

Saved, Safe & Secure  
John 10:19-42  
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Three critical statements:

1. The shepherd is responsible for the salvation of the sheep.
2. The shepherd is responsible for the safety of the sheep.
3. The shepherd is responsible for the security of the sheep.

I. Are you a saved sheep?

Three-fold test:

1. Do you listen to the shepherd? (v.27a)
2. Are you known by the shepherd? (v.27b)  
Question: How do you know if Jesus know you? (John 10:14)  
You know that Jesus knows you if you know Him.
3. Do you follow the shepherd? (v.27c)

II. Are you a safe sheep?

Note: "Your eternal security is not based on what you do for God; it depends on what God has done for you.

1. Eternal life is a gift (v.28a)
2. Eternal life is something given. (v.28a)
3. Jesus gives eternal life. (v.28a)

III. Are you a secure sheep?

1. You are in a double grip. (v.28)
2. You are God the Father's gift to Jesus. (v.29a)