

# **“I’m A Sheep, Not A Number!”**

John 10:11-18

INTRO: *Everyone seems to be interested in numbers these days...*

## I. JESUS SAID: *I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD*

- A. Here’s comfort: You are intimately known by God (vv.11 & 14)
- B. Here’s a challenge: Reach out to all not yet in the flock (v.16)

## II. JESUS SAID: *I LAY DOWN MY LIFE FOR THE SHEEP*

- A. Here’s comfort: Jesus’ death is our life (Jn.10:11-15)
- B. The old saying: “over my *dead* body: (v.11)
- C. Here’s a challenge: Not to be selfish “hirelings” (vv. 12-13)

CONCL: *The Lord is my shepherd ...that’s enough.*