

In the Wrong Place

- Introduction
 - Have you ever gone to the wrong place – old address, bad memory, failed to doublecheck, lost something, your spouse moved it, etc. ...
 - Lk. 2:41-46 – Joseph & Mary looked in the wrong place for Jesus...
 - 2 Kgs. 5:3-7 – Naaman went to king of Israel instead of prophet
- Jonah
 - 1:1-3 – God sent Jonah to Ninevah, but he went opposite way
 - 2:7-3:3 – Jonah repented
- Prodigal Son
 - Lk. 15:13 – Went to far country and wasted his inheritance
 - 15:16-24 – Repented
- Saul
 - Acts 9:1-2 – Went to high priest for permission to persecute Christians Damascus
 - 9:3-9 – He “saw the light.” (Damascus was right place, but Paul was going for wrong reason.)
 - 9:9, 11, 18 – Saul repented & was baptized
- Other examples
 - Eve
 - David
 - Ahab – 1 Kgs. 22:34
 - Disciples – all forsook Him
 - Demas – 2 Tim. 4:10
- Today
 - Some Christians in the wrong place today...
 - Heb. 10:25 – Fail to assemble
 - Mt. 13:20-22 – Associating with world
 - Seeking salvation in wrong place: denomination or other “way” (Jn. 14:6)
 - Where are you?