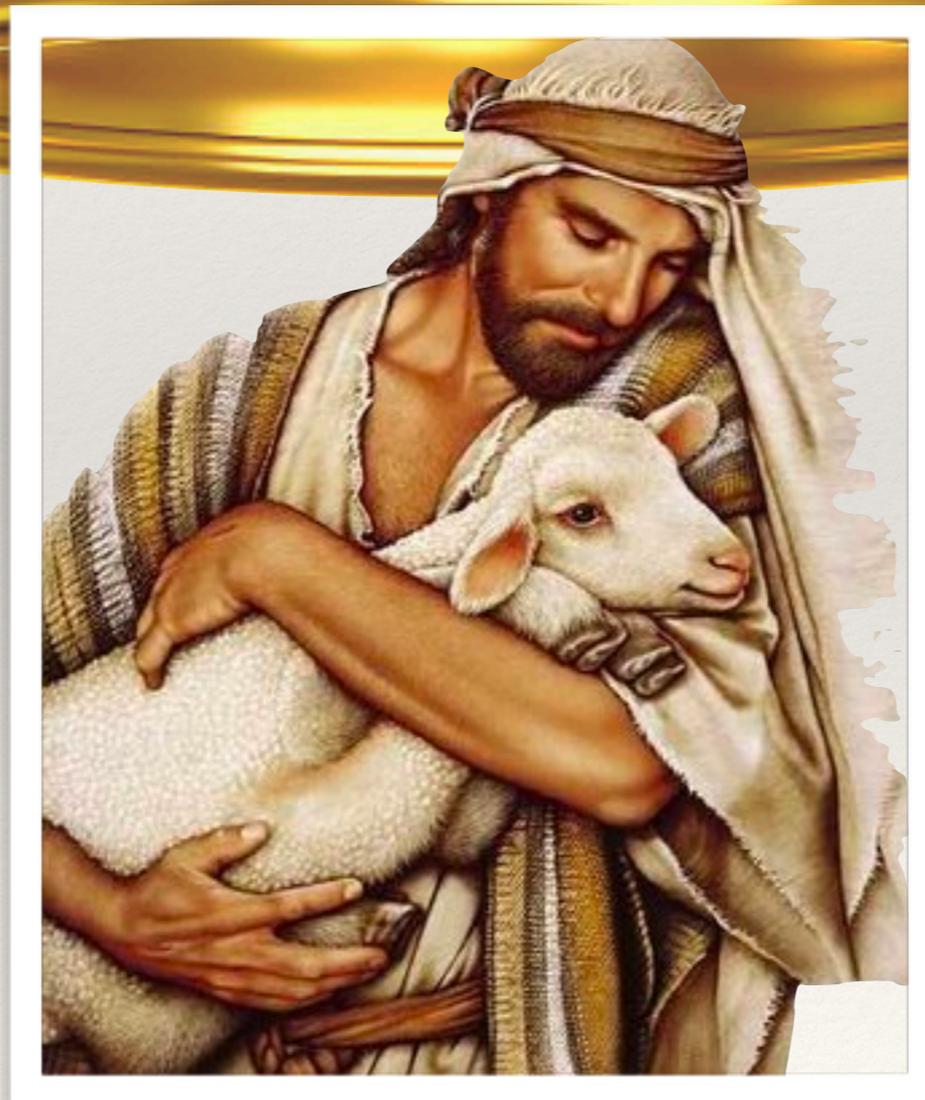




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There are lessons to be learned from those that watch over the flock in the field here and now. The constant bleating of the sheep drive some to distraction. (There is never a moment when some sheep is not bleating). It takes infinite patience and great endurance to remain faithful. All need to learn to ‘discern the Lord’s body,’ which consists of all believers, during this dispensation. Failure along this line often results in sickness, and sometimes even death.

“For this cause (not discerning the Lord’s body) many are weak and sickly among you, and many sleep.” - 1 Corinthians 11:30. Each saint needs to be concerned for the welfare of other members of the body of Christ; particularly of the weak and immature members - remembering our many ‘falls’ before we learned to walk.

The kingdom of darkness is arrayed against the kingdom of light. But Jesus Christ has never lost a battle. The Word stands SUPREME!

— Brother Glenn Hunt