

Points To Remember

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TITLE: "The Prodigals' Father"
TEXT: Luke 15:11-32
SERIES: *The Parable of the Prodigal Son*
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INTRODUCTION

Jesus began His story, *"There was a man who had two sons."* (v. 11)

PICTURES OF THE PRODIGALS' FATHER:

1. An _____ father.

"But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him." (v. 20)

2. A _____ father.

"...and was filled with compassion for him." (v. 20)

Psalm 103:8, *"The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love."*

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3. A _____ father.

"He ran to his son." (v. 20)

"Christ Jesus...made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant...he humbled himself and became obedient to death—even death on a cross."

Philippians 2:5-8

4. An _____ father.

"He ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him." (v. 20)

5. A _____ father.

"Quick! Bring the best robe and put it on him. Put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet." (v. 22)

6. A _____ father.

"Bring the fattened calf and kill it. Let's have a feast and celebrate..." (vv. 23-24)

7. A _____ father.

"The older brother became angry and refused to go in. So his father went out to plead with him." (v. 28)

CONCLUSION

"Will you go home?"