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Luke 15

1 Now the tax collectors and sinners were all gathering around to hear Jesus. **2** But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law muttered, "This man welcomes sinners and eats with them." **3** Then Jesus told them this parable: **4** "Suppose one of you has a hundred sheep and loses one of them. Doesn't he leave the ninety-nine in the open country and go after the lost sheep until he finds it? **5** And when he finds it, he joyfully puts it on his shoulders **6** and goes home. Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, 'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.' **7** I tell you that in the same way there will be more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent.



Questions for Discussion

1. Read Luke 15.
 2. What is the meaning of the parable of the lost sheep? How does it apply to the church today?
 3. What is the surprise of the parable of the lost coin?
 4. Who do you relate to in the parable of the lost son?
 5. Why is it important that neither son is inside the Father's house? Why do people associate the older brother with the father's home?
 6. How can we show surprising grace in our world today?
- Take time to pray for for one another.