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Lesson No. 3 In The Beginning - Things go wrong!



*Genesis 2: 15-17
and 3: 1-13*



Genesis 3: 3



If a friend put a present on the table and told you not to open it, how long would it be before you just had to have a look inside? The very moment you open it, the surprise is spoiled. This is a picture of how sin came into the perfect world that God had made.

Sin is disobeying God's commands.

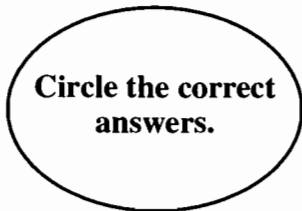
In the Bible Reading we learn that God gave Adam and Eve everything they could have wanted. However He left them with one important command. **What was it?**

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If Adam and Eve ate from the tree,
God said they would ...

If Adam and Eve ate from the tree,
the serpent said they would ...

- Be ill
- Have to leave
- Die
- Be punished



- Not die
- Be sad
- Be punished
- Be ill



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The serpent was God's enemy, Satan, in disguise.

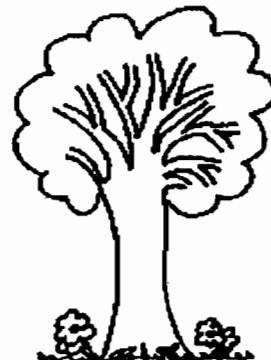
What is said about the serpent? (See Genesis 3: 1.)

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As Eve listened to the serpent, she noticed some good things about the fruit that persuaded her to taste it.

What were they?

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Answer **TRUE** or **FALSE** to the following:-

Adam was the first to take a bite from the fruit.

They realized they were naked.

They sewed fig leaves together to make coverings for themselves.

They were both very happy.

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Unscramble the letters to discover what Adam and Eve did when they heard God walking in the garden.

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God called them because they were hiding. **What did Adam say to God?**

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What was Adam's excuse?

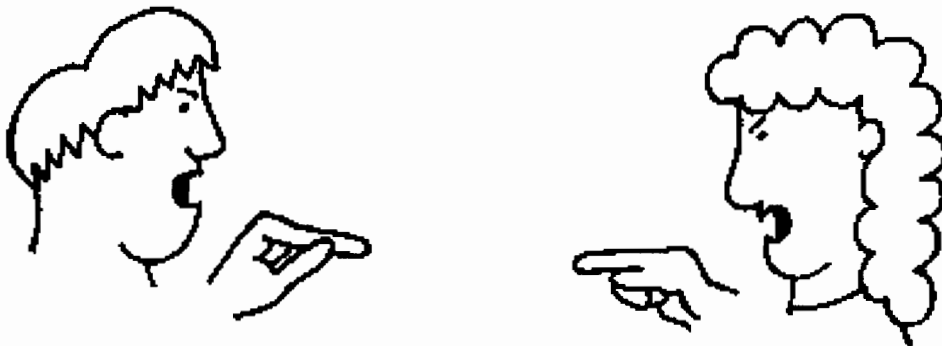
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Whom did Eve blame?

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When you do something wrong, do you sometimes make excuses to try and cover up or blame someone else? This is what Adam and Eve did.



We all sin, but we shouldn't make excuses or tell lies to cover it up. We can't hide our sin from God. He knows all about it. He wants us to be sorry and turn away from our sin so that He can forgive us!

God told Adam that because of his sin, the earth was spoiled and it would produce thorns and thistles. They had to leave that lovely garden and Adam now had to work very hard to obtain food. Because of their sin they were no longer happy in God's company, and one day they would have to die. Also, because of their sin, every human being would be born with a sinful nature. Look up Romans 5: 12 in your Bible.

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