



# GENERATIONS TAKEOVER

## Ice Breaker

(in groups of 2 or 3 for larger groups)

Share about a time that you either got lost or found something valuable that you had lost.

## Talk About it!

### Part 1

**Read Luke 15:11-24 and talk about it:**

1. Where in your life right now might you be seeking God's blessings more than His presence?
2. How can you shift from wanting His hand to desiring His heart?
3. The prodigal son had a turning point when he "came to his senses." Have you ever had a moment like that? What helped you recognize it was time to return or reset?
4. The father celebrated the son before he could even give his apology. How does this picture of God's grace challenge or encourage the way you see your relationship with Him—or how you respond to others who are struggling?

### Part 2

**Read Luke 15:25-32 and talk about it:**

- 1.1. What does the older brother's reaction reveal about the danger of serving from obligation rather than relationship?
2. Have you ever found yourself serving God but feeling disconnected from His heart? What did you do?
3. The older brother stayed in the father's house but still missed the father's heart. How can we guard against becoming spiritually lost, even while staying "close" to God?
4. The father invited both sons into His joy. In what area of your life might God be inviting you to shift your perspective—from resentment or comparison to celebration and grace?

### Group Prayer Time

- Pray that we would become more like the Father in the story—eager to restore, quick to love, and full of compassion toward both the rebellious and the religious.
- Pray for those who are near but disconnected—that they would experience the Father's love not through striving or performance, but through abiding in His presence.
- Pray for prodigal sons and daughters to come home.