

BIBLE SUNDAYS · KING JAMES VERSION

The Prodigal Son

Sunday School Lesson Bundle

Luke 15:11–32 (KJV)

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Read the Bible Story

Luke 15:11–32 (KJV)

Jesus said: A certain man had two sons. The younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me.' So he divided unto them his living.

Not many days after, the younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living. When he had spent all, there arose a mighty famine in that land, and he began to be in want.

He went and joined himself to a citizen of that country, who sent him into his fields to feed swine. He would fain have filled his belly with the husks the pigs did eat, for no man gave unto him.

And when he came to himself, he said, 'How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee, and am no more worthy to be called thy son: make me as one of thy hired servants.'

He arose and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him. The father said to the servants, 'Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet: and bring hither the fatted calf, and kill it; and let us eat, and be merry: for this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found.'

Memory Verse

“For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found.”

Luke 15:24

Practice tip: read aloud 3 times, cover the verse, then say it from memory.

Quiz Worksheet

Circle the correct answer. Then check the answer key on the next page.

1. How many sons did the father have?

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four

2. What did the younger son ask for?

- A. A horse
- B. His share of the inheritance
- C. A new coat
- D. To go to school

3. Where did he go?

- A. Jerusalem
- B. Into a far country
- C. To his uncle
- D. Up a mountain

4. What happened to his money?

- A. Gave to the poor
- B. Wasted with riotous living
- C. Saved it
- D. Stolen

5. What animals did he end up feeding?

- A. Sheep
- B. Pigs (swine)
- C. Goats
- D. Camels

6. What did the son decide to do?

- A. Stay with the pigs
- B. Arise and go to his father
- C. Find another job
- D. Sell clothes

7. What did the father do when he saw him?

- A. Closed the door
- B. Ran and kissed him
- C. Sent him away
- D. Asked for money

8. What did the father put on his son?

- A. A crown
- B. Best robe, ring, and shoes
- C. Old clothes
- D. Nothing

9. How did the father celebrate?

- A. He cried
- B. Killed the fatted calf and made a feast
- C. Went to bed
- D. Took a trip

10. Why did the father celebrate?

- A. His son was lost and is found
- B. His farm grew
- C. Won money
- D. He was tired

Quiz Answer Key

1. B — Two
2. B — His share of the inheritance
3. B — Into a far country
4. B — Wasted with riotous living
5. B — Pigs (swine)
6. B — Arise and go to his father
7. B — Ran and kissed him
8. B — Best robe, ring, and shoes
9. B — Killed the fatted calf and made a feast
10. A — His son was lost and is found

Coloring Page

Color the father running to welcome his son home with a hug.

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