Jesus said, "I am the Gate for the Sheep." John 10:1-10

Jesus emphatically declares:

- There are those who are illegitimate spiritual shepherds. 10:1
- There are those who lack spiritual understanding. 10:6
- There are those who are spiritually destructive. 10:8,10a

As the good shepherd He is the gate to eternal life that you can <u>possess permanently</u> by faith. 10:9a, 10b, 9:38, 8:30, 6:29, 5:24, 3:16, 1:12

- He calls you.
- You recognize Him.
- You listen to Him.
- You believe Him for eternal life.

As the good shepherd He is the gate to a full life that you can <u>enjoy daily by faith.</u> 10:10c,17:3, 20:31

- He leads you.
- He sustains you.
- He protects you.
- You follow Him.
- You trust Him daily to meet your needs.

Application:

- > Do you know you have eternal life?
- Are you following Him and trusting Him daily for a full and abundant life?
- To what degree are you enjoying your eternal life?