



Discussion Guide for “Lost and Found” – *You Had to Be There* Week 2

We typically imagine God to be in Church, among the religious people. Or possibly in Heaven, surrounded by worshippers. But when some religious people in his day find Jesus partying with sinners and are scandalized, Jesus tells them a story about God's love for lost things. God is out there, searching restlessly until all who were lost are found!

Scriptures for Further Reading

[Luke 15:1-32](#)

[Matthew 9:9-13](#)

[Luke 19:1-10](#)

[Romans 5:6-11](#)

[2 Peter 3:3-8](#)

Questions for Discussion

1. Do you consider yourself "lost" or "found"? Why?
2. How do you think the "sinners and tax collectors" who were with Jesus felt about being called "lost"?
3. Jesus told a story about sheep. How did retelling it about school-children change the impact as you listened?
4. What does this story mean for those who are "lost"?
5. What does this story mean for those who are "found"?