

# Fourth Sunday of Easter

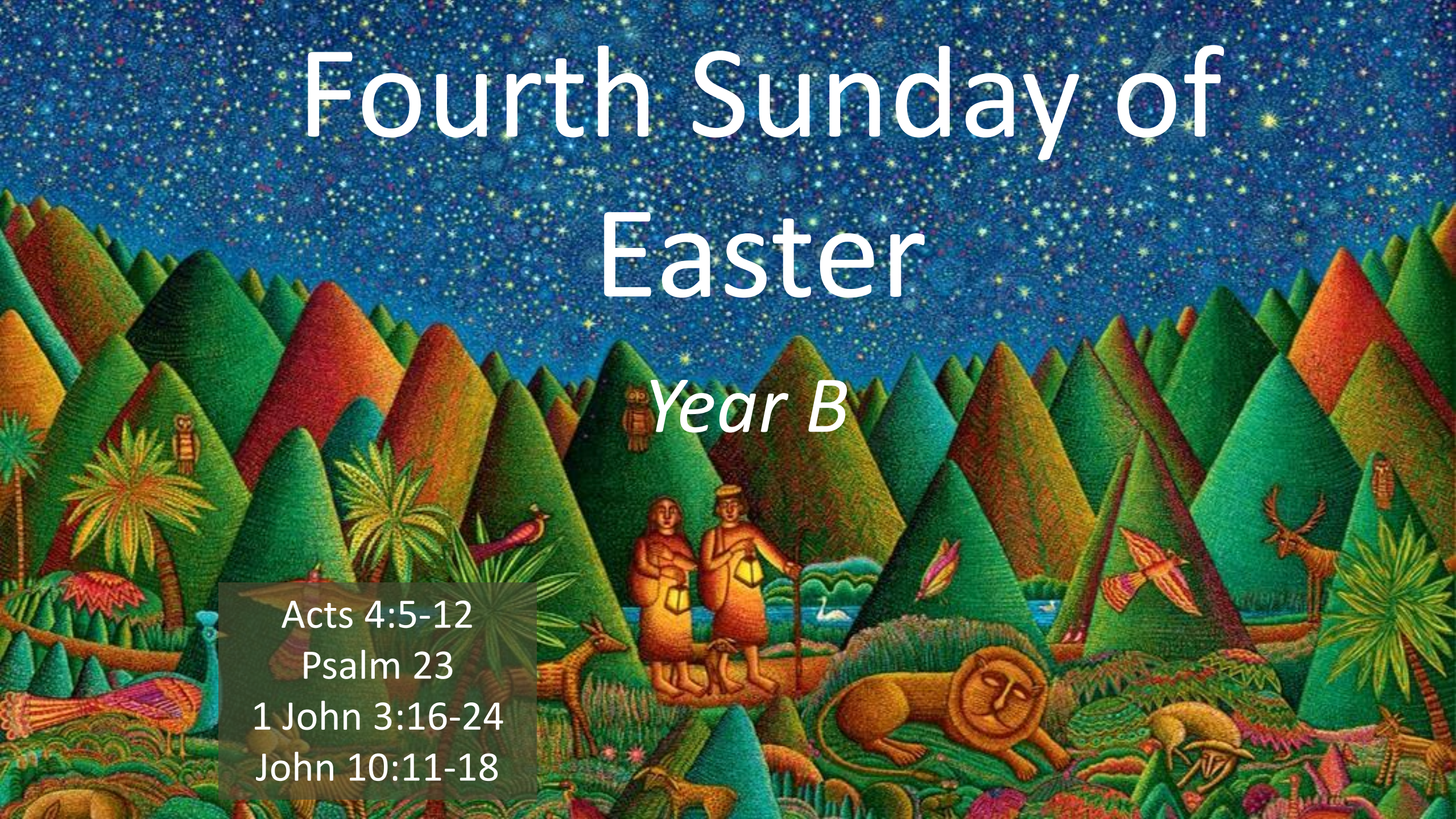
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Acts 4:5-12

Psalm 23

1 John 3:16-24

John 10:11-18



... this man is standing before  
you in good health by the name  
of Jesus Christ of Nazareth,

Acts 4:10a



Peter Healing the Lame Man -- Matthias Gerung, Ottheinrich Folio, Bayerische Staatsbibliothek

This Jesus is 'the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.'

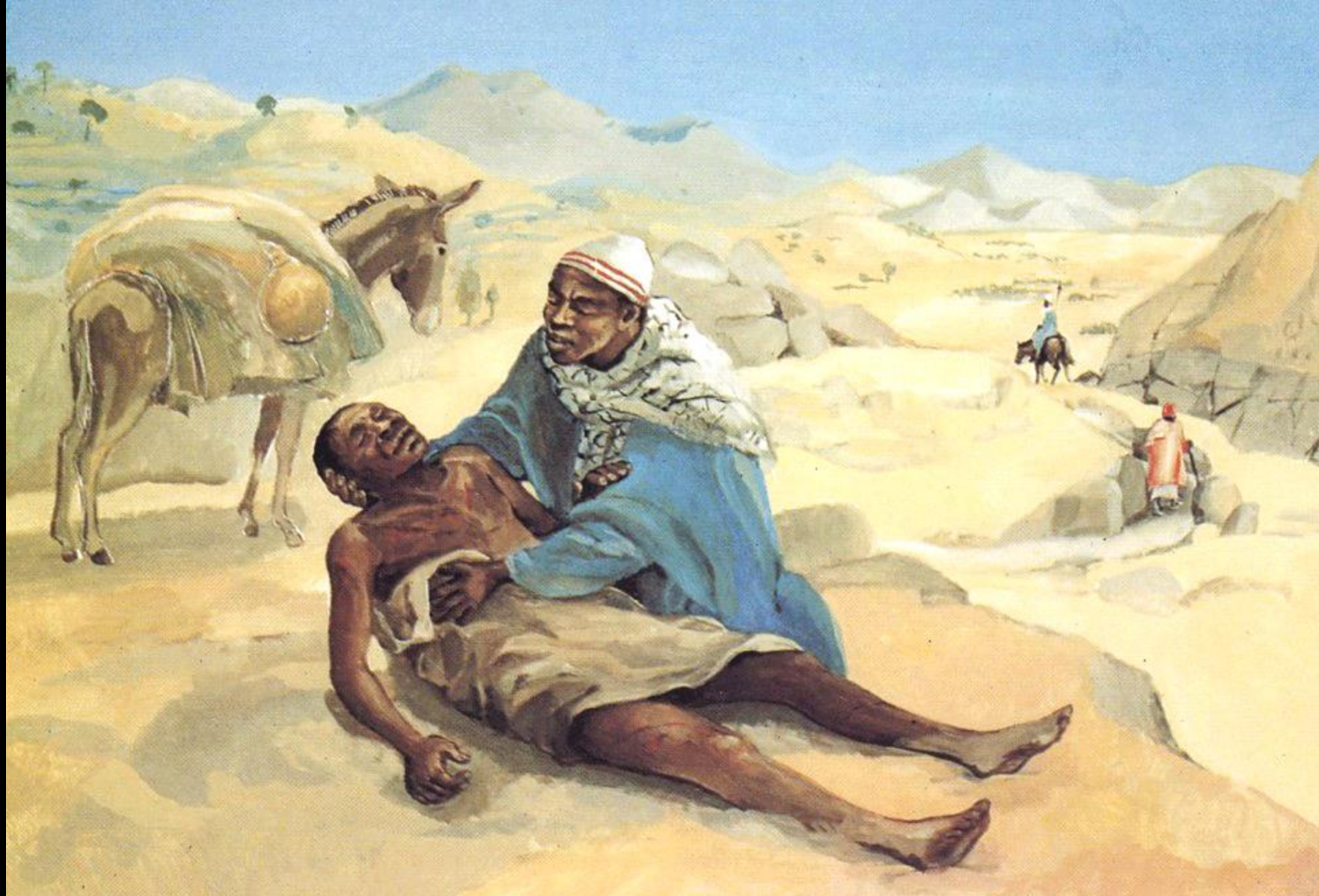
Acts 4:11



Cornerstone of Ceres Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, near Harper's Ferry, MD

How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

1 John 3:17



The Good Samaritan -- JESUS MAFA, Cameroon

Little children, let us love, not in word  
or speech, but in truth and action.

1 John 3:18





Mary and Martha Shelter for Domestic Violence -- Ruskin, FL

"I am the good shepherd.  
The good shepherd lays down  
his life for the sheep."

John 10:11



The Good  
Shepherd

Kelley Latimore

I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me ... And I lay down my life for the sheep.

John 10:14, 15b



The Good Shepherd -- Julien Dupre, Legion of Honor Museum, San Francisco, CA

They will hunger no more, and thirst  
no more ... for the Lamb at the  
center of the throne will be their  
shepherd ...

Revelation 7:16a, 17a

Adoration of the  
Lamb

Jan van Eyck  
St Bavo  
Ghent, Belgium



My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish.

John 10:27-28a



Ethiopian  
Portrayal of  
Christ as the  
Good  
Shepherd

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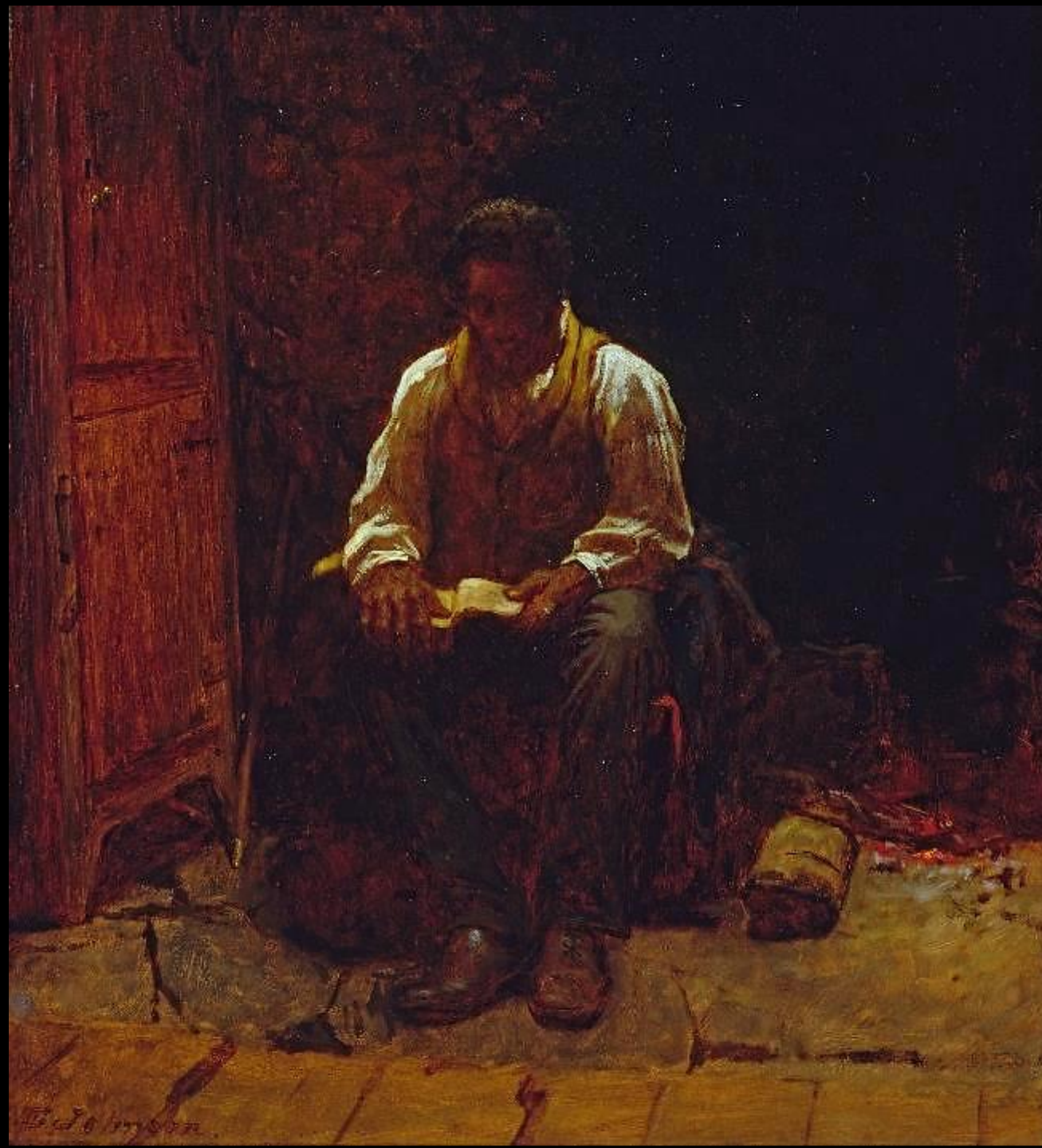


The LORD is my shepherd,  
I shall not want.

Psalm 23:1

The Lord is My Shepherd

Eastman Johnson  
Smithsonian Museum of  
American Art  
Washington, DC



He makes me lie down in green pastures;  
he leads me beside still waters;

Psalm 23:2



Clouds -- Charles Platt, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA

he restores my soul. He leads me  
in right paths for his name's sake.

Psalm 23:3



Going to Church -- William H. Johnson, Smithsonian Museum of American Art, Washington, DC

Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff-- they comfort me.

Psalm 23:4





Psalm 23 -- John August Swanson

You prepare a table before me in  
the presence of my enemies; you  
anoint my head with oil; my cup  
overflows.

Psalm 23:5



Peace Table for Asia -- George Nakashima, Hall of Peace, Auroville, India

Surely goodness and mercy shall  
follow me all the days of my life,  
and I shall dwell in the house of the  
LORD my whole life long.

Psalm 23:6



The Village Choir -- Thomas George Webster, Victoria and Albert Museum, London, England

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