



July & August memory passage: **Psalm 22**

July & August memory verse: **Psalm 19:14** *Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer.*

Series: Praying Through (03)

Title: Praying Through the Valley

Scripture: Psalm 23

1. Praise Jesus for being your personal Lord and Savior. (Psalm 23:1)
2. Praise Jesus for satisfying your daily needs and desires. (Psalm 23:1-3)
 - a. He personally guides you to nourishment. (His NAME is at stake.)
 - b. He personally leads you in righteousness. (His GLORY is at stake.)
3. Praise Jesus for walking through the valleys of life and death. (Psalm 23:4)
 - Fear is a choice; so is faith.
 - a. Jesus provides courage in fear.
 - b. Jesus provides comfort in loss.
 - c. Jesus provides confidence in death.
 - d. Jesus provides care in pain.
 - John 10:7-15, 27
4. Praise Jesus for providing your protection & healing. (Psalm 23:5)
 - a. We rest in His protection and we consume His Word.
5. Praise Jesus for giving you unconditional love & a home. (Psalm 23:6)
 - Pray surrender to God's goodness and mercy.

The Name of God reflects the lines of Psalm 23.

"I shall not want" - **Jehovah-Jireh**, the Lord will provide (Gen. 22:14)

"Still waters" - **Jehovah-Shalom**, The Lord our peace (Judges 6:24)

"Restores my soul" - **Jehovah-Rophe**, The Lord who heals (Ex. 15:26)

"Paths of Righteousness" - **Jehovah-Tsidkenu**, The Lord our righteousness (Jer. 33:16)

"You are with me" - **Jehovah-Shammah**, The Lord is there (Ezek. 48:35)

"Presence of my enemies" - **Jehovah-Nissi**, The Lord our Banner (Ex. 17:15)

"Anoint my head" - **Jehovah-M'Kaddesh**, The Lord who sanctifies (Lev. 20:8)