## The Flock/Church Metaphor

➤ To mature in our faith, we need to understand why God compares us to a flock...

Psalm 23; John 10:14-16

- I. Sheep are U\_\_\_\_\_
  - A. C\_\_\_\_\_ for Dominance (Phil. 2:3-4)
  - B. No Sense of D\_\_\_\_\_ (Is. 53:6)
  
- II. Sheep are V\_\_\_\_\_
  - A. Go A\_\_\_\_\_ (Gal. 6:1)
  - B. G\_\_\_\_\_ [Herd Mentality] (Matt. 7:15)
  - C. D\_\_\_\_\_ (Matt. 9:36; Heb. 24-25)
  
- III. Sheep are S\_\_\_\_\_
  - A. Creatures of H\_\_\_\_\_ & Resist Change
  - B. S\_\_\_\_\_ Easy Places to Rest (Luke 10:2)
  
- IV. Sheep R\_\_\_\_\_ the Shepherd's Voice (John 10:14-16)
  
- V. Sheep Are Not Meant to C\_\_\_\_\_
  - B\_\_\_\_\_ (Ps. 55:22a)