

The logo for 'TOPICAL SERMONS' features the words 'TOPICAL' and 'SERMONS' in a dark green, serif font, separated by a stylized orange and yellow geometric icon consisting of two overlapping cubes. The background is a light beige, textured paper-like surface with orange triangular accents in the top-left and bottom-right corners.

TOPICAL SERMONS

Opening *(all play)*

1. Have you ever been robbed?
-What was taken?

Text *(Different participants read through each text)*

2. Luke 15:12— *Why is this a crazy request?*
3. James 15:14-16— *You ever felt like this (even in a smaller degree)?*
4. Luke 15:22-24 — *Why may have the Pharisees shook their heads at this part of the story?*

Short Answer

5. When did you first learn about the gospel?
-What was your initial reaction?
6. What is “legalism”?
7. What is “antinomianism”?

Discussion

8. Do you ever feel like you’ve been robbed of the gospel?
-What tends to lead to that feeling?
9. Each person can lean toward legalism or antinomianism, which way do you tend to lean?
10. How does a true understanding of the Father ignite our joy in the gospel?
-How does is keep us from legalism or antinomianism?

Application *(all play – Men and Women separate)*

11. (Catch up from last message) What have you done about your “debts” that came to mind last week?
12. What do you need to do this week to better know the Father?