

Parable of the Lost Sheep

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Matthew 18: 11-14

11 For the Son of man is come to save that which was lost.

12 How think ye? if a man have an hundred sheep, and one of them be gone astray, doth he not leave the ninety and nine, and goeth into the mountains, and seeketh that which is gone astray?

13 And if so be that he find it, verily I say unto you, he rejoiceth more of that sheep, than of the ninety and nine which went not astray.

14 Even so it is not the will of your Father which is in heaven, that one of these little ones should perish. KJV

*Let's Talk
About
Sheep....*

**WHY
DOES GOD
CALL US
SHEEP?**



When we think
of sheep we
sometimes think
of a creature
that is docile,
dependant, led
easy to stray.

What other
characteristics
can you think
of for
sheep?

Verse 11 For the Son of man is come to save that which was lost.

Think of something that is lost...

Where is it...

When was the last time it was seen...

What do I need to do to find it...

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What other thoughts do you have when you lose something



of value?



David proclaimed in Psalms 23, The Lord is
our Shepherd, which we are His sheep.

Verse 12 How think ye? if a man have an hundred sheep, and one of them be gone astray, doth he not leave the ninety and nine, and goeth into the mountains, and seeketh that which is gone astray?

When just one of us become lost it
is a big concern, to God.

Question:
How do we feel
about the shepherd
leaving the 99
sheep to look for
the...1?

We can be assured that God's Spirit is sufficient to look after and comfort the 99 while seeking The 1.

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How should we feel about celebrating the one that was lost and then found?



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Isn't it
comforting to
know and learn
that we have a
Shepherd that
cares and will
find us when
we are lost.

