

Truth and Culture

The Fall

Genesis 3

MAIN IDEAS

- The root of all sin is rejecting God's Word
- Exchanging the truth for a lie
- Adam's abdication of Godly leadership.
- The curses upon creation and the introduction of death as a result of sin
- The prophecy about the Christ

How did the serpent introduce doubt, thus implying that God might be withholding something from Eve? Genesis 3:1

How did Eve misquote God? Genesis 3:2-3

How did the serpent respond? Genesis 3:4

What responsibility did God entrust to Adam and how does Adam fail? Genesis 2:15

When confronted by God, how does Adam respond and what does this reveal about his acceptance of responsibility? Genesis 3:12

What specific curses does God pronounce on the serpent, on the woman, and on the man? Genesis 3:14-19

In what way does the concept of death enter the narrative as a consequence of Adam and Eve's disobedience? Genesis 3:22-24

How do these scriptures illustrate the fulfillment of Genesis 3:15 in the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, particularly in crushing the serpent's head and bringing about victory over sin and Satan? Hebrews 2:14-15, 1 Corinthians 15: 54-57, 1 John 3:8, Philippians 2:8-9

PERSONAL RESPONSE

Reflect on the moments of temptation in your life. When have you been likely to choose what is good in your eyes as opposed to what God deems good?

How can the lessons in Genesis 3 guide you in resisting temptation?

Reflect on the consequences of sin in both the biblical narrative and in your own life. How can understanding these consequences influence our choices?

GROUP RESPONSE

Discuss the importance of obeying God's commands in our daily lives. Are there areas where we might need to align ourselves with God's will? Pray for one another upon reflecting.

REPRODUCE

Use the resources from Genesis 3 as a starting point to share the gospel message. Emphasize the hope and redemption found in Christ's victory over sin and death.

KEY VERSES

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- Hebrews 2:14-15
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