LESSON 27

The Prodigal Son

Found in the Book of Luke 15:11 to 32



My Bible Workbook

This workbook belongs to: _____

The Story of the Son Who Came Home



Jesus told a story about a man who had two sons. The younger son said, “Father, give me my share of the money.” He took it, traveled to a far country, and wasted it all on foolish living.

Soon the son had nothing left. He was so hungry that he took a job feeding pigs, and he wished he could eat the pigs' food! Then he remembered his father's house and said, “I will go home and say I am sorry.”

While he was still a long way off, his father saw him and ran to him! The father hugged him, kissed him, and gave him the best robe, a ring, and new shoes. “Let us celebrate,” he said, “for my son was lost and is found!”

The older brother was angry and would not join the party. But the father said, “We had to celebrate, because your brother was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.”

3 Things to Remember

- ★ The father welcomed his son home with love and joy.
- ★ It is never too late to say sorry and come back to God.
- ★ God celebrates when lost people come home to Him.

Learn the Memory Verse

"For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found."

- Luke 15:24

Say the verse out loud 3 times. Colour a star each time! 

Fill in the Missing Words

For this my _____(1) was _____(2), and is _____(3) again; he was lost, and is _____(4).

WORD BANK

son - dead - alive - found

Practise writing these verse words:

son	dead	alive

Unscramble Fun!

Unscramble the letters to make a story word. The clue will help you!

E A T H F R

While he was still a long way off, his _____ saw him and ran to him!

_____

M O E H

Then he remembered his father's house and said, "I will go _____ and say I am sorry."

_____

S T L O

"Let us celebrate," he said, "for my son was _____ and is found!"

_____

F N U D O

"Let us celebrate," he said, "for my son was lost and is _____!"

_____

E B R O

The father hugged him, kissed him, and gave him the best _____, a ring, and new shoes.

_____

A T E S F

A word from our story.

_____

Put the Verse Words in Order

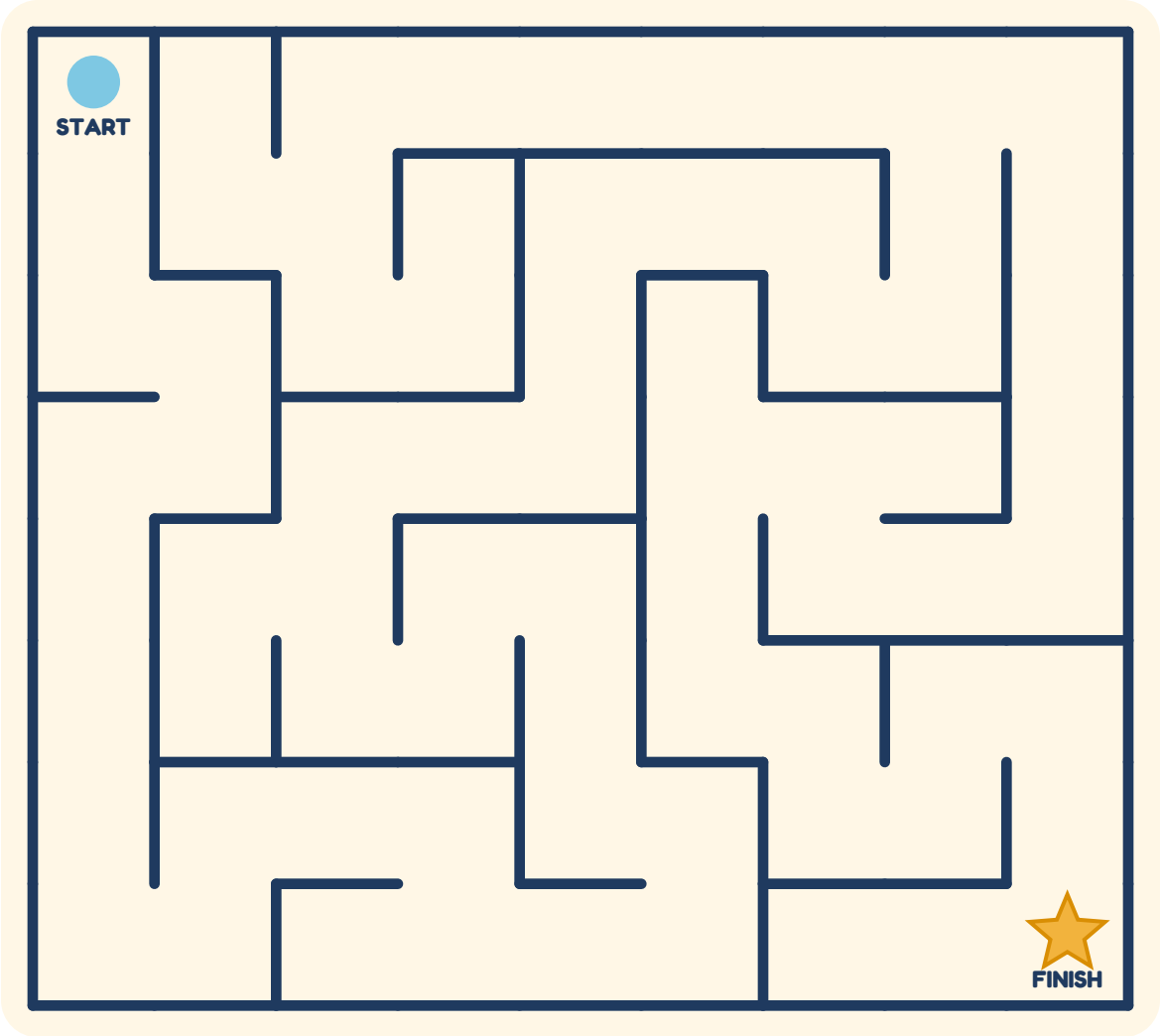
These words are mixed up! Write them in the right order from Luke 15:24.

found | is | he | lost | and | was

1	2	3	4	5	6

Help the Son Find His Way Home

The younger son is coming home to his father.
Draw a line from START to the shining star!



The son is home! His father ran to hug him!

Story Word Search

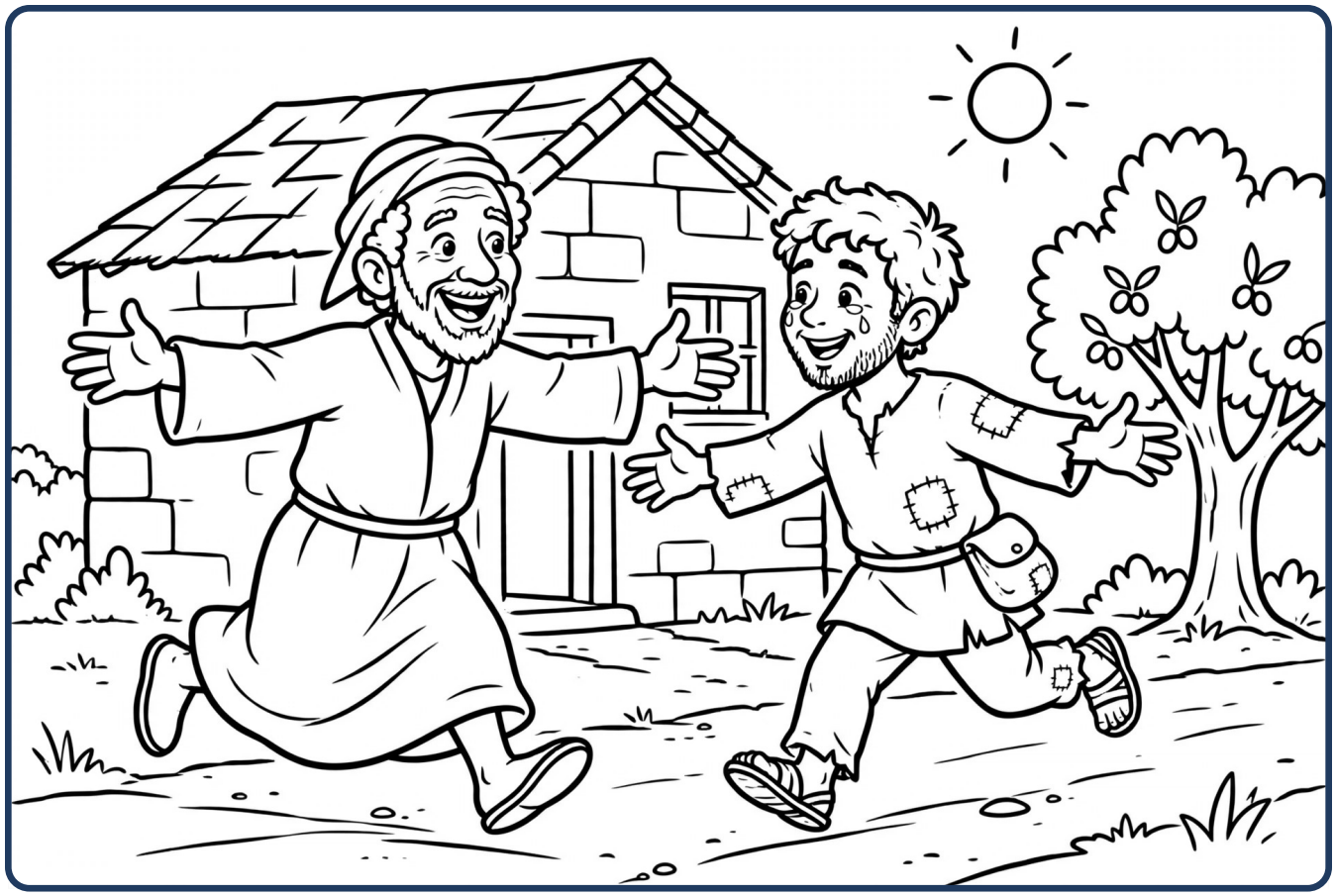
Find the 8 story words hidden in the letters.
Words go across or down. Circle each word you find!

R	P	F	H	W	O	H	Y	I	R
I	L	M	R	O	B	E	T	P	E
N	D	R	M	N	E	S	W	I	G
G	I	O	H	F	P	L	N	D	H
D	B	M	O	A	I	O	D	F	S
E	O	F	M	T	G	S	A	Y	L
M	D	O	E	H	S	T	D	F	P
G	H	U	G	E	C	E	O	E	G
V	C	N	Y	R	T	I	F	E	O
S	H	D	U	F	V	K	S	O	N

Words to find:

- ☐ Father
- ☐ Son
- ☐ Home
- ☐ Lost
- ☐ Found
- ☐ Robe
- ☐ Ring
- ☐ Pigs

Colour the Story!



The father ran to his son, hugged him and kissed him.

(Luke 15:20)

Colour the picture from the story.

What colour will you make the best robe?

Draw and Write

Draw the Father Welcoming His Son

Draw the happy father running to hug his son who came home.

One thing I learned:

My favourite part of the story was:

Quiz Time!

What do you remember? Colour the circle beside the right answer.

1. Why did the younger son leave home?

- ◯ He wanted his share of the money
- ◯ He was looking for a job
- ◯ He wanted to visit friends

2. What job did the son take in the far country?

- ◯ Building houses
- ◯ Feeding pigs
- ◯ Fishing

3. What did the father do when he saw his son coming?

- ◯ He waited at the door
- ◯ He sent a servant
- ◯ He ran to him and hugged him

4. What did the father give his son?

- ◯ The best robe, a ring and new shoes
- ◯ A bag of money
- ◯ A new house

Let's Pray Together

Thank You, God, that You welcome us home with love, like the father in the story. Thank You that it is never too late to say sorry and come back to You. Help me to come to You quickly when I do wrong. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Answer Key

For parents and teachers - peek only after your child has tried!

Memory Verse - Fill in the Missing Words (page 3)

1. son 2. dead 3. alive 4. found

Full verse: "For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found." - Luke 15:24

Unscramble Fun! (page 4)

EATHFR = FATHER MOEH = HOME STLO = LOST

FNUDO = FOUND EBRO = ROBE ATESF = FEAST

Verse words in order: he - was - lost - and - is - found

Quiz Time! (page 9)

1. He wanted his share of the money 2. Feeding pigs

3. He ran to him and hugged him 4. The best robe, a ring and new shoes

Word Search Answers (page 6)

R	P	F	H	W	O	H	Y	I	R
I	L	M	R	O	B	E	T	P	E
N	D	R	M	N	E	S	W	I	G
G	I	O	H	F	P	L	N	D	H
D	B	M	O	A	I	O	D	F	S
E	O	F	M	T	G	S	A	Y	L
M	D	O	E	H	S	T	D	F	P
G	H	U	G	E	C	E	O	E	G
V	C	N	Y	R	T	I	F	E	O
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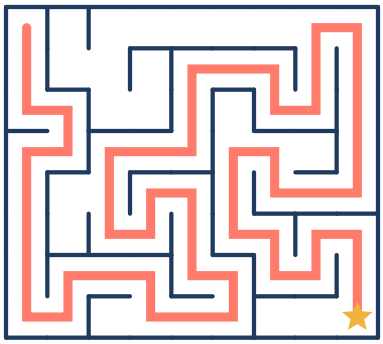
Maze Answer (page 5)



Well done for finishing Lesson 27! Next: Lesson 28 - Jesus Heals Ten Lepers.