

**THE TEMPTATION OF JESUS**

When Adam was tempted in the garden, the temptation took place when Adam had a full stomach and he was challenged to remain sinless in a sinless world.

This was very different from the temptation of Jesus. Jesus was in a wilderness, a stark wasteland, on an empty stomach (He had fasted forty days and nights), and He was challenged to remain sinless in a sin-ridden world. In Luke’s account (Luke 4:1-13) Jesus answered every temptation with “It is written.” To further intensify the temptation, Satan even quoted scripture (it was misapplied) to use in the temptation.

It is very interesting to read in verse 13 that after Jesus faced every temptation without sin the Devil when he had finished all this tempting left Jesus.

There is a lesson here for us. The Devil cannot endure scripture being used as a weapon against his devices. When Jesus quoted the Bible as His defense, the Devil was defeated. We need to use the Bible as our defensive weapon against the Devil and his temptations. This requires study on our part. This requires that we have a knowledge of what God wants us to do and how He wants us to live.

Even today, when we use scripture to overcome temptation, the Devil will depart. May we be blessed with the knowledge of the Word.

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***Welcome to our services*  SUNDAY Worship…………………………………9:30 AM Bible Class……………………………10:45 AM MONDAY Bible Study……………………………6:30PM WEDNESDAY Bible Study……………………..…..7:00 PM THURSDAY W.I.N.G.S. (Women In God’s Service) Ladies’ Bible Class…………….10:00 AM**

**Monday PM, Wednesday PM and Thursday AM classes will all meet in the West Annex for the present time**

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**Sermon:**

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