

Message Notes:

Friday's Devotional: John 15:4-5 Remain in Me, and I in you. Just as the branch cannot bear fruit of itself but must remain in the vine, so neither can you unless you remain in Me. I am the vine, you are the branches; the one who remains in Me, and I in him bears much fruit, for apart from Me you can do nothing.

Satan Tempts Jesus:

- Turn the stone into bread.
- Jump from the temple.
- Avoid the cross. Worship Satan.

Satan's Strategies: Tempt us to

- Distrust God's love, provision, protection.
- Presume God's actions.
- Distrust God's plan.

Satan's Strategies are defeated when we:

- Commune with God.
- Obey God and His word.
- Quote scripture.
 - Study scripture.
 - Memorize scripture.

Genesis 3:1-6 Now the serpent was more crafty than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made. And he said to the woman, "Indeed, has God said, 'You shall not eat from any tree of the garden'?" The woman said to the serpent, "From the fruit of the trees of the garden we may eat; but from the fruit of the tree which is in the middle of the garden, God has said, 'You shall not eat from it or touch it, or you will die.'" The serpent said to the woman, "You surely will not die! "For God knows that in the day you eat from it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil." When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was desirable to make one wise, she took from its fruit and ate; and she gave also to her husband with her, and he ate.

Satan tempts Eve, Adam

- Starts with doubt.
 - Did God say?
- Denies the word of God.
 - You will not die!
- Appeals to pride.
 - You will be like God.