

Just ONE.

Can I Do Anything?

**LEAVING NINETY NINE
FOR ONE**

1 At that time the disciples came to Jesus and asked, "Who, then, is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?" 2 He called a little child to him, and placed the child among them. 3 And he said: "Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. 4 Therefore, whoever takes the lowly position of this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. 5 And whoever welcomes **ONE** such child in my name welcomes me.

MATTHEW 18:1-5

12 "What do you think? If a man owns a hundred sheep, and one of them wanders away, will he not leave the ninety-nine on the hills and go to look for **THE ONE** that wandered off? 13 And if he finds it, truly I tell you, he is happier about **THAT ONE** sheep than about the ninety-nine that did not wander off. 14 In the same way your Father in heaven **IS NOT WILLING** that **ANY OF THESE LITTLE ONES** should perish.

MATTHEW 18:12-14

So he got up and went to his father." **BUT WHILE HE WAS STILL A LONG WAY OFF**, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; **HE RAN TO HIS SON**, threw his arms around him and kissed him.

LUKE 15:20

I'M COMING BACK

WHAT CAN I DO?

1. LIVE A LIFE OF LOVE

1 Follow God's example, therefore, as dearly loved children 2 and **WALK IN THE WAY OF LOVE**, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

EPHESIANS 5:1-2

Let no debt remain outstanding, except **THE CONTINUING DEBT TO LOVE ONE ANOTHER**, for whoever loves others has fulfilled the law.

ROMANS 13:8

4 Love is **patient**, love is **kind**. It does **not envy**, it does **not boast**, it is **not proud**. 5 It does **not dishonor others**, it is **not self-seeking**, it is **not easily angered**, it **keeps no record of wrongs**. 6 Love does **not delight in evil** but **rejoices with the truth**. 7 It always **protects**, always **trusts**, always **hopes**, always **perseveres**. 8 **Love never fails**

1 CORINTHIANS 13:4-8

Now that you have purified yourselves by obeying the truth so that you have sincere love for each other, **LOVE ONE ANOTHER DEEPLY, FROM THE HEART.**

1 PETER 1:22

And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love.

WHOEVER LIVES IN LOVE LIVES IN GOD, and God in them.

1 JOHN 4:16

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**2. MAKE A DISCIPLE OF
JUST ONE.**

18 And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. 19 **GO** therefore and **MAKE DISCIPLES** of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Amen.

MATTHEW 28:18-20

29 Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet **NOT ONE** of them will fall to the ground outside your Father's care. 30 And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. 31 So don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows.

MATTHEW 10:29-31

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