

## The Parables: The Lost Sheep; Luke 15:1-6

1. Who came near to hear what Jesus had to say? \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
2. Which one of the following complained about the company Jesus was keeping?  
(a) The religious people      (b) The sinful people
3. Jesus was accused of receiving \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ with them.

### I. Looking for Those We Value (v.4)

4. How many sheep did the shepherd have? \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. How many got lost? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What significance can we see in the shepherd going to find the lost sheep?  
He left the \_\_\_\_\_ in order to find just \_\_\_\_\_
6. How did Cain respond when God ask him about his brother Able? (Genesis 4:9)  
Am \_\_\_\_\_ my \_\_\_\_\_?
7. If James 5:19 indicates that a brother can wander from the truth them what is our responsibility? \_\_\_\_\_

### II. A Time of Celebration (v.5-6)

8. What did the shepherd do with the sheep once he found it? Laid it on his \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. What was the shepherd's reaction? \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Once he got home what did he invite his friends and neighbors to do?  
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9. From the other two stories in Luke 15 describe what was done once the lost was found:  
(1) Verse 9 - \_\_\_\_\_  
(2) Verses 23-24 - \_\_\_\_\_

### I. Who Needs the Extra Care? (v. 7)

10. Which caused "joy in heaven"? \_\_\_\_\_
11. When we go and help a "wanderer" return to God it \_\_\_\_\_ a soul from \_\_\_\_\_ and covers a multitude of \_\_\_\_\_. (James 5:19-20)