

The father runs

Luke 15:11-24

1 Eat

Read the passage slowly, read it again, then retell it in your own words. If you can't retell it, read it once more.

☐ Read ☐ Reread ☐ Retell

2 Digest

Answer from what the passage actually says — stay in the text.

1. What does this show me about God?

The father runs before the son has finished his speech. What does God do with our apologies?

2. What does it show me about people — and about me?

The son had practised what to say. Why do we rehearse before we say sorry?

3. What will I obey this week?

What speech do you need to stop rehearsing and just go and give? To whom?

4. Who will I tell?

Who is a long way off and thinks they can't come home? What will you tell them?

3 Grow

Growth is God's part, not yours. Do the cycle faithfully and trust Him to give the growth (1 Corinthians 3:6–7).

★ Pray

God, the father saw him a long way off — which means he had been watching the road. Thank you that you are watching for me.



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