



SOUTHBRIDGE  
COMMUNITY CHURCH

**“Dream Again III”**  
Sunday, January 27, 2008  
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**\*What/where do I \_\_\_\_\_?**

**\*God desires for me to have Kingdom Impact in the areas where I have \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Luke 15:11-14, 17-18, 20, 22, 24 (NLT)**

To illustrate the point further, Jesus told them this story: "A man had two sons. 12 The younger son told his father, 'I want my share of your estate now, instead of waiting until you die.' So his father agreed to divide his wealth between his sons. 13 A few days later this younger son packed all his belongings and took a trip to a distant land, and there he wasted all his money on wild living. 14 About the time his money ran out, a great famine swept over the land, and he began to starve. 17 When he finally came to his senses, he said to himself, 'At home even the hired men have food enough to spare, and here I am, dying of hunger! 18 I will go home to my father and say, Father, I have sinned against both heaven and you...' 20 So he returned home to his father. And while he was still a long distance away, his father saw him coming. Filled with love and compassion, he ran to his son, embraced him, and kissed him. 22 But his father said to the servants, 'Quick! Bring the finest robe in the house and put it on him. Get a ring for his finger, and sandals for his feet. 24 for this son of mine was dead and has now returned to life. He was lost, but now he is found.' So the party began."

**Lessons from Dad**

**1. Will I \_\_\_\_\_ to dream again?**

**Verse 20** "So he returned home to his father. And while he was still a long distance away, his father saw him coming. Filled with love and compassion, he ran to his son, embraced him, and kissed him."

**2. How would he respond to his \_\_\_\_\_?**

**Verse 22** "But his father said to the servants, 'Quick! Bring the finest robe in the house and put it on him. Get a ring for his finger, and sandals for his feet.'"

**3. How would he respond to his \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_?**

**Luke 15:28, 30-31** "The older brother was angry and wouldn't go in. His father came out and begged him, 30 Yet when this son of yours comes back after squandering your money on prostitutes, you celebrate by killing the finest calf we have.' 31 "His father said to him, 'Look, dear son, you and I are very close, and everything I have is yours.'"

**\* CAREFUL: There will always be voices, sometimes well intentioned, that will say, “No, you don’t \_\_\_\_\_ to dream again!”**

**4. Character \_\_\_\_\_.**

- Willingness to let \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_.
- Willingness to \_\_\_\_\_.
- Decision to go forward with \_\_\_\_\_.

“Very few things can sabotage our God-given potential faster than a bitter spirit. Along with unmodified obedience, a sweet spirit is one of the most powerful guardians of tomorrow.”

**Personal Action Steps**

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