

# A Brother's Dilemma





# The Prodigal Son

(Luke 15:11-32)

**Older Brother**

Luke 15:28-29-- But he was angry and he refused to go in. His Father came out and entreated him, but he answered his father, 'Look, these many years I have served you, and I never disobeyed your command, yet

Vs. 29-- you never gave me a  
young goat, that I might celebrate  
with my friends.

Luke 15:12-- And the younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of property that is coming to me.' And he divided his property between them.



Luke 15:30-- But when this son of yours came, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fattened calf for him!

**Younger Brother**

Luke 15:12-- And the younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of property that is coming to me.' And he divided his property between them.

Luke 15:13-- Not many days later, the younger son gathered all he had and took a journey into a far country, and there he squandered his property in reckless living.

Luke 15:18-19-- I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son. *Treat me as one of your servants.*"

**A Father's Love**

Luke 15:20-- And he arose and came to his father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and felt compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him.

Luke 15:28-29-- But he was angry  
and he refused to go in. His  
Father came out and entreated  
him



Luke 15:31-32-- And he said to him, 'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. It was fitting to celebrate and be glad, for this your brother was dead, and is alive; he was lost, and is found.'"

