

**THE MORNING AFTER**

Luke 15:25-32

Introduction: Last time we looked at three essentials for a spiritual “homecoming” to our Heavenly Father: crisis, repentance, and forgiveness. As we conclude our series “Coming Home to the Father Who Loves You,” we are going to examine a final component: perseverance. Tonight we are going to discover four truths about perseverance that will help us **stay** home after we have **come** home.

I. Maintain \_\_\_\_\_ Expectations.

A. Don't Expect Your Desire For \_\_\_\_\_ To Evaporate.

B. Don't Expect Instant \_\_\_\_\_ From Others.

C. Don't Expect The \_\_\_\_\_ Of Your Mistakes  
To \_\_\_\_\_.

II. Regularly Reflect Upon The \_\_\_\_\_ Of The Past.

III. Keep The \_\_\_\_\_ Lines Open.

IV. Remember The \_\_\_\_\_ Love.

Conclusion: