



**Epiphany:** Jesus is Seeking

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## Live as One

Take a few minutes of silence to reflect on the following questions:

Have there been times in your life where you have felt truly lost? This could be physically, financially, emotionally, spiritually. Maybe you even still feel this way today.

Have there been people in your life who have helped you find your way when you've been lost? If so, make a mental note to reach out to them (if you are able to) and thank them for their help and guidance in your time of need.

## Live by the Word

Read [Luke 15:11-32](#).

As you read this story, which of the two sons do you most identify with (the older brother who follows orders and pretty much always does what is expected of him OR the wilder younger brother who doesn't want to be put in a box and wants to go out and live it up)?

What do you notice about the Father's response to each son? How do each of the sons respond to their Father's invitation?

This story comes as the last in a series of three stories Jesus tells about something being lost. The lost sheep, the lost coin, and the lost son. Which of the sons is lost by the end of the story and why?

How do you sense the Father reaching out to YOU as you ponder this story? How will you respond?

## Live as SENT

Who comes to mind in your spheres of influence that you think might be lost? (Remember that lost-ness can look like the older brother as well as like the younger one.)

What might it look like for you to follow the way of the Father in seeking out those who are lost (no matter what their lost-ness looks like)?

## Connect DAILY

**Sunday** [Luke 15:11-32](#)

**Monday** [Luke 16;](#)  
[Psalm 37:10-15;](#) [Proverbs 5:18-21](#)

**Tuesday** [Luke 17:1-19;](#)  
[Psalm 37:16-24;](#) [Proverbs 5:22-23](#)

**Wednesday** [Luke 17:20-37;](#)  
[Psalm 37:25-32;](#) [Proverbs 6:1-4](#)

**Thursday** [Luke 18:1-17;](#)  
[Psalm 37:33-40;](#) [Proverbs 6:5-7](#)

**Friday** [Luke 18:18-43;](#)  
[Psalm 38:1-10;](#) [Proverbs 6:8-10](#)

**Saturday** [Luke 19:1-10;](#)  
[Psalm 38:11-15;](#) [Proverbs 6:11-13](#)