

# Psalm 23 (Winchester)

Thomas Sternhold, 1549  
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*The Whole Booke of Psalmes*, 1621.

F Major  
George Kirby, 1592  
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Soprano  
Alto

1. My shepherd is the living Lord, Nothing therefore I need: In pastures fair with waters calm, He set me for to feed.  
2. He did convert and glad my soul, And brought my mind in frame To walk in paths of righteousness, For His most holy name.

Tenor  
Bass

3. Yea, though I walk in vale of death, Yet would I fear none ill: Thy rod, thy staff doth comfort me, And thou art with me still.  
4. And in the presence of my foes, My table shalt thou spread: Thou shalt, O Lord, fill full my cup, And eke anoint my head.  
5. Through all my life thy favor is So frankly showed to me! That in thy house forever more My dwelling place shall be.

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1. All notes half value of original.
2. E-flat changed to E-natural in *Bass* m. 3 and *Alto* m. 3.
3. Converted to two staves: Soprano = original *Tenor*, moved up one octave; Alto = *Medius*; Tenor = *Cantus*, moved down one octave; Bass = *Bassus*.