

**The Gospel According to Luke
A Tale of Two Prodigals
Luke 15**

The _____ v.1-2

A Lost _____ and a Lost _____ v.3-10

- The lost item is more _____ than its intrinsic worth
- There is a _____
- There is much _____ when it is found
- Luke 19:10

Two _____ Sons v.11-32

My Response:

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Weekly Memory Verse: "The Son of Man has come to seek and save that which was lost." Luke 19:10

Read Isaiah 61. How does the mission of Messiah laid out in these verses help to understand the message of Luke 15?

In the first two parables how does the action of the owner (shepherd and woman) help us to see the heart of the Father for the lost? What does it say of the heart of the Father that He is actively seeking prodigals who have willfully walked away?

Why are the Pharisees and Scribes (Rabbis) so offended by Jesus "eating and drinking with tax collectors and sinners"? How do they resemble the older brother working in the fields?

Which brother do you most identify with and why?

Go back and read Luke 14:16-24. How is chapter 15 related to this parable?

Now go back and read Luke 13:18-35. How is chapter 15 related to this passage?

What story do you think Luke is trying to tell as he writes these chapters?