



Are they really Lost?

Luke 15:1-3

1. What does it mean to be?
But now in Christ Jesus you who formerly were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ." Ephesians 2:13 (NASB)
And you were dead in your trespasses and sins," Ephesians 2:1 (NASB)
for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God," Romans 3:23 (NASB)
2. Lost people matter to
When He approached Jerusalem, He saw the city and wept over it," Luke 19:41 (NASB)
For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost." Luke 19:10 (NASB)
3. Lost people matter to
Enter through the narrow gate; for the gate is wide and the way is broad that leads to destruction, and there are many who enter through it. "For the gate is small and the way is narrow that leads to life, and there are few who find it." Matthew 7:13-14 (NASB)

"Also, seek the peace and prosperity of the city to which I have carried you into exile. Pray to the LORD for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper." *Jeremiah 29:7 (NIV)*

"This is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God, *and* one mediator also between

God and men, the man Christ Jesus," 1 Timothy 2:3-5 (NASB)