

Parables of the Lost Sheep and Lost Coin Luke 15:1-10



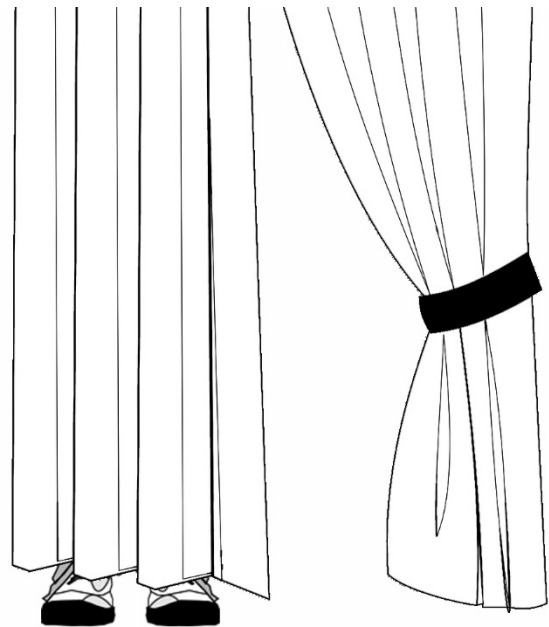
Jesus tells two stories, called *parables*, to teach a deeper truth. In one, a shepherd loses his sheep and goes to find it. In the other, a woman loses her coin and searches until she finds it. Jesus told these stories to show that Jesus looks for us.

"I have wandered away like a lost sheep; come and find me, for I have not forgotten your commands" (Psalm 119:176).

Family Together Time

Have fun looking for each other to better understand how Jesus looks for us.

- Wait until it's dark outside.
- Turn off all the lights.
- Play a fun game of Hide-and-Seek—in the dark!
- For more fun, invite friends or neighbors to join you.
- After several rounds, talk about the best hiding spots people found.
- Talk about why it was fun to look for the people who were hiding, and remind your family that Jesus looks for us because he wants to be with us forever!



Talk About This...

- Tell about something you'd hate to lose, and why.