Jeremiah 50:6" A flock of perishing creatures my people has become. Their own shepherds have caused them to wander about. On the mountains they have led them away. From mountain to hill they have gone. They have forgotten their resting-place.

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- Like sheep we have all of us wandered about, it was each one to his own way that we have turned, and Yehowah himself has caused the error of us all to meet up with that one. (Isaiah 53:6)
- For you were like sheep, going astray, but now you have returned to the shepherd and overseer of your souls. (1 Peter 2:25)
- For the shepherds have behaved unreasoningly, and they have not looked even for Yehowah. That is why they have not acted with insight, and all their pastured animals have been scattered. (Jeremiah 10:21)
- Therefore this is what Yehowah the God of Israel has said against the shepherds who are shepherding my people; You yourselves have scattered my sheep, and you kept dispersing them, and you have not turned your attention to them. Here I am turning my attention upon you for the badness of Your dealings, is the utterance of Yehowah. (Jeremiah 23:2)
- Son of man, prophesy against the shepherds of Israel. Prophesy, and you must say to them, to the shepherds; This is what the Sovereign Lord Yehowah has said; Woe to the shepherds of Israel, who have become feeders of themselves! Is it not the flock that the shepherds ought to feed? (Ezekiel 34:2)
- The buyers of which proceed to kill them although they are not held guilty. And those who are selling them say; May Yehowah be blessed, while I shall gain riches. And their own shepherds do not show any compassion upon them. (Zechariah 11:5)
- My sheep kept straying on all the mountains and on every high hill, and on all the surface of the earth my sheep were scattered, with no one making a search and with no one seeking to find. (Ezekiel 34:6)
- In grassy pastures he makes me lie down, by well-watered resting-places he conducts me. (Psalms 23:2)

- And I will conclude with them a covenant of peace, and I shall certainly cause the injurious wild beast to cease out of the land, and they will actually dwell in the wilderness in security and sleep in the forests. (Ezekiel 34:25)
- Woe to the shepherds who are destroying and scattering the sheep of my pasturage! Is the utterance of Yehowah. (Jeremiah 23:1)
- Israel is a scattered sheep. Lions themselves have done the dispersing. In the first instance the king of Assyria has devoured him, and in this latter instance Nebuchadrezzar the king of Babylon has gnawed on his bones. (Jeremiah 50:17)
- And they were gradually scattered because of there being no shepherd, so that they became food for every wild beast of the field, and they continued to be scattered. (Ezekiel 34:5)
- But, instead, go continually to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. (Matthew 10:6)