



PRODIGAL

GOSPEL

The Elder Son

Luke 15.11–32

The Prodigal Gospel

A. The first born (Luke 15.11–32)

B. The first king (1 Samuel 13.1–14)

C. The first concern (Matthew 15.10–20)

Do we ever disobey while appearing to be obedient?

What is missing in our lives when we *appear* good, while not actually *being* good?

Notes:

For further study:

Monday: Read Luke 15.11–32. How does the older son view himself and others?

Tuesday: Read 1 Samuel 8.1–9. What is God's reaction to Israel's demand for a king?

Wednesday: Read 1 Samuel 13.1–14. What was Saul's "heart sin"?

Thursday: Read Matthew 15.10–20. What corrupts us?

Friday: Read 1 Samuel 15.17–23. What does God desire more than ritual?

Saturday: Read Psalm 40.4–8. What does the psalmist say the Lord desires?