

The Found Sheep



Start with the sheep and the shepherd in a box beside the sheepfold.

Take out the shepherd and place him outside the sheepfold.

We are remembering the good shepherd and his sheep

Do you remember what he had in his bag? Oil; slingshot; lunch, water...

The good shepherd loves his sheep and calls each one by name...

They follow him because they know his voice ...

Take each sheep through the gate into the sheepfold.

At night, the good shepherd stays near the sheep to protect them

He will lay down his life to protect them.

In the morning, the good shepherd and all his sheep will be led out to green pastures...

As soon as he calls, they will come because they know his voice...

Take each sheep through the gate and place them near the shepherd.

They won't follow a stranger, because they don't know a stranger's voice.

Here they are in green pastures with a lovely stream and still waters...

The good shepherd stays with his sheep all day long.

When they are moving around eating the grass, one of the sheep sees something a long way off and goes there.

Move one of the sheep away



When the day starts to get dark, the good shepherd takes them home.
As each sheep comes past, he checks each one to see if it is hurt.
He knows how many sheep he has, and he knows each one by name.
They love to come running when they hear his voice.

Shepherd examines sheep as they come through the gate.

Then he notices that one is missing – it's not there.
He closes the gate to the sheepfold and ...

Shepherd closes the gate.

Let's read the story to find out what happens...

Light candle

Read story from Scriptures Lk 15:4-6

4 "What man among you having a hundred sheep and losing one of them would not leave the ninety-nine in the desert and go after the lost one until he finds it?

Shepherd goes to lost sheep.

5 And when he does find it, he sets it on his shoulders with great joy
6 and, upon his arrival home, he calls together his friends and neighbors and says to them, 'Rejoice with me because I have found my lost sheep.'

Shepherd takes lost sheep back to sheepfold.

