

# OCP CHORAL SERIES

*for my friend, Basil Pizzuto: May you sing forever in the courts of the King of Love*

## The Shepherd of My Soul

Based on Psalm 23

Katie Wills  
Based on "Sheep May Safely Graze"  
from Cantata 208  
Johann Sebastian Bach, 1685–1750  
*Arr. by Christian Cosas*

INTRO (♩ = ca. 64)

Keyboard

D G/D A/D

*mf*

D G/D A/D

*f*

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Part for Solo Instrument in C (30154893) is available online. Visit [ocp.org](http://ocp.org).

**VERSES**  
Soprano/Alto  
*mp*

1. Christ the Lord is the good shep - herd; he  
2. Washed in pure wa - ters of mer - cy, his  
3. Choic - est food, chal - ice of bless - ing, he  
4. I shall walk with my good shep - herd un -

*mp*  
**Tacet Vs. 1**  
Baritone

*8va ad lib.*  
*sub. mp*

D Gadd9/D D

1. calls me in - to life.  
2. grace re - stores my soul.  
3. is my dai - ly bread;  
4. til the end of days. When

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Bm A/C# D D/F# Gadd9 \*

\*Play cue notes when no solo instrument is used.

1. In green pas - tures of a - bun - dance I rest in  
 2. In my thirst he is re - fresh - ment, the balm that  
 3. oil of glad - ness and a - noint - ing: his spir - it of  
 4. in his courts, ho - ly and bless - ed, for - ev - er I will

D Gadd9/D D G

to Coda ⊕ 1 D.S.

1. his de - lights.  
 2. makes me  
 3. ho - li -  
 4. sing his

D/A A to Coda ⊕ 1 D G/D A/D D.S.

*mf*

2, 3 **REFRAIN**

*div.* **f**

2. whole.  
3. ness.

In my dark - est trials and

**f**

2, 3

D A A/C# D

*cresc.* **f**

through the deep - est val - leys, his word will lead me on;

A sus4 A D Bm G A

for the King \_\_\_\_\_ of Love\_\_ is the shep-herd of my soul: there is noth -

A A/C# D A/C# Bm Gadd9 D/A

ing\_\_ that I shall want.

G/A A D Gadd9/D A/D D.S.

2 INTERLUDE

want.

2 D Bm F#m7

G D/A A Bm E/G# E

⊕ CODA

*D.S. al Coda*  
4. So

4. praise.

G Em Asus4 A *D.S. al Coda*  
*dim.*

D

## FINAL REFRAIN

*div.* ***f***

In my dark - est trials and through the deep - est val - leys, his \_ word will

***f***

A A/C# D Asus4 A D Bm

*cresc.* ***f***

lead me on; for the King \_\_\_\_\_ of Love \_\_\_\_\_ is the

G A A A/C# D A/C#

shep-herd of my soul: there is noth - ing\_ that I shall want;

Bm Gadd9 D/A G/A A D

for the King\_ of Love\_ is the shep-herd of my soul:

A A/C# D A/C# Bm Gadd9

*dim.*



*unis. mp*

there is noth - ing\_ that I shall want. \_\_\_\_\_

*mp*

D/A G/A A D

*mp* *mf*

G/D D/A G/A A D

*dim.* *mp*

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*mf* *f*

(Kbd)

**VERSES**

D Gadd9/D D Bm A/C# D D/F#

1. Christ the Lord is the good shep - herd; he calls me in - to  
 2. Washed in pure wa - ters of mer - cy, his grace re - stores my  
 3. Choic - est food, chal - ice of bless - ing, he is my dai - ly  
 4. I shall walk with my good shep - herd un - til the end of

Gadd9 D Gadd9/D D

1. life. In green pas - tures of a - bun - dance I  
 2. soul. In my thirst he is re - fresh - ment, the  
 3. bread; oil of glad - ness and a - noint - ing: his  
 4. days. When in his courts, ho - ly and bless - ed, for -

G D/A A to Coda ⊕ 1 D G/D D.S. 2, 3 D

1. rest in his de - lights. In my  
 2. balm that makes me 2. whole.  
 3. spir - it of ho - li - 3. ness.  
 4. ev - er I will sing his

**REFRAIN**

A A/C# D Asus4 A D Bm

dark - est trials and through the deep - est val - leys, his word will

G A A/C# D A/C# Bm

lead me on; for the King of Love is the shep - herd of my

Gadd9 D/A G/A A 1 D Gadd9/D *D.S.*

soul: there is noth - ing\_ that I shall want.\_\_\_\_\_

INTERLUDE

2 D (Solo Instr) Bm F#m7 G

want.\_\_\_\_\_

D/A A Bm E/G# E G Em Asus4 A *D.S. al Coda*

4. So

⊕ CODA

FINAL REFRAIN

D A A/C# D

4. praise.\_\_\_\_\_ In my dark - est trials and

Asus4 A D Bm G A

through the deep - est val - leys, his\_ word will lead me on; for the

A A/C# D A/C# Bm Gadd9 D/A

King\_ of Love is the shep-herd of my soul: there is noth - ing\_ that

G/A A D A A/C# D A/C# Bm

I shall want; for the King\_ of Love is the shep-herd of my

Gadd9 D/A G/A A *mf* D

soul: there is noth - ing\_ that I shall want.\_\_\_\_\_

G/D D/A G/A A *mp* D

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 4. So I shall walk with my good shep - herd un - til the

1. in - to life. ☞ In green pas - tures of a -  
 2. stores my soul. ☞ In my thirst he is re -  
 3. dai - ly bread; ☞ oil of glad - ness and a -  
 4. end of days. When in his courts, ho - ly and

1: to Vs. 2  
2-4: to Refrain

1. bun - dance I rest in his de - lights.  
 2. fresh - ment, the balm that makes me whole.  
 3. noint - ing: his spir - it of ho - li - ness.  
 4. bless - ed, for - ev - er I will sing his praise.

Refrain

In my dark - est trials and through the deep - est val - leys, his

word will lead me on; for the King of Love is the

shep - herd of my soul: there is noth - ing that I shall want.

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