



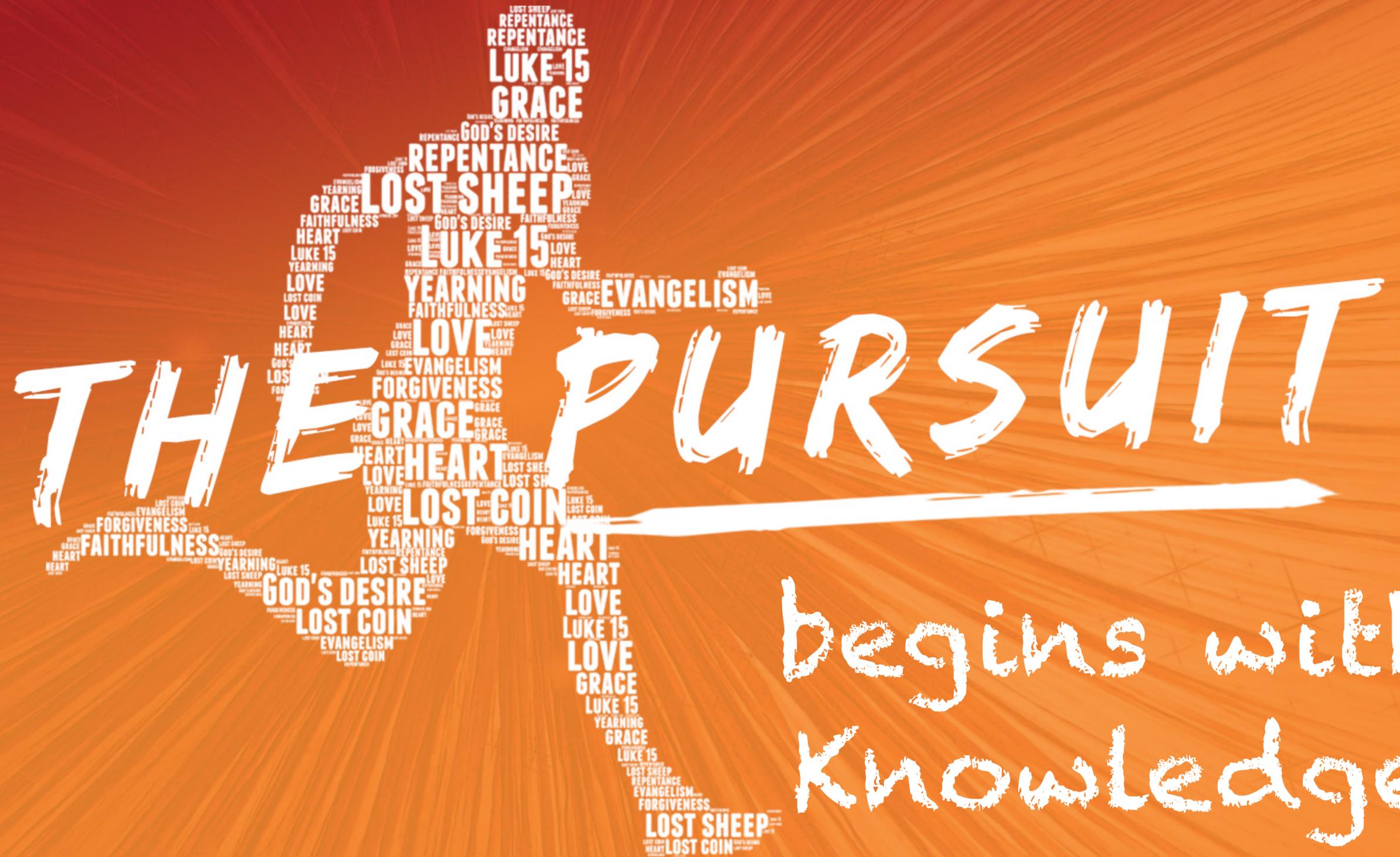
BEING LOST



The lost coin is similar to the lost sheep



- The coin was lost/the sheep was lost
- The coin was lost in the house
- The coin was sought until found, just as the lost sheep
- The coin just as the sheep, when found, brought much joy
- The coin and sheep in the closing represent a repentant sinner



THE PURSUIT

begins with
Knowledge

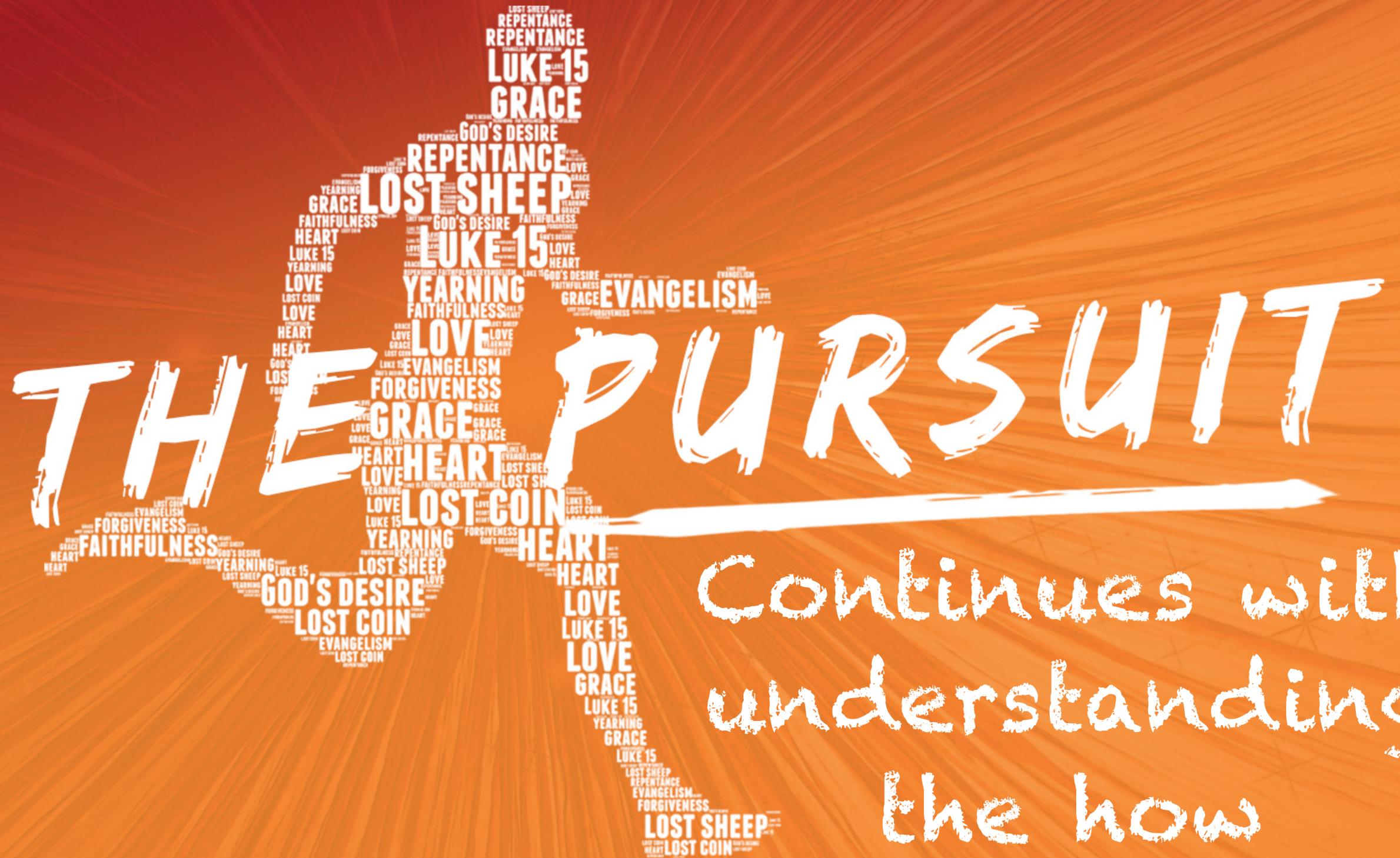


The Mother

- The coin was lost because of the Mother
- It was the mother's coin
- It was placed in the care of the mother
- There was knowledge of the value by the mother
- There was an internal urgency from the mother



The Mothers response was rooted in the knowledge, value, and genuine comprehension of the gravity of losing this particular coin.



THE PURSUIT

Continues with
understanding
the how

How did this coin get lost?



- By being ignored
- Through being set aside
- Through giving little thought to what is in the home once it is in the home
- By remaining too busy to acknowledge the coin
- Through forgetting the value of the coin

How did this coin get lost?



- No intentional plans were ever made for the coin
- Unconsciously misplacing the coin
- No attention was put into the future of the coin
- The unconsciousness of the person made this coin eventually become misplaced

Deu 6:7



Teach them (God's word) to your children, talking about them when you sit home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up



THE PURSUIT

Continues with what was covering the coin/the lost

It was not visible to the naked eye



- The coin was not aware of its lost estate
- Possibly in the coins mind there was no sensation of being lost
- Possibly in the coins mind there was no feeling of discomfort etc. . . .

It was not visible to the naked eye



- Sometimes the coin, through its own eye, can not see the state he/she is in, the state of that which, he/she is following, etc. . .



THE PURSUIT

Continues with
upheaval

Upheaval



- The woman changed the whole atmosphere once realization came upon her.....
 - A. She lit a lamp (darkness to light)

Upheaval



- She swept and cleaned the home
 - A. She removed any sin from the home
 - B. She made it a clean and whole place for the coin to find cleansing
 - C. She cleaned in a way that prevented any other coins from getting lost as well

Upheaval



- She begin immediately following the realization
 - A. The longer the coin stayed away the dirtier it would get
 - B. The longer it stayed away the more scarred it would become
 - C. The longer it stayed away the more settled it would get
 - D. The longer it stayed away the more difficult it would be to find it

Upheaval



- She
 - A. Shifted
 - B. Moved
 - C. Kneeled
 - D. Removed
 - E. Rearranged



THE PURSUIT

Ended with
celebration

She found the coin!



- Through prayers, endurance, and diligence
- She called her friends to celebrate
- What a glorious moment

What was the key to the coin being found



- “She lit the lamp”
 - A. The lamp “light” was lit and brought Christ into the entirety of the home
 - B. She had secured the lamp “Christ” in the midst of the home

What do we learn?



- She secured the light (Christ)
- She swept away all the dirt and filth (Sin)
- She prayed in all postures and at all times
- Her efforts paid off!



Is waiting on you!