

Lesson on Adam and Eve

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When the garden was ready, God made man and placed Adam there. The Bible says that Adam was made of the dust of the ground. Then God made for Adam a woman to be his wife. Her name was Eve.

God had told Adam and Eve that they could eat anything in the garden except the fruit of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. Satan along in the disguise of a serpent and told Eve that God wouldn't punish them as he had said. Satan tempted Eve and she ate of the forbidden fruit. Then Eve gave some to Adam. Their eyes were opened and realized they were naked so they hid themselves among the trees of the garden. They were ashamed. In the cool of the day they heard the voice of God as he walked in the garden. God called, "Where are you?"

Adam said, "I was afraid and I hid myself."

God said to him, "Have you eaten of the tree I commanded you not to eat?" Instead of saying he was sorry and asking forgiveness, Adam said, "The woman You gave me, she gave me the fruit and I ate."

Then God said to Eve, "What is this you have done?" Eve blamed Satan. "The serpent persuaded me, and I ate the fruit."

God had provided so much for Adam and Eve. He had created them in His image – He had given each of them a living soul and a mind with which to think and make decisions. Now God had to punish them. He could no longer allow them to live in the beautiful garden. From that time on Adam would have to work harder. He would have to plant, plow, weed, and harvest his food. Eve would have pain in childbirth. Adam and Eve would eventually die instead of living forever.

God placed angels with a flaming sword to keep Adam and Eve away from the garden and the tree of life. The serpent, too was punished. He was told that he must crawl and eat dust all the days of his life.

Eve became pregnant and gave birth to Cain. She said, "With the help of the LORD I have brought forth a man." Later she gave birth to his brother Abel. Now Abel kept flocks, and Cain worked the soil. In the course of time Cain brought some of the fruits of the soil as an offering to the LORD. But Abel brought fat portions from some of the firstborn of his flock. The LORD looked with favor on Abel and his offering, but on Cain and his offering he did not look with favor. So Cain was very angry, and his face was downcast.

Now Cain said to his brother Abel, "Let's go out to the field." And while they were in the field, Cain attacked his brother Abel and killed him.

The LORD said, "What have you done? Listen! Your brother's blood cries out to me from the ground. Now you are under a curse and driven from the ground, which opened its mouth to receive your brother's blood from your hand. When you work the ground, it will no longer yield its crops for you. You will be a restless wanderer on the earth."

Cain said to the LORD, "My punishment is more than I can bear. ¹⁴ Today you are driving me from the land, and I will be hidden from your presence; I will be a restless wanderer on the earth, and whoever finds me will kill me." But the LORD said to him, "Not so; anyone who kills Cain will suffer vengeance seven times over." Then the LORD put a mark on Cain so that no one who found him would kill him.

Eve gave birth to a third son and named him Seth, saying, "God has granted me another child in place of Abel, since Cain killed him."