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## Hebrews 13

20 Now, may the God of peace,  
Who through the blood of the eternal covenant  
brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus,  
that Great Shepherd of the sheep,  
21 equip you with everything good for doing His will,  
and may He work in us what is pleasing to Him,  
through Jesus Christ, to Whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

### How God brings peace through the work of Jesus our Shepherd:

20 Now, may the God of peace,  
Who through the blood of the eternal covenant

#### a) The Good Shepherd \_\_\_\_\_ for His sheep

I am the Good Shepherd.  
The Good Shepherd lays down his life FOR the sheep.  
John 10:11

#### b) The Great Shepherd \_\_\_\_\_ for His sheep.

Therefore He is able to save completely  
those who come to God through Him  
because He always lives to intercede for them.  
Hebrews 7: 25

#### c) The Chief Shepherd \_\_\_\_\_ for His sheep.

And when the Chief Shepherd appears,  
you will receive the crown of glory that will never fade away.  
1 Peter 5:4

## The goal of Jesus our Shepherd – to equip us:

21 equip you with everything good for doing His will

equip = to fix something \_\_\_\_\_  
to mend something that is \_\_\_\_\_ down  
to prepare for \_\_\_\_\_

## The tools that God uses to equip us:

#### a) We are equipped by the \_\_\_\_\_ of God

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking,  
correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God  
may be thoroughly **equipped** for every good work.  
2 Timothy 3:16,17

#### b) We are equipped by the \_\_\_\_\_ of God

Brothers and sisters, if someone is caught in a sin,  
you who live by the Spirit should **restore** that person gently.  
Galatians 6:1

#### c) We are equipped by the \_\_\_\_\_ of God

So Christ Himself gave the apostles, the prophets,  
the evangelists, the pastors and teachers,  
to **equip** God's people for works of service.  
Ephesians 4:11,12

#### d) We are equipped by the \_\_\_\_\_ of God

And the God of all grace, Who called you to His eternal glory  
in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will Himself **restore**  
you and make you strong, firm and steadfast.  
1 Peter 5:10

## Why does God want to use all these tools?

21 and may He work in us what is pleasing to Him,  
through Jesus Christ, to Whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

## Discussion Questions

- What aspect of Jesus work (dying for us, living for us, coming for us) do you need to understand better?
- Which of the tools of God (Word, People, Gifts, Spirit) has He used most in your life? Which one do you not use as much as you might?
- Based on what you heard, is there someone to serve or something to do that God is calling you to this week?