The Chief Priests

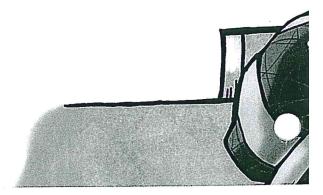
The chief priests came to Jesus in the temple.

"Who do you think you are to act this way and spend time with bad people?" they asked.

Jesus answered them with another question, confusing the priests. So Jesus told them a parable.

Jesus said, "A father said to one son, 'Go work in the vineyard.' The son said no, but later changed his mind and worked. The man told his other son the same thing. The son said he would work, but he didn't. Which of the sons obeyed?" Jesus asked.

"The first one," they replied.



Jesus said, "Yes. Think about it. The people who you think are bad are like the first son.

They've done bad things, but they've changed their ways. You're like the second son. You may say that you are good, but you don't act that way."

