

WHAT KIND OF CHILD AM I?

NOTES

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." Luke 15:1-2 NIV

Jesus continued: "There was a man who had two sons. Luke 15:11 NIV

The _____ represents our Heavenly father.

The _____ son represented the "tax collectors and sinners"

The _____ son represented the "Pharisees and teachers of the law"

Because we all have the same Heavenly Father...

I HAVE THE F_____ OF CHOICE

Parenthood is a gradual loss of c_____.

You can choose the way of L_____.

12 The younger one said to his father, 'Father, give me my share of the estate.' So he divided his property between them.

13 "Not long after that, the younger son got together all he had, set off for a distant country Luke 15:12-13a NIV

You Can Choose the way of L_____.

28 "The older brother became angry and refused to go in. So his father went out and pleaded with him. 29 But he answered his father, 'Look! All these years I've been slaving for you and never disobeyed your orders. Luke 15:28-29 NIV

I MAKE M_____

Some r_____ their mistakes...

17 "When he came to his senses, he said, 'How many of my father's hired servants have food to spare, and here I am starving to death! 18 I will set out and go back to my father and say to him: Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. 19 I am no longer worthy to be called your son; make me like one of your hired servants.' 20 So he got up and went to his father. Luke 15:17-20 NIV

Some m_____ their mistakes

Yet you never gave me even a young goat so I could celebrate with my friends But when this son of yours who has squandered your property with prostitutes comes home, you kill the fattened calf for him!" Luke 15:30 NIV

D_____ F_____

I RECEIVE G_____ RACE FROM THE FATHER

22 "But the father said to his servants, 'Quick! Bring the best robe and put it on him. Put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. 23 Bring the fattened calf and kill it. Let's have a feast and celebrate. Luke 15:22-23 NIV

31 "My son,' the father said, 'you are always with me, and everything I have is yours. 32 But we had to celebrate and be glad, because this brother of yours was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.'" Luke 15:31-32 NIV

Don't be like the youngest son, r_____ and running away.

Don't be like the oldest son, c_____ and unforgiving.

Be like the _____ son.

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