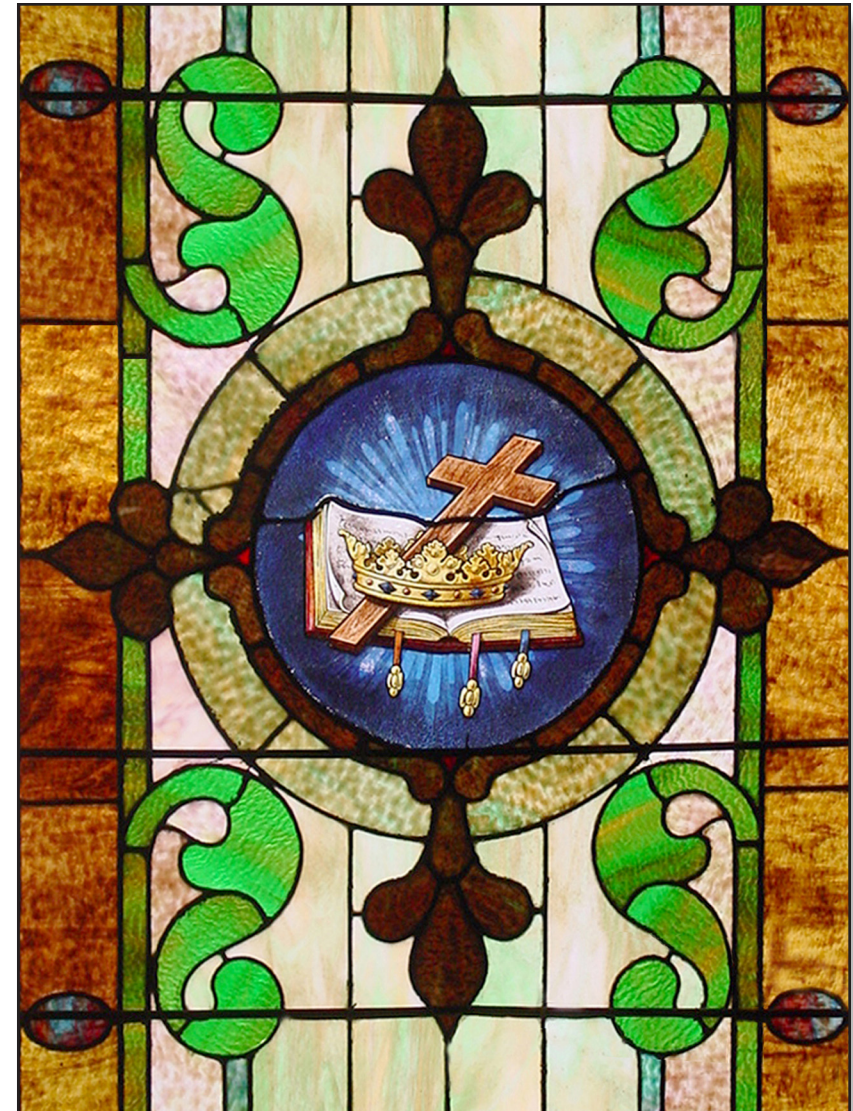


A Closer Look: *The Lost Sheep*

Luke 15:3-7

1. What is a parable (*an earthly story with a heavenly meaning*)
2. Who are the sheep in this story? (*We are*)
3. Who is the Shepherd? (*Jesus*)
4. How can we get “lost”? (*Unbelief, sinning, forgetting about Jesus*)
5. Where does Jesus leave the 99 sheep while He looks for the lost? (*In a safe place*) Name some safe places where Jesus would leave His sheep. (*With other Christians, in a Christian family, in the Word*)
6. How are we “found”? (*Hearing the Word, talking to God in prayer, confessing our sins*)
7. Where will we be with Jesus forever? (*Heaven*)
8. When the lost is found, all of heaven rejoices. Why do you think this is true? (*All in heaven know the lost will spend eternity with God.*)
9. Have you ever lost something very special? What did you do when you found it? (*You wanted to tell others.*)
10. Have you known someone who was “lost” to God? What did you do to help them find their way back?
11. How can you help someone who is “lost” find Jesus? (*Tell them what God has done for you and for them. Read the Bible with them. Talk to God with them.*)

El Reino de los Cielos



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Juan 14:1-3 - El Reino de los Cielos

No se turbe vuestro corazón; creéis en Dios, creed también en mí. 2 En la casa de mi Padre muchas moradas hay; si así no fuera, yo os lo hubiera dicho; voy, pues, a preparar lugar para vosotros. 3 Y si me voy y os preparo lugar, vendré otra vez y os tomaré a mí mismo, para que donde yo esté, vosotros también estéis.

Lucas 15:3-7 - La Parábola de la Oveja Perdida

Entonces él les refirió esta parábola, diciendo: --¿Qué hombre de vosotros, si tiene cien ovejas y se le pierde una de ellas, no deja las noventa y nueve en el desierto y va tras la que se perdió, hasta encontrarla? 5 Cuando la encuentra, la pone sobre sus hombros gozoso,

6 y al llegar a casa reúne a sus amigos y vecinos, y les dice: “Gozaos conmigo, porque he encontrado mi oveja que se había perdido”. 7 Os digo que así habrá más gozo en el cielo por un pecador que se arrepiente, que por noventa y nueve justos que no necesitan de arrepentimiento.

John 14:1-3 - Heaven

“Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in Me. 2 In my Father’s house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to Myself, that where I am you may be also.”

Luke 15:3-7 - The Lost Sheep

He told them this parable: 4 “What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he has lost one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the open country, and go after the one that is lost, until he finds it? 5 And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing.

6 And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and his neighbors, saying to them, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.’ 7 Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.”