

Psalm 81:13-16 CSB "If only my people would listen to me and Israel would follow my ways, ¹⁴ I would quickly subdue their enemies and turn my hand against their foes." ¹⁵ Those who hate the LORD would cower to him; their doom would last forever. ¹⁶ But he would feed Israel with the best wheat. "I would satisfy you with honey from the rock."

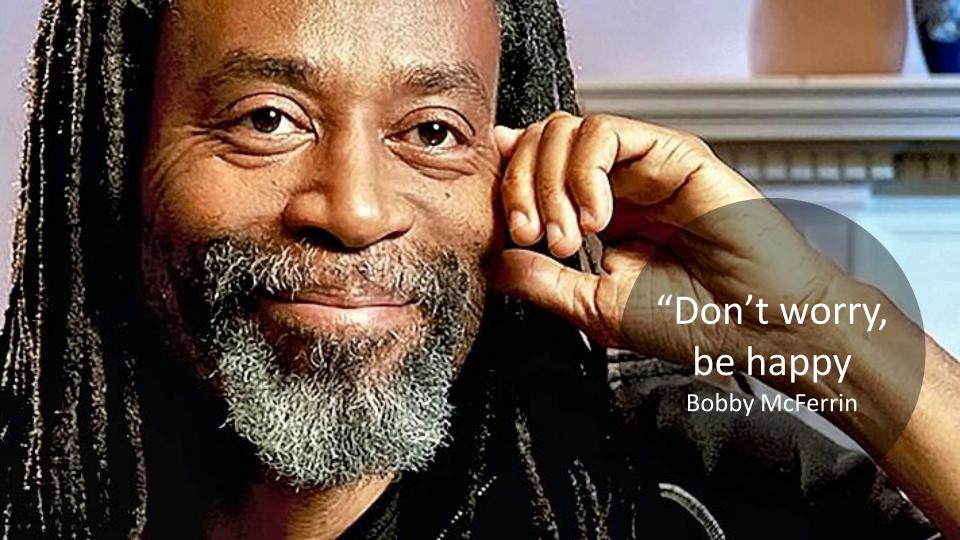
"The Lord will richly supply the needs of his people.

The blessings of God's shepherding care are expressed in terms of rich foods. He lavishes on his own the best care, expressed in the metaphors 'the finest of wheat' and 'honey from the rock.'"

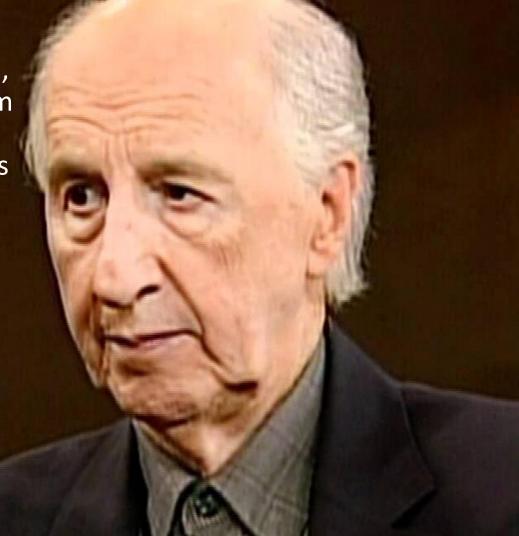
The Expositor's Bible Commentary

'Honey In the Rock'
is a joyful declaration of
"the blessings of God's
shepherding care."

'Honey In the Rock' is a joyful reminder that "he's all we need."



"Natural disasters, accidents due to human error or limitation, the invasion of a human organism with disease - whether temporary or terminal – are facts of life on planet Earth. Thus as believers we live between the tension of two truths: First, that God does not design the deadly or disastrous that surrounds or strikes us; and second, our walk with God does not guarantee any of us a life without trial amid this present brokenness." **Jack Hayford**



"Anyone who has pushed past the pain to penetrate God's presence and comfort knows that what they found in Him was not self-induced emotion or rationalization, but a Person. In His presence, gnawing doubts and nagging questions are resolved – most often, not because He addresses them but because He overshadows them....

His presence gives it an eternal perspective."

Jack Hayford

When I tried to understand all this, it seemed hopeless ¹⁷ until I entered God's sanctuary.

Psalms 73:16-17a CSB

He's all we need.

Yet I am always with you; you hold my right hand.

24 You guide me with your counsel....
Psalm 73:23-24a CSB

My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart, my portion forever.

Psalm 73:26 CSB

He's all we need. Psalm 23:1-4 CSB The LORD is my shepherd; I have what I need. ² He lets me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside quiet waters. ³ He renews my life; he leads me along the right paths for his name's sake. ⁴ Even when I go through the darkest valley, I fear no danger, for you are with me; your rod and your staff—they comfort me.

He's all we need.

Hebrews 13:5b-6a ICB God has said,

"I will never leave you; I will never abandon you."

⁶ So we can feel sure and say, "I will not be afraid because the Lord is my helper...."

"Don't worry,
be happy
Bobby McFerrin

He's all we need. "Martha, Martha, you are worried and upset about many things, ⁴² but one thing is necessary."

Luke 10:41-42a CSB