

THE GOSPEL OF
JOHN
THAT YOU MAY BELIEVE
with DANIEL BENTLEY

THE HIRELING AND THE SHEPHERD • JOHN 10:11-21
PASTOR DANIEL BENTLEY • DECEMBER 3 & 4, 2022

- *We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way... - Isaiah 53:6*

I. THE HIRELING IS MOTIVATED BY MONEY.
TRUE SHEPHERDS ARE MOTIVATED BY LOVE, LIKE JESUS.
- verses 12-13

II. HIRELINGS DON'T CARE FOR THE SHEEP. TRUE SHEPHERDS CARE DEEPLY FOR THE SHEEP, LIKE JESUS.
- verse 13

- *Know well the condition of your flocks... - Proverbs 27:23*

III. HIRELINGS ABANDON THEIR SHEEP AT THE FIRST SIGN OF DANGER. TRUE SHEPHERDS DEFEND THEIR FLOCK AT ALL COSTS, LIKE JESUS - verses 11, 15, 17, 18

- *Your servant has been keeping his father's sheep. When a lion or a bear came and carried off a sheep from the flock, I went after it, struck it, and rescued the sheep from its mouth. When it turned on me, I seized it by its hair, struck it and killed it.. - I Samuel 17:34-35*

IV. OUR GOOD SHEPHERD WILLINGLY LAID DOWN HIS LIFE FOR US - verse 18

V. HOW TO KNOW IF YOU'RE A SHEEP - verses 14-15a

- *This is eternal life, that they know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. - John 17:3*