



The Father Who Seeks Lost Sons

Luke 15:11-32

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In Luke 15:11–32, Jesus tells the parable of the Prodigal Son in response to the Pharisees’ criticism that He welcomed sinners. While the younger son represents open rebellion and the older son represents self-righteousness, both are separated from the father in different ways. At the center of the story is the compassionate father, who eagerly pursues, forgives, and restores his children. Through this parable, Jesus reveals the heart of God, who rejoices when the lost are found and invites all people to experience His grace.

Sermon Notes
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1. Come Home to the Father Through Repentance.

2. Celebrate Grace Because You Have Received Grace.

3. Reflect the Father’s Joy in Seeking the Lost.

“But we had to celebrate and be glad, because this brother of yours was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.”

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