**The Sting in the Tale: Luke 15:1-10**

**Introduction: 1-3**

**1. Jesus’ mission is to save the lost: 4-5, 8**

**2. Jesus’ motivation is to bring joy to God: 6-7, 9-10**

**For reflection**

Hebrews 12:2 Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.