

Cultivating A Heart Like Jesus

“A Rejoicing Heart”

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Luke 10:20

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- A. How many of you like _____ ?
- B. In Luke 15, Jesus told _____ stories.
1. Each story speaks of something being _____ and then _____.
 2. A lost _____, _____, and _____.
- C. Each of the stories ended with a _____ - we see the word “_____.”
- D. Jesus’ point is clear - God is happiest when the _____ are _____.
- E. Why do Jesus and His angels rejoice over one repenting sinner?
1. They know what _____ holds (1 Jn. 3:2).
 2. They know what _____ entails (Mt. 22:13; Heb. 9:27).
- F. We must develop Jesus’ eternal _____ of _____ and realize that they are either in one state or the other.
1. Entering through the small gate or the wide gate (Mt. 7:13-14).
 2. Traveling the narrow road or the wide road (Mt. 7:13-14).
 3. Building on rock or sand (Mt. 7:24-27).
 4. Wise or foolish (Mt. 25:2).
 5. Prepared or unprepared (Mt. 24:45-51).
 6. Fruitful or fruitless (Mt. 25:14-27).
 7. Heaven bound or hell bound (Mk. 16:15-16)
- G. A true story that illustrates how _____ feels about us and how _____ should feel about others who are saved or need to be rescued.
1. It is a story about a rescue _____ named _____.
- H. Like Jesus, may we have a rejoicing heart that celebrates over the most important thing - the _____ of people’s _____.

Answer Key: A. surprise, parties. B. three. B.1. lost, found. B.2. sheep, coin, son. C. party, rejoice. D. lost, found. E.1. heaven. E.2. hell. F. view, people. G. God, we. G.1. dog, Loch. H. salvation, souls.