

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

WE LOVE YOU DAD!

THE PRODIGAL SON / THE LOVING FATHER | LUKE 15:11-32

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The Parable of the Prodigal Son is a picture of how a Christian father ought to relate to his children.

I. A LOVING PARENT LOVES THEIR CHILDREN WHEN THE CHILDREN ARE _____ OR _____

Four ways to convince your children you love them...

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____

II. A LOVING PARENT RELEASES THEIR CHILDREN IN SPIE OF THE _____

III. A LOVING PARENT _____ THEIR CHILDREN EVEN WHEN IT'S NOT EASY

Discussion Questions:

- 1. Why do many say that the parable of The Prodigal Son should be called the parable of The Loving Father?**
- 2. Dr. Ross Campbell in his book, "How To Love Your Teenager" gives 4 ways a parent can show their child that they love them:**

- a. Make eye contact with them
- b. Physical contact
- c. Focused attention on the child
- d. Discipline

What do you think about this?

- 3. Can anyone share an experience of being released by your parents or an experience of releasing a child?**
- 4. What does forgiveness include? Why is forgiveness so hard?**



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