

Summary: The younger son takes his inheritance and wastes it. When he returns his father welcomes him and throws a party. The older brother is jealous.

Read Before: Luke 15:11-32; Christ's Object Lessons 198-211; Bible Story Vol8 p116-120

Aim: God will always love and forgive me if I ask.

1. What do I already know? ☒ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☐ Do

Ask: Have you ever been in trouble with your parents? What did you do? What did they do?

Ask: Do your parents still love you?

2. Tell story / give facts. ☐ Listen / Talk ☒ See ☐ Do

Tell story with felts

3. Review / how does it apply today? ☒ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☐ Do

Ask: If someone broke half of your toys and then came back and wanted to be your friend, how would you feel?

Ask: If you have a pet, has it ever done something bad? Do you still love it?

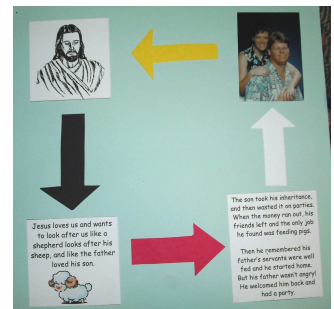
Say: God loves us so much that no matter how much you stuff up He still loves you. Just like your parents love you, and just like you love your pets.

4. What can this become / what can we do?

☐ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

Craft: Jesus and Me book.

Use a digital camera and printer to print a photo of each child getting a hug.



To Do List

Print:

- ☐ A MV colouring page for each child
- ☐ A program list for each teacher
- ☐ Craft.pdf onto card and cut out.

Have:

- ☐ A sample page done up to show
- ☐ A digital camera, printer and photo paper or card available
- ☐ Scrapbook tape (optional) and / or paper glue
- ☐ A4 card
- ☐ Coloured paper and scissors to cut arrows