

RETURNING HOME

I. Finding what's been lost

- A. Luke 15:4- 7 - Lost Sheep – Go after and find
- B. Luke 15:8-10 - Lost Coin – Seek diligently until it is found
- C. Luke 15:11-32 - Lost Son – Never went after him until he turned

II. The repentance and return

- A. He asked for nothing
- B. He blamed no one
- C. He didn't negotiate or strike a deal
- D. He made no claim on his sonship rights or inheritance; but be a servant

III. The elder son and his wounded spirit

- A. Angry v. 28
- B. Would not go in v. 28 (wouldn't enter into celebration; withdrawal)
- C. Self focus v. 29
- D. Accusation & judging v. 30
- E. Wrong view of his father v. 31