

February 13

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. (Luke 11:4)

Our Father will never test us beyond that which we are able to bear. We have this assurance that He will be with us in every time of need; we are never alone if we have given our hearts to Him. It is a comfort to know the Creator of the universe cares for us and has promised to be with us always. 1 Corinthians 10:13

Color the picture



Jesus was tempted too. Read Matthew 4:1-11 NIV and answer the questions.

v1 Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil.

v2 After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry.

v3 The tempter came to him and said, "If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread."

v4 Jesus answered, "It is written: 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.'"

v5 Then the devil took him to the holy city and had him stand on the highest point of the temple.

v6 "If you are the Son of God," he said, "throw yourself down. For it is written: "'He will command his angels concerning you, and they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.'"

v7 Jesus answered him, "It is also written: 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.'"

v8 Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor.

v9 "All this I will give you," he said, "if you will bow down and worship me."

v10 Jesus said to him, "Away from me, Satan! For it is written: 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.'"

v11 Then the devil left him, and angels came and attended him.

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1. Where was Jesus?
 2. How many days did he fast?
 3. What does it mean to fast?
 4. What was the first thing Satan told Jesus to do?
 5. Did Jesus listen to Satan and what did Jesus tell him?
 6. Where did Satan take Jesus next?
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 10. What did Satan tell him to do?
 11. Did Jesus listen to Satan and what did Jesus tell him?
 12. What did Satan do finally?

Other people in the Bible were tempted or lured to situations that were not pleasing to God. Were they able to overcome these temptations? Read the scriptures about each temptation and circle if they overcame the temptation or not.

Eve was tempted to eat the forbidden fruit. Did she eat the fruit? (Genesis 3:1-6; 2 Corinthians 11:3).

Overcame the temptation

Gave in to the temptation

Isaac was tempted to lie about his wife in order to protect himself. (Genesis 26:6-10).

Overcame the temptation

Gave in to the temptation

Jacob was tempted by his mother to deceive his father (Genesis 27:1-20).

Overcame the temptation

Gave in to the temptation

Joseph was tempted to repay his brothers for all the evil they had done to him (Genesis 50:15-21).

Overcame the temptation

Gave in to the temptation

Jesus was tempted by Satan (see Matthew 4: 1-10).

Overcame the temptation

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Peter was tempted to fall asleep (Matthew 26:36-45).

Overcame the temptation

Gave in to the temptation

Peter was tempted three times to deny His Lord (Matthew 26:69-75).

Overcame the temptation

Gave in to the temptation

Peter and John were tempted to stop preaching lest they be thrown into prison, punished and even put to death (Acts 4:13-21).

Overcame the temptation

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Paul and Silas were tempted to get very discouraged and to start complaining because they were beaten and cast into a miserable dungeon (Acts 16:22-25).

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