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— THE SERIES —

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THE PRODIGAL SONS

Luke 15

11Then He said: "A certain man had two sons.
12"And the younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the portion of goods that falls to me.' So he divided to them his livelihood. **13**"And not many days after, the younger son gathered all together, journeyed to a far country, and there wasted his possessions with prodigal living. **14**"But when he had spent all, there arose a severe famine in that land, and he began to be in want.



Luke 15

15"Then he went and joined himself to a citizen of that country, and he sent him into his fields to feed swine. **16"**And he would gladly have filled his stomach with the pods that the swine ate, and no one gave him anything. **17"**But when he came to himself, he said, `How many of my father's hired servants have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!



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Luke 15

18`I will arise and go to my father, and will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you, ¹⁹"and I am no longer worthy to be called your son. Make me like one of your hired servants."²⁰ And he arose and came to his father. But when he was still a great way off, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and fell on his neck and kissed him.



Luke 15

21" And the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and in your sight, and am no longer worthy to be called your son.' **22" But the father said to his servants, 'Bring out the best robe and put it on him, and put a ring on his hand and sandals on his feet. 23' And bring the fatted calf here and kill it, and let us eat and be merry; 24' for this my son was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.'** **And they began to be merry.**



Luke 15

25" Now his older son was in the field. And as he came and drew near to the house, he heard music and dancing. 26" So he called one of the servants and asked what these things meant. 27" And he said to him, 'Your brother has come, and because he has received him safe and sound, your father has killed the fatted calf.' 28" But he was angry and would not go in. Therefore his father came out and pleaded with him.



Luke 15

29" So he answered and said to his father, 'Lo, these many years I have been serving you; I never transgressed your commandment at any time; and yet you never gave me a young goat, that I might make merry with my friends. 30' But as soon as this son of yours came, who has devoured your livelihood with harlots, you killed the fatted calf for him.' 31" And he said to him, 'Son, you are always with me, and all that I have is yours. 32' It was right that we should make merry and be glad, for your brother was dead and is alive again, and was lost and is found.'"



Introduction

- **About the loving father.**
- **Lost people matters to God.**



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Transformation

- **Transformed by God – He protects them long enough to come back. The love of the father matters.**
- **Transformed from sin - Anyone you give yourself to wants you to feed something from you. All related to the father's things.**
- **Transformed into salvation- The Son had an option. I will not negotiate my return. Your accepts is not a result of eloquence. You are invited to see how I deal with backsliders.**



Conclusion

- **The desire that motivates the life of sin.
Independence of the father**
- **The dilemma that confronts the world of sin – the pleasure are real**
- **Pointing out how sinful are does not make you more righteous.**

