

## Shepherding God's Flock Part 2 Understanding the Shepherd

1 Timothy 3:1-7; Hebrews 13:17; Titus 1:6-9; James 3:1

Three Provisions of the Elders Leadership: 1. They Feed the Word of God. John 21:17; 1 Timothy 5:17	
2. They Lead by the Word of God. 1 Peter 5:2; Ephesians 4:11-13	
3. They Reflect the Word of God. John 21:17	
Three Perils of the Elders Leadership:  1. Not Under Compulsion . 1 Peter 5:2; 1 Corinthians 9:16-17	
2. Not for Shameful Gain. 1 Peter 5:2; 2 Peter 2:1	
1. Not Domineering . 1 Peter 5:3	