

"THOU PREPAREST A TABLE BEFORE ME" Psalms 23:5

INTRODUCTION. Prepare: A Latin word which means:

(Billmashburn)

1. to make ready; To fit;
Adapt or qualify before
hand.

1. "Thou preparest a table."

1. A table tells of forethought and fellow-
ship. Beautiful table. Pleasures of table.

2. What this table is to God's children.

1. Our daily bread. There is involved:

1. The material food which may have come
from afar and at great expense.

2. There are the kind hands that made it
ready.

3. Back of it all there is the great love
of God. Matt. 5:44, 45; 6:11.

2. Our social pleasures.

1. We are not made to live alone. Gen. 2:2

2. There are some:

(a) Who forget God amidst the stir and
the seductions of life.

(b) Who conduct their business and en-
joy their pleasures "without God."

3. The Lord's Table.

1. This table^o prepared at great cost to
God and his Son. Matt. 26:26-28.

(a) This (bread) is my body.

(b) This cup (the fruit of the vine)
is my blood of the new testament.

(c) Our action around the Table.

