

## A Primer on the Pastor and Flock Relationship 1 Peter 5:1-5

### I. PETER MOTIVATES CURRENT CHURCH ELDERS (1).

- Three motivations to shepherd: Camaraderie, Authority & Anticipation.

### II. SHEPHERDS HAVE RESPONSIBILITY TO THE FLOCK & THE CHIEF SHEPHERD (2-4).

- A. To the flock: Care for, Watch over, Serve, Be an example to follow (John 13).
- B. To the Chief Shepherd: Remember His return & reward (Matthew 25:14-30, 1 Corinthians 3:9-15).

### III. THE FLOCK HAS A RESPONSIBILITY TO THE CHURCH SHEPHERDS AND TO EACH OTHER (5).

- A. Submit (1 Corinthians 16:16, 1 Thessalonians 5:12-14, Titus 3:1-2).
- B. Clothe yourself with humility.