# LESSON 5

# JESUS IS TEMPTED BY SATAN

# Worksheets

- Bible Discovery Worksheet #1: Jesus Resists Temptation
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- Life Application Worksheet, Pages 1 and 2: Putting On the Armor of God
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# Jesus Resists Temptation

Instructions: Follow the lesson and fill in the blanks.



# 1st Temptation (Matthew 4:3)

"If You are the Son of God, \_\_\_\_\_\_ that these stones become \_\_\_\_\_."

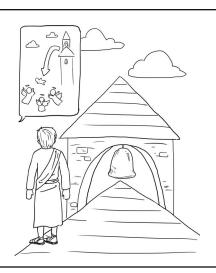
# Jesus' Response (Matthew 4:4)

"But He answered and said, 'It is written, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every \_\_\_\_\_\_ that proceeds from the mouth of \_\_\_\_\_." ' "

# 2nd Temptation (Matthew 4:5-6)

"Then the devil took Him up into the holy city, set Him on the pinnacle of the temple, and said to Him, 'If You are the Son of God, \_\_\_\_\_\_ Yourself down. For it is written: "He shall give His \_\_\_\_\_\_ charge over you," and, "In their hands they shall bear you up, Lest you dash your foot against a stone." ' "

## Jesus' Response (Matthew 4:7)



"Jesus said to him, 'It is written again, "You shall not \_\_\_\_\_\_ the Lord your \_\_\_\_\_." ' "



# **3rd Temptation (Matthew 4:9)**

"And he said to Him, 'All these things I will \_\_\_\_\_ You if You will fall down and \_\_\_\_\_ me.' "

## Jesus' Response (Matthew 4:10)

"Then Jesus said to him, 'Away with you, Satan! For it is written, "You shall \_\_\_\_\_\_ the Lord your \_\_\_\_\_, and Him only you shall serve." ' "

# What does this Bible lesson teach us?

- 1. Overcome temptations with the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of God. In order to do so, we must learn, memorize, and \_\_\_\_\_\_ the words of God.
- 2. The devil left until an \_\_\_\_\_\_ time. We must always be \_\_\_\_\_\_ and alert.

# **Facing Temptation**

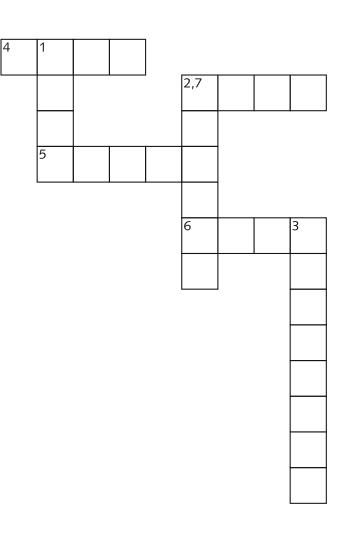
**Instructions:** Read the following descriptions to find out who in the Bible also faced temptation.

#### DOWN

- 1. "God gave my wife and me a beautiful garden home and provided us with everything we needed. We were very happy. God's only rule was that we do not eat the fruit of two special trees in the garden. Although we had seen the trees and knew where to find them, we did not eat their fruit because God told us not to. Besides, there were so many other fruit trees that God allowed us to eat from; we already had such a wonderful and tasty variety, we really didn't need anymore! Everything was wonderful as we thankfully received what God had given us. But one day, we thought we knew better than God, so we ate the fruit from one of the special trees. Later, when God gave us a chance to admit what we had done, I blamed my wife and my wife blamed the serpent. Oh, how I wish we could have done things differently!"
- 2. "I resisted the temptation of my master's wife. I refused her advances and told her, 'How can I do such a wicked thing and sin against God?' She tried to corner me, so I ran out of the house! Thank God I did not sin against Him!"
- 3. "I am married to Abraham's nephew. We used to live with Abraham, but it was getting a bit crowded, so my husband chose to move our family to the beautiful and lush plains of the Jordan. We pitched our tents near Sodom, and eventually, moved into the city. One night, two men came and said that God was going to destroy our beautiful city on account of its wickedness! I couldn't believe my ears! I mean, were these men crazy or were they serious? Not wasting a moment, the men grasped our hands and led us out of the city. They told us to keep running and not look back. As we were fleeing, I thought of all my furniture, my clothes, and my valuable possessions—all soon to be ruined! With these thoughts in mind, I looked back and became the saltiest person in the world.

#### ACROSS

- 4. "God looked more favorably upon my younger brother's sacrifice than mine. I was so jealous. My brother was always the favorite. Well, I just couldn't stand it anymore, so I attacked him and killed him when no one was watching. Later, God asked me where my younger brother was. I was afraid, so I lied."
- 5. "I grew up in Pharaoh's household and was given the best of everything: education, luxury, food and drink. But I gave all of this up so that the God could use me to lead His people out of slavery in Egypt."
- 6. "I was highly esteemed and well known among my peers, the Pharisees, because I had excellent training in the law and was a powerful speaker. After Lord Jesus chose me, I turned away from this fame and glory to suffer for His name. Before, I was the great persecutor of Christians; now, I am persecuted with them."
- 7. "My brother James and I both followed Jesus. When we accompanied our Lord to a Samaritan village, the Samaritans did not welcome us. My brother and I were outraged! How dare they treat us like that! Didn't they know that Jesus is the Savior? My brother and I lost our temper. We wanted to call down fire from heaven to destroy these unbelievers, but Jesus rebuked us."



# Putting On the Armor of God

1. God's word is powerful and true. I will diligently learn His word to overcome temptation.



 I know that there are three types of temptation.
 I will be watchful and alert since temptation can come at anytime.
 Read 1 John 2:16.

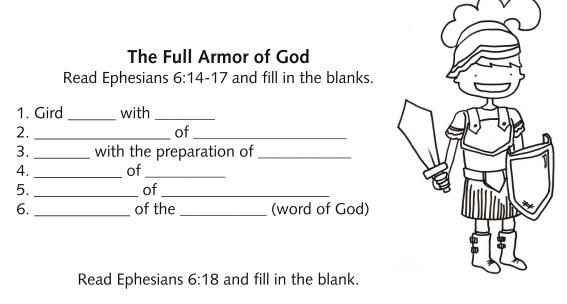
The three types of temptation are:

 1.

 2.

 3.

3. I will also pray, keep my spiritual armor in good condition, and put on the **armor of God** in order to overcome temptation.



"\_\_\_\_\_ always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end."

## Case Study #1

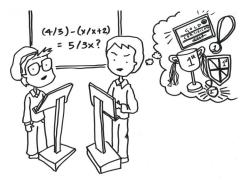
Kara and her friends liked to go to the mall on the weekends. When they were together, they liked to chat and shop for things. First, they would buy small things, like a shirt or two. But then, Kara's friends basically bought anything they wanted, no matter what the price was. Kara started feeling that she wanted to buy things, too. The more she bought, the more she wanted. She wanted to dress the way her friends did. But, on the inside, Kara started to realize that she had a strong urge to buy things that she didn't need. It seemed like she was addicted to shopping. When Kara was around her friends, it was hard to stop. They were all buying things, which made Kara want to buy things, too. Kara realized that she was always thinking about what to buy next.

# 1. What type of temptation is it?

# 2. Which piece of armor would you put on?



### Case Study #2



Bill had always been good at math. As he grew older, he began to win competitions at school and even competed on the national level. At first, Bill competed in math competitions for fun. But then, every time he won a competition, he began to feel more and more proud. He felt that he deserved to win first place every time. He began to feel better than others. The more awards Bill received, the more he wanted. Then, at one competition, another student won first place. Bill became very angry, thinking that the judges made a mistake. He made the determination to win next year's competition in order to "prove everybody wrong."

- 1. What type of temptation is it?
- 2. Which piece of armor would you put on?

## Case Study #3

Aiden loved playing video games. At first, Aiden just played a few minutes when he had some free time. Then, the minutes turned into hours and Aiden began to play every day. When Aiden wasn't playing video games, he was thinking about them. Often, he would think about the video games in school. One day after school, Aiden's friend called and asked if he wanted to come over and play video games. Aiden knew that he had to finish his homework first. His parents had set that rule a long time ago. Aiden felt a huge struggle.



# 1. What type of temptation is it?

2. Which piece of armor would you put on?

# E2 Year 1 Book 1 Lesson 5—Jesus Is Tempted by Satan Homework Assignment

Name: Parent						Paren	t signa	re: Date:
Bible Reading: Please put a checkmark in the spacewhen you complete the reading each day.Prayer: Please put a checkmark in the space on thedays you prayed to God.								What I Learned from the Bible This Week 1
	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
Read								2
Pray								

## **Memory Verse**

Please write down this week's memory verse. (2 Timothy 3:16)

Life Application Questions

1. Jesus faced all three types of temptation from Satan, and He overcame all of them with the word of God. **A: List out the temptations.** 

B: Did you face any temptations this week? If so, what were they? What types of temptations were they? How did you overcome them? (If you didn't encounter any temptations this week, name a temptation that you encountered in the past and how you overcame it.)

A. List the temptations (1 John 2:16)	B. What type of temptation	How I overcame it
a		
b		
C		

2. We learned to keep our spiritual armor in good condition, in use or out of use, in order to overcome temptation. Read Ephesians 6:14-17 and write each piece of armor down. How did you keep your spiritual armor in good condition this week? What action(s) did you take?

Armor

How?

Actions

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Since it is so important to know God's word, let's learn, memorize, and practice it. Write down Psalm 119:103-104, 1 Peter 1:25, and Romans 12:2.