

LOST AND FOUND

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Main Text

3 So he told them this parable: 4 "What man among you, who has a hundred sheep and loses one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the open field and go after the lost one until he finds it? 5 When he has found it, he joyfully puts it on his shoulders, 6 and coming home, he calls his friends and neighbors together, saying to them, 'Rejoice with me, because I have found my lost sheep!' 7 I tell you, in the same way, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who don't need repentance."

—Luke 15:3-7 (CSB)

1. Looking for the lost

For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save the lost.

—Luke 19:10 (CSB)

2. Strong shoulders

He will feed his flock like a shepherd. He will carry the lambs in his arms, holding them close to his heart. He will gently lead the mother sheep with their young.

—Isaiah 40:11 (NLT)

3. Joyful celebration

The LORD your God is in your midst, A victorious warrior. He will rejoice over you with joy, He will be quiet in his love, He will rejoice over you with shouts of joy.

—Zephaniah 3:17 (NASB)