

**Intro: One of the most basic lessons taught in the Bible is the *Prodigal Principle*** \_\_\_\_\_

- The *Prodigal Principle* is the following:

- A. People who \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- B. Rebellion leads to \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**I. The *Principle* explained - Luke 15:11-24**

**A. REBELLION - Luke 15:11-13**

- The natural signs of rebellion

- A. Impatience with \_\_\_\_\_.
- B. Desire to \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. Irresponsibility and \_\_\_\_\_.
- D. Moral \_\_\_\_\_.

\*Once rebellion is complete then step two usually appears.

**B. REVERSAL - Luke 15:14-16**

~Just because a person rejects God doesn't mean that \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\*In this case God won't allow rescue \_\_\_\_\_  
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**C. REPENTANCE - Luke 15:17-20**

~The boy left his senses, repentance means that the boy \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

~What repentance requires:

- A. Acknowledgement \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- B. Acknowledgement \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- C. Acknowledgement \_\_\_\_\_  
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- D. Decision \_\_\_\_\_  
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**D. RESTORATION - Luke 15:20-24**

- The reason the father felt joy was because the son felt remorse and true repentance. \_\_\_\_\_  
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- What the father did was symbolic.
  - The Robe \_\_\_\_\_  
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  - The Ring \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
  - The Sandals \_\_\_\_\_  
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  - The Feast \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Summary/Invitation**

\*Where are we in the process?

- A. Rebellion? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- B. Reversal? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- C. Repentance? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- D. Restoration? \_\_\_\_\_  
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