



MAKING
HEAVEN

HAPPY

LUKE 15

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*Parable of the lost sheep,
the lost coin, & the lost son.*

*All of heaven gets really
happy when that which is
lost is found.*

Luke 10:25-37

- *Parable of the Good Samaritan*
We make heaven happy by being a true neighbor to a world that has been beaten, bruised, battered and scarred by life.

Becoming a God Pleaser

Making Heaven Happy is all about making sure that God the Father is well pleased with the way we live our lives here on planet earth.

Becoming a God Pleaser

- *Proverbs 16:7 - "When a man's ways please the Lord, He makes even his enemies be at peace with him."*
- *'ways' - course of life*
- *Haggai - 1:7 - "Consider your ways"*

Our God Pleaser Models

- *Jesus lived His life as a God Pleaser*
- *Matt. 3:7 & Matt. 17:5*
- *Paul lived his new life as a God Pleaser - 2 Cor. 5:9*

The God Pleasers

- *If we are going to make it our aim to please God and make heaven happy, we can't spend all our time trying to make people happy!*

The Seven Ways of a God Pleaser

1. The Way of Faith - Heb. 12:6

2. The Way of the Spirit - Rom. 8

3. The Way of Warfare - 2 Tim. 2

*4. The Way of Proclamation -
1 Thess. 2:4*

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5. The Way of Righteousness

- 1 Thess. 4:1-8

6. The Way of Worship

- Heb. 13:15

7. The Way of Sacrifice

- Heb. 13:16