

SHEPHERDING THE SAVIOR'S SHEEP
1 PETER 5:1-4

- I. THERE IS ENCOURAGEMENT FOR THE SERVANT OF GOD. 5:1
 1. IT COMES FROM OUR PARTNERS IN SERVICE.
 2. IT COMES FROM OUR PERCEPTION OF THE SAVIOR.
 3. IT COMES FROM OUR PARTICIPATION IN SALVATION.

- II. THERE ARE EXPECTATIONS FOR THE SERVANT OF GOD. 5:2-3
 1. SHEPHERD GOD'S PEOPLE. 5:2
 - A. THE FLOCK IS GOD'S POSSESSION.
 - B. THE FLOCK IS UNDER OUR PROTECTION.
 2. SERVE (SUPERVISE) GOD'S PEOPLE. 5:2-3
 - A. SERVE WILLINGLY. 5:2
 - B. SERVE EAGERLY. 5:2
 - C. HE IS TO SERVE HUMBLY. 5:3

- III. THERE WILL BE AN EXALTATION OF THE SERVANT OF GOD. 5:4
 1. IT COMES FROM THE CHIEF SHEPHERD.
 2. IT CONSISTS OF A CROWN OF SPLENDOR.