

Submit yourselves, then, to Cod.

Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

James 4:7 (NIV)

God's Word Wins

Matthew 4:1-17, Mark 1:12-13, Luke 4:1-13, 1 Corinthians 10:13, Hebrews 2:18, James 1:13-15

"God's Word says, 'We don't live on bread alone, but on every word God says.'," Jesus said.

After Jesus was baptized, the Holy Spirit led Him into the desert where He fasted (He stopped eating to focus on prayer) for 40 days. Satan showed up to take advantage and try to get Jesus to do something wrong, just like he does with everyone.



"If you're really the Son of God," said Satan. "Tell these stones to turn into bread." Jesus told Satan what God's Word says. He wouldn't obey the devil.

Then, Satan took Jesus to the tall roof of the temple.

"Hey, Jesus," Satan said. "Jump off of here! After all, the Bible says, 'Angels will protect you and keep you from getting hurt on the rocks.'."

"God's Word also says, 'Don't test God.'." Jesus replied. He knew that the whole Bible works together to teach us. He used God's Word to resist temptations again.

So, Satan took Jesus to a tall mountain and in a moment showed Him all the kingdoms of the earth and how great they were.

"Bow down and worship me," Satan said. "and all these will be Yours."

"Get away from me, Satan," said Jesus. "God's Word says, 'Only worship the Lord your God and only serve Him.'."

Satan left Jesus and looked for some better time to tempt Jesus again. What did we discover? 1) Temptations are YUMMY BREAD **SWEET CANDIES BAD IDEAS** 2) Jesus was tempted by THE HOLY SPIRIT THE DEVIL GOD 3) What did Jesus use to resist those temptations? GOD'S WORD **PRAYER FASTING** 4) I can use ___ to resist temptations that come to me. A HIDEOUT **GOD'S WORD** STRONG LOCKS What's the best way to not obey temptations? Lord, God's Word helps me **Guide me** overcome temptations. so I don't do Temptations will come, but I don't have to obey them. wrong things. www.reachworld.org | 150 | Adventures in the Bible