

The Lost Son

Luke 15:11-32

Introduction:

1. The Pharisee's accusation - v1-2.
2. The Lord's answer to scoffers - Matthew 11:28 & Luke 14:16-23.

I. He Came to a Distant Country - v11-16

A. He separated himself from his family's godly I_____.

1. Sin is:

- a. The "I want it N_____" attitude - v12.
- b. Rebellion against God's P_____ for you
- Genesis 3:1-19.

2. Sin:

- a. S_____ you from the Lord - v13.
- b. Is M_____ of your
Heavenly Father's property - v13.

B. What is the result of sin? - v15-16

1. The world's attitude.
2. The Heavenly Father's attitude.

II. He Came to His Senses - v17-19

A. By an A_____ of his condition - v17.

B. By a R_____ to do something about it - v18.

1. Repent = _____ - v7 & 10.

He H_____ himself & made his own choice
to return - Luke 9:51.

III. He Came to a Compassionate Father - v20-24

A. Full of F_____ - I John 1:9.

B. Full of J_____.

1. Compassion = _____.

2. What did he not allow his son to do? - v21

3. What did he give his son? - v22-24

IV. He Came to an Older Brother - v25-32

A. He was full of B_____ & jealousy - v29-30.

1. Jealousy means _____ - I Corinthians 3:3.

2. Jealousy means _____ - I Corinthians 13:4.

3. Jealousy means _____ - James 3:14.

B. What would he get when dad died? - v31

C. Who do you identify with in this story?

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