

“There will be rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.” 15:10

1 The Joy of Bringing the Lost Home

- God’s initiative of love in searching for the one who strayed.
- Repentance is the dance that invites a celebration.

2 The Joy of Finding the Lost Treasure

- God’s urgency of love to find what is valuable and lost.
- Repentance is the spark that ignites a party in heaven.

3 The Joy of Welcoming the Lost Home

- Love’s agony with sin in the leaving, waiting and bitterness.
- The words of repentance that change our lives.
“Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son; make me like one of your hired men.”
- The actions of repentance.
“So he got up and went to his father.”
- Repentance is the river of joy bringing life to a heart of death.