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The Twenty-Third Psalm

"The Lord is my shepherd, so I have everything I need. He makes me lie down in green pastures.

"He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul. He leads me in the right paths for His Name's sake.

"Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for You are with me! Your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

"You prepare a banquet for me in front of my enemies. **You anoint my head with oil** and my cup overflows.

"Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever!"

What Does It Mean to Be Anointed?

Definition: When God's Holy Spirit gives insight, ability, stamina, authority, or protection that you don't normally have in order to do a job He has chosen you to do!

How God's Anointing Changes Me

1. When God _____ me, He _____ me!

God never asks you to do something without providing what you need to get it done. If God gives you an assignment, He is going to give you the empowerment.

If God brings you to it – God brings you through it.

"The One who calls you is faithful, and He will do it!" (1 Thessalonians 5:24)

2. God's anointing makes _____.

"From His unlimited resources, God will give you mighty inner strength through His Spirit." (Ephesians 3:16)

"I can do all things with the help of Christ who gives me the strength!" (Philippians 4:13)

Are you trying to do everything you need to do based on *adrenaline* ... or based on *anointing*?

3. God's anointing makes _____.

"What is impossible for men is possible for God!" (Luke 18:27)

"God's power at work within us is able to accomplish infinitely more than we could ever dare to ask or even imagine." (Ephesians 3:20)

4. God anoints my life to _____.

God blesses you not just so you can feel good. God blesses you so that you can be a blessing to other people. You're blessed to be a blessing!

On top of any direct blessing, you're going to enjoy the blessing of being a channel. When you're a channel of God's blessing, it blesses everybody.

"A generous man will prosper; and he who refreshes others will himself be refreshed." (Proverbs 11:25)

5. For every new challenge, I need _____.

"It's time to turn to Me and seek the Lord! Then I'll come and shower new blessings on you!" (Hosea 10:12)

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