## I Am I Am the Gate and the Good Shepherd

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John 10:1-21

Big Idea: You need a shepherd who keeps you safe so that you can truly live.

John 20:31		
John 17:3, 19-21		

• You need a shepherd.

John 10:2-3 Ezekiel 34:22-24

John 10:1

• You need a shepherd who keeps you safe.

John 10:9-10

• You need a shepherd who keeps you safe so you can truly live.

John 10:14-161 Timothy 6:17-19

## **Message Questions**

We continue in our 7-week series in the "I Am" statements of Jesus. This week is "I Am the Good Shepherd and the Gate." Jesus reveals himself to us through seven "I Am" statements in the book of John. This Sunday, the big idea is, Jesus is the shepherd who keeps you safe so that you can truly live. Our passage is John 10:1-21.

Use these questions to discuss the message from Sunday, focusing on how you can **grow** as an everyday follower of Jesus and how you can **go** accomplish what Jesus calls you to do.

1. Have someone read **John 10:1-2.** What differences do you notice between the shepherd and the thief's actions? Pastor Steve said that Jesus is the voice and leader we need. Who or what is influencing and leading you?

2. Read **John 10:3-4.** What behaviors do you observe in the shepherd? How do you see the sheep respond? How have you seen Jesus be a good shepherd in your past?

3.	Have someone read <b>John 10:9-14.</b> Pastor Stedeliverer and the ultimate place of safety. What follower of Jesus who lives for others?	
4.	How can you <b>grow</b> in your listening to Jesus? helped you <b>grow</b> in your relationship with him?	
5.	Jesus is the shepherd who keeps you safe so What are some sacrificial ways you can <b>go</b> an to do?	
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