

Two Lost Sons Luke 15 Part 2

31 "My son,' the father said, 'you are always with me, and everything I have is yours. 32 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.'"

I. Jesus's intentions Luke 15:1-2, Luke:15:25-27

Jesus is comparing the pharisees and the teachers of the law to the older brother and teaching that both sons are equally lost.

Their faith is based on performance and expecting reward rather than grace and forgiveness.

They both do not understand the love of God.

II. Life is not fair attitude Luke 15:28-30

The older brother is comparing his work to the younger brother's and believing he deserves more.

III. The gate keeper attitude

Who is in and who is out.

Because I've been here the longest, I get to decide what is going on in God's house.

IV. Our relationship with God should be focused on his love for us not his wealth.

V. Our attitude towards God should be he has the last word, not us.

Job 38

VI. Both sons are equally wrong, lost, and both sons are equally forgiven.

Romans 11