

# THE PRODIGAL SON:



# Jesus tells about a patient father.

Luke 15:11-32

Jesus told a story about a man and his two sons. The younger son asked his father for the money that he would one day inherit. The father gave the son what the son wanted.

Soon after that, the younger son took all his money and went to another country. He spent all his money on parties and buying things for his friends. After his money was gone there was a famine. There was no food for him to eat! None of his friends would help him. The only work he could find was feeding pigs. He was so hungry that he wanted to eat the food the pigs were eating!

Finally the son realized what he should do. He decided to go back home and ask to be hired as one of his father's servants. When the son was still far away, his father saw him. His father ran to him and threw his arms around him.

The son said, "Father, I was wrong. I'm not good enough to be called your son." But the father called to his servants. "Bring some new clothes for my son," he said. "Get ready for a party! My son has come home!"

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# Two Sons

Read Matthew 21:28-32 (ICB) and check the right answers. Copy the letter from each correct box onto the first line. Then copy the letters from the wrong answer boxes onto the second line.

There was a man who had **one<sup>E</sup> two<sup>C</sup>** sons.

He went to the **first<sup>H</sup> second<sup>N</sup>** son and said, "**Daughter<sup>T</sup> Son<sup>A</sup>**

go and **work<sup>N</sup> play<sup>E</sup>** today in my **vineyard<sup>G</sup> barn<sup>R</sup>**."

The son answered, "I **will<sup>T</sup> will not<sup>E</sup>** go."

But later the **son<sup>A</sup> daughter<sup>H</sup>** decided he **should<sup>N</sup> should not<sup>E</sup>** go, and he went.

Then the **mother<sup>K</sup> father<sup>D</sup>** went to the other **son<sup>B</sup> daughter<sup>I</sup>** and said,

"Son, go and **work<sup>E</sup> play<sup>N</sup>** today in my **vineyard<sup>L</sup> barn<sup>G</sup>**."

The son answered, **No<sup>D</sup> Yes<sup>I</sup>**, sir, I **will<sup>E</sup> will not<sup>O</sup>** go and work."

But he did not go. Which of the **two<sup>V</sup> three<sup>M</sup>** sons obeyed his father?

The priests and leaders answered, "The **first<sup>E</sup> second** son."



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