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Bible Study

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Healthy Ways to Rebound from Storms in Your Family

Luke 15:17-28

Genesis 4:8 reads, "One day Cain suggested to his brother, "Let's go out into the fields." And while they were in the field, Cain attacked his brother, Abel, and killed him." (NLT) This verse records the very first homicide in the Bible and it took place between two siblings. No family, whether church-ed, unchurch-ed, believers or unbelievers; can go through life without any problems from close or distant relatives. Due to this, it is wise for people of kin to be able to resolve issues among themselves in a harmonious manner. This lesson is designed to share healthy ways to rebound from storms in your family.

Breakdown of Luke 15:11-32

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| 1. The _____ within the Family | Verses 11, 12 |
| 2. The _____ from the Family | Verses 13, 14 |
| 3. The _____ by the Family | Verses 15-32 |

1. _____ by relatives is a healthy way to rebound from storms in your family.

Verses 18, 19

"I will go home to my father and say, "Father, I have sinned against both heaven and you, 19) and I am no longer worthy of being called your son. Please take me on as a hired servant." (NLT)

2. _____ of relatives is a healthy way to rebound from storms in your family.

Verse 20a

"So he returned home to his father. And while he was still a long way off, his father saw him coming..." (NLT)

3. _____ towards relatives is a healthy way to rebound from storms in your family.

Verse 20b

"... "Filled with love and compassion, he ran to his son, embraced him, and kissed him" (NLT)

4. _____ to relatives is a healthy way to rebound from storms in your family.

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