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Unit 3

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Bible Studies

In the Gospel of Luke

level 4

Lesson No. 1 The Lord Jesus - The Good Shepherd



*Luke 15: 1-7
19: 1-10*

Suggested Further Reading			
Psalm 23	Psalm 119: 176	Isaiah 53: 6	Ezekiel 34: 11-16



Luke 19: 10

Once again the Lord Jesus is surrounded by two kinds of people - those who wanted to learn, and those who wanted to find fault. In the crowd were tax collectors (called 'publicans' in some Bibles) who were really hated by everyone, because they worked for the Romans (the occupying power in Israel). Some tax collectors realized they had no hope and were lost spiritually. The Lord Jesus was looking for people like that.

Why had the tax collectors and 'sinners' gathered around Jesus?

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Why did the religious leaders murmur, mutter and grumble against Him?

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What was the name of the tax collector Jesus met, near Jericho? (See Luke 19: 1-10.)

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What did the people say on that occasion? (Verse 7)

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Write out the Key Verse to discover what the Lord Jesus said He had come to do. Then UNDERLINE the TWO key words which emphasize His mission to those who are lost.

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The Lord Jesus often told parables (earthly stories with heavenly meanings) to illustrate His teaching. He did not always explain exactly what the story meant. He knew that if people were really interested in what He taught, they would think it out for themselves or ask Him for a further explanation.

WORD GRID

Read Luke 15: 1-7 again, then complete the Word Grid.

Clues

1. The result of going astray.
2. Ninety-nine of these were left.
3. One who does wrong.
4. There is joy when someone does this.
5. Where the animal was carried.
6. The place where there is much joy.
7. The people who were called together, when the man came home.
8. The total number of animals.

The word grid consists of 8 numbered squares. Clue 1 is a 4-letter word starting at (1,1). Clue 2 is a 5-letter word starting at (1,2). Clue 3 is a 4-letter word starting at (3,1). Clue 4 is a 7-letter word starting at (4,1). Clue 5 is a 10-letter word starting at (5,1). Clue 6 is a 4-letter word starting at (6,1). Clue 7 is a 6-letter word starting at (7,1). Clue 8 is a 6-letter word starting at (8,1). A drawing of a sheep is to the right of the grid.

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Look down the Word Grid and shade in the word which describes the man in the parable.

He had only one missing! He could have said, "I've still got ninety-nine. Why should I bother about one that's wandered away?" But a GOOD shepherd cares for each of his sheep, and the one which was lost really mattered to him.

Break the code to discover what lengths the man went to because the sheep was important to him.

Code:- A=Z, B=Y, Y=B, Z=A etc.

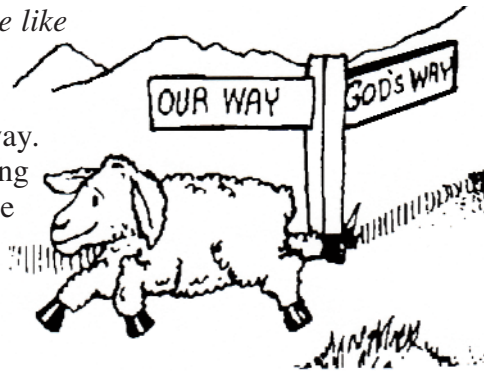
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The Bible speaks, in **Isaiah 53: 6**, of us being like lost sheep. "All we like sheep have gone astray, we have turned everyone to his own way."

The Lord Jesus told this parable to show that we are like the lost sheep because we have strayed away from God and gone our own way. The Lord Jesus spent a lot of His time on earth talking to and teaching sinners. The religious leaders in His day didn't care about the people who were 'lost' or sinners. They cared only about themselves. They thought they were so good they had nothing for which to be sorry. They didn't realize they were 'lost' too!



Find two names in the Bible Reading for the religious leaders of the Jews and write them out.

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The Lord Jesus loves sinners. That includes everybody. He left Heaven and came to our world in search of us. The Bible calls Him 'The Good Shepherd' (**John 10: 11**), because He was prepared to give His life for the sheep. He gave His life to find us and rescue us from our sin. Remember each person matters to the Lord. Think how happy the Good Shepherd is when He finds lost sheep! Have you ever been found by Him? Can you truly say, "The Lord is **my** Shepherd"?

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Lesson No. 2 The Lord Jesus - The Loving Teacher



Luke 15: 11-24



Luke 15: 20

Suggested Further Reading

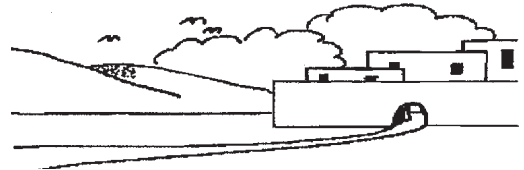
Isaiah 55: 6 & 7

Hosea 11: 1-11

Hosea 14: 1-9

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In the previous study, we learned that the Lord Jesus is the Good Shepherd who loves us and came to bring us back to God. In this parable we learn about the love of God the Father, who forgives all our sins and blesses us when we return to Him.



How many sons did the man have?

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What did the younger son ask from his father?

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This young man obviously wanted to be free from all the restrictions of family life.

Where did he go?

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Away from the steady influence of his father, his behaviour became worse and worse.

Write **IN YOUR OWN WORDS** three things which happened shortly after he arrived at this new place.

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It was utterly degrading for a Jew to look after pigs. God had said they were unclean animals and no Jew was to touch them or eat them. It seemed that the young man had reached rock bottom, but worse was to follow!

As he sat there, starving with hunger, what thoughts went through his mind? Write out verse 16.

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We have traced the downward steps of this young man. But thankfully he came to his senses and realized how wrong and foolish he had been.

What did he decide to say to his father?

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This story has a happy ending. The young man was really sorry and willing to return home. He saw what problems his selfish behaviour had created. Now, he wanted to say how wrong he had been and to be back on happy terms with his father.

When did his father see him?

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Describe IN YOUR OWN WORDS how his father received him.

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The father interrupted his son when he was confessing his wrongdoing.

What words did he not say which he had originally planned to say?

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Answer TRUE or FALSE about the gifts which the father gave his son as evidence that he had forgiven him:-

A second hand robe was called for. _____

He put a ring on his finger. _____

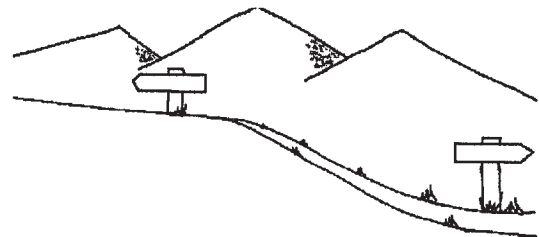
He put sandals (shoes) on his feet. _____

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As you read verses 23 and 24, what, from the *previous* lesson, are you reminded of? What lesson did the Lord Jesus teach from it?

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This is a parable of how God receives US when we return to Him, admitting our wrong doings and asking His forgiveness. Don't let pride, or other people, keep you from coming to God and repenting of your sin.



Write out the first sentence of the *Key Verse*.

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Have you responded to God's love for you?

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Lesson No. 3 The Lord Jesus - The Dying Saviour



*Luke 23: 13-26
& 32-47*



Luke 23: 33

Suggested Further Reading

Psalm 22: 1-20 Isaiah 53: 1-12 Matthew 27: 1-54 1 Peter 2: 21-24

Please put your name here

We have been learning about the love of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ for each individual. Now we see the greatest proof of God's love when the Lord Jesus died on the cross.

Crowds of people had eagerly followed Him, listening to Him and being healed by Him. Now as Jesus stood before Pilate, people were crying out that He should die.

What was the charge brought against Jesus? (Verses 13 and 14)

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Pilate, the Roman Governor who was in charge of the trial of Jesus, wanted to release Jesus. However, the Jewish leaders stirred up the crowds to ask for something else.

What did they shout?

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Pilate spoke to the people three times, trying to persuade them to free Jesus.

What did Pilate offer to do to Jesus, instead of crucifying Him?

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But the people, led by the chief priests and rulers, wanted Jesus crucified.

How do we know they really meant it?

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Pilate gave in to the people and the Lord Jesus was led away to be put to death. How awful! He had never done anything wrong. He did not deserve to die. He was the Son of God and could have broken free from the soldiers at any time, but He chose not to. This was because He loves us. He loves us so much that He was willing to die on the cross for our sins to save us from God's punishment. He died for **you** as well! Have **you** ever thanked Him?

Write out the Key Verse and UNDERLINE the name of the place where Jesus was crucified.

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It was a dreadful day for the Lord Jesus. The people whom He loved, and for whom He was giving up His life, kept mocking Him, even when He was hanging on the cross.



Look at **Luke 23: 35-39**.

Whom did they say He should save?

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Answer **YES** or **NO**:-

If He had done what they said, would He have been able to save us?

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Even God turned away from Him when the Lord Jesus suffered for our sins. God punished Him instead of us. He suffered so that **we** could go free.

One of the men crucified with Jesus that day realized that He was the only One who could forgive his terrible sins and he died knowing that he would go to Heaven, or Paradise. (Verses 40-43)

What did Jesus say to him?

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Write in detail **IN YOUR OWN WORDS** what happened **AFTER** He had spoken to the thief.

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Although everyone seemed to be against Jesus, there were people around who saw Him as Someone special.

What did the centurion, or army officer, say about Him?

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Who did it? Draw straight lines from each question to the right person.



Whom did Pilate call together?



Whom did the people want to have set free?



Who sentenced Jesus to death?

Who carried Jesus' cross?

Who said that Jesus had done no wrong?
(two answers)



Who asked Jesus to remember him?

Who was a murderer?

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The Lord Jesus knew it was the will of God for Him to die. It was the only way for men and women, young people and children, to have their sins forgiven. That dreadful day, during those dark hours, the Lord Jesus took God's punishment for our sin.

*'On Calvary's tree, He died for me.
That I, His love might know.
To set me free, He died for me,
That's why I love Him so.'*



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Lesson No. 4 The Lord Jesus - The Living Lord



Luke 23: 55 & 56
24: 1-12



Luke 24: 6

Suggested Further Reading

John 20: 1-9 1 Corinthians 15: 1-8 Phillipians 2: 5-11

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Some women from Galilee had watched the crucifixion from a distance. (Luke 23: 49) They also paid careful attention to where Jesus' body was laid, and then they went home.

Write out the names of three of the women.

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What special task did they do at home that evening? How did they spend the Sabbath? Sabbath (our Saturday) means 'rest' and is the name given by the Jews to the seventh day of each week.

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Dawn was now breaking and the women had an important job ahead of them.

Underline the correct words in the following paragraph to see what this task was.

The women were going to the *riverside* / *tomb* / *synagogue*.
They were taking *spices* / *wine* / *water* to anoint the body of the *thief* / *governor* / *Lord Jesus*. On arrival, they found the *stone* / *door* / *tree* rolled away from the *house* / *garden* / *tomb*.



Imagine their surprise when they found the tomb empty! What was the meaning of it? While they wondered about it, they suddenly heard a voice.

Who spoke to the women? 1

What had happened to Jesus? Answer **TRUE** or **FALSE**:-

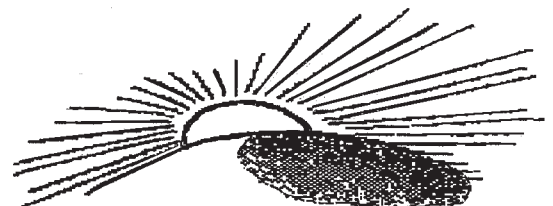
- He had never really died. _____
- The women had gone to the wrong place. _____
- His body had been moved somewhere else. _____

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What had actually happened according to the **Key Verse**?

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The angels also said, "Remember how He told you, while He was still with you in Galilee?" The resurrection was no surprise to the Lord Jesus. He told the disciples many times what would happen, but they never really took it in.



Read Luke 18: 31-34 and write out verse 33.

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It's sad to think that even the apostles didn't believe the report the women brought. One of them decided to find out for himself.

Which apostle was it?

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Write IN YOUR OWN WORDS what he did and his reaction to what he heard and saw.

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Whatever age we are, we need to find things out for ourselves. Especially we need to find out about the Lord Jesus. In this introductory course we have studied part of His life, His miracles and His teaching. Finally, we've thought about His death and resurrection.

Write IN YOUR OWN WORDS some of the things you have learned from these studies.

In 1 Corinthians 15: 20, we read: "Christ has indeed been raised from the dead". He is a living Saviour, who will not only give us forgiveness for our sins but will also give us the power to live happy and useful lives. He invites us to make Him the Master, or Lord, of our lives. (Romans 10: 9)

So the Lord Jesus is alive! What difference should this make to the way you live?



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