

## Sermon Discussion Guide September 14, 2025

## Refresh

Read Luke 15:1-10 to get the Scripture passage back in your mind.

## **Discuss**

Why is it that we so often disregard the lost around us? What does that say about our priorities? What does that say about how we view God and others?

Who are some lost people that God has placed in your life? In what ways have you found it challenging to reach them? What are some ways you can intentionally focus on reaching them with the gospel?

We were reminded that "A genuine love for lost people will be demonstrated by intentional efforts to reach them for Christ." If our lack of reaching the lost reveals a lack of love for them, how might we go about growing in our love for the lost around us?

In what ways does Scripture reveal how highly valuable lost souls are to the Lord? In what ways should this inform how we view those who are unbelieving around us? How can we grow in valuing the souls of unbelievers around us?

Who in your life has done a good job of cultivating relationships with unsaved people? What could your group learn from their intentionality to form these relationships? What are the current obstacles in your life that have hindered you from making relationships with unbelievers?

Why do we often neglect to pray for unsaved people in our lives? What does that reveal about how we view them or how we view God? Who is one person you can pray for every day that they might come to know the Lord?

Who is one person you have a relationship with that you want to reach with the gospel? Share their name with your group and pray together for these names? What are some ways your group can encourage one another to pursue these unbelievers throughout this year?