

NT 09 Jesus is Tempted

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Reference: Luke 4:1-3

Big Idea: Jesus was tempted, but he never sinned!

Verse: Hebrew 2:18, ESV - For because he himself has suffered when tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.

Plain text	Things to say. Questions are normally followed by the answer in parentheses.
<i>Italicized text</i>	Quotes from the NIV Bible to read.
► Yellow text	Something you need to do.
► Grey text	Something you need to draw on a chalk/marker board.
***	Dialogue for a story character actor (child) to repeat after you, one line at a time.

A. Lesson - Length: 25-30 min.

Resources: Story Drawing

Setup and Notes:

- As you are instructed to draw various items, use the Story Drawing Resource to guide you as you draw.
 - When you see ► **ACTION:**, do the action described and have the kids repeat it after you.
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- Last time, we read the story of John the Baptist and Jesus. What did John do to Jesus? (He baptized him.)
 - A baptism is when someone who trusts in God to save them is dipped under the water as a picture of how God washes away our sins.
 - What special things happened when Jesus was baptized? (Heaven opened, the Spirit of God rested on Jesus like a dove, God the Father spoke)
 - This is the next story after Jesus' incredible baptism. It's from the New Testament book of Luke, chapter 4.
 - ► **Show the children how to find Luke in your Bible.**
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- ¹ *Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan River. The Spirit led him into the desert.*
 - Where did Jesus go after being baptized in the Jordan River? (To the desert.)
 - Jesus went to the desert, or the wilderness after he was baptized.
 - ► **Draw a CACTUS, a TREE, and a BUSH along the bottom of the board.**
 - ► **Draw JESUS in the left-center of the board.**
 - The wilderness is a wild place. It even has the word "wild" in its name. How is the wilderness different than living in a city? (Responses below.)
 - No homes or stores
 - No people
 - Wild animals
 - Have to hunt for food and look for water
 - Jesus wasn't going on a fun camping trip in the wilderness. Let's read verse 1 again. Listen for the name of the person who *LED* Jesus into the desert or wilderness.
 - ► **Have the kids repeat:**
 - ¹ *Jesus,*
 - *full of the Holy Spirit...*
 - *returned from the Jordan River.*
 - *The Spirit led him*

- *into the desert.*
- Who led Jesus into the desert/wilderness? (The Spirit.)
- When Jesus was baptized, God the Holy Spirit came down from heaven and rested on him, just like a dove can sit on our shoulders. It was the Holy Spirit of God that led Jesus into the wilderness. Let's read why he did that.

- ² *There the devil tempted him for 40 days. Jesus ate nothing during that time. At the end of the 40 days, he was hungry.* - Luke 4:2-3
- How long was Jesus in the wilderness? (40 days.)
 - ► Write a large 40 in the top-center of the board.
- How much did Jesus eat for 40 days? (Nothing.)
 - ► Draw a FOOD ITEM by 40, then X it out.
- Jesus did not eat anything for 40 days. That's a month and a half! How do you think Jesus felt after not eating for 40 days? (Tired, hungry, etc.)
- The verse we read said one more thing: *the devil tempted him for 40 days.*
 - ► Write TEMPTATION below 40.
- Temptation is something that can make you want to sin. When you want to punch your annoying brother in the nose, that's a temptation. When see a toy in the store and you want to steal it, that's a temptation. When your mom makes cookies and tells you not to eat them, that's a temptation.
- While Jesus was in the desert for 40 days, the devil was tempting Jesus. He was trying to get Jesus to sin and disobey God. The devil is an evil angel, the enemy of God.
 - ► Draw the DEVIL in the right-center of the board.
- How many days did Jesus eat nothing? (40.)
- And the devil is trying to get Jesus to sin, huh? Maybe the devil will try to tempt him with something to eat. Let's read go and find out.

- ► Throughout this lesson, read the devil's dialogue in your snakiest voice.
- ³ *The devil said to him...*
- ► Have the kids repeat, in a serpent voice:
 - *If you are*
 - *the Son of God,*
 - *tell this stone*
 - *to become bread.*
- ⁴ *Jesus answered, "It is written, 'Man doesn't live only on bread.'" - Luke 2:3-4*
- *"He also lives on every word that comes from the mouth of God." - Matt. 4:4*
 - ► Draw a STONE, ARROW, and BREAD in the top-left corner.
- The devil tempted Jesus to turn stones into bread? That's weird! Can you and I make stones and turn them into bread? (No.)
- Jesus is God's Son. He's totally a human being, and totally God. If Jesus is God, could he turn a stone into bread? (Yes.)
- If you've not eaten for 40 days AND you could turn stones into bread, do you think you'd want to do it? (Yes.)
- The devil wanted Jesus to do an incredible miracle to make his life easier. Jesus could eat all the food he wanted if he turned stones into bread all the time! But Jesus didn't come to do silly tricks for fun. He came to save sinners. What did Jesus do to save sinners? (Die on the cross and rise from the dead.)
- Let's repeat what Jesus said to the devil.
- ► Have the kids repeat:
 - ⁴ *It is written...*
 - *Man doesn't live*
 - *only on bread.*

- *He also lives*
- *on every word...*
- *that comes from the mouth of God.' - Matt. 4:4*
- The devil told Jesus to turn stones into bread to eat. Jesus gave him an answer that began with the words, "It is written..." That's because the thing he said to the devil was a verse from the Bible!
 - ► **Hold up and point to your Bible while saying, "It is written..."**
- The Bible verse Jesus said was a verse from the book of Deuteronomy. Jesus was saying to the devil, "People don't need just bread to live; they need God's Words." Even though Jesus didn't eat anything for 40 days, he knew the silly thing the devil wanted him to do was wrong and a sin.
- Did Jesus pass the first temptation from the devil without sinning? (Yes.)
 - ► **Draw a CHECK MARK near the STONE and BREAD.**

- The devil didn't give up. He kept tempting Jesus to sin. Let's find out what the Bible says next.
- ⁵ *Then the devil led Jesus up to a high place.*
 - ► **Draw TWO STICK PEOPLE ON A MOUNTAIN in the top-right corner of the board.**
- *In an instant, he showed Jesus all the kingdoms of the world. ⁶ He said to him...*
- ► **Have the kids repeat, in a serpent voice:**
 - *I will give you all*
 - *their authority and glory.*
 - *I can give it to anyone I want to.*
 - ⁷ *So if you worship me*
 - *It will all be yours." - Luke 4"5-7*
- The devil was able to show Jesus all the kingdoms of the whole world. The devil said that he would make Jesus the king of the entire world.
 - ► **Draw a CROWN by the MOUNTAIN.**
- If you were the king of the entire world, you could do anything you wanted, any time you wanted! But the devil would only let Jesus be the king of the world if Jesus bowed down and worshipped him.
 - ► **ACTION: Bow down to the ground.**
- Would it be a sin for Jesus to bow down and worship the devil? (Yes.)
- Let's say together what Jesus said to the devil.
- ► **Have the kids repeat:**
 - ⁸ *It is written...*
 - *Worship the Lord your God.*
 - *He is the only one*
 - *you should serve. - Luke 4:8*
- What do you think Jesus meant by, "It is written"? (He was quoting a Bible verse again.)
- Jesus said more Bible verses to the devil, from Deuteronomy. Jesus said, "*Worship the Lord your God. He is the only one you should serve.*" Jesus knew it would be wrong to bow down and worship the devil. So he didn't.
- Did Jesus pass the second temptation from the devil without sinning? (Yes.)
 - ► **Draw a CHECK MARK by the mountain.**

- Let's find out what the devil did next.
- ⁹ *Then the devil led Jesus to Jerusalem. He had him stand on the highest point of the temple. He said...*
- ► **Have the kids repeat each phrase:**
 - *If you are the Son of God*
 - *throw yourself down from here.*
- The devil took Jesus to the top of a special building called the temple.
 - ► **Draw the TEMPLE and TWO PEOPLE ON TOP on the middle-right side of the board.**

- He tempted Jesus by telling him to jump off the top of the temple.
 - ► Draw an ARROW DOWN from the one of the men on top of the temple.
- A temptation is something that makes you want to sin and disobey God. But who would want to jump off a tall building and go splat onto the ground? Well, let's repeat the rest of what the devil said to Jesus.
- ► Have them echo each phrase, in a serpent voice:
 - ¹⁰ *It is written...*
 - *The Lord*
 - *will command his angels*
 - *to take good care of you.*
 - ¹¹ *They will lift you up*
 - *in their hands.*
 - *Then you won't trip*
 - *over a stone. - Luke 4:9-11*
- The devil said "it is written." What does that mean? (He was quoting a Bible verse.)
- The devil said a Bible verse to Jesus from the book of Psalms. It was about angels taking care of people and lifting us up with their hands. The devil was saying, "Jump off the temple. God won't let you go splat! He'll send angels to catch you."
 - ► Draw an ANGEL ready to catch someone who jumps by the temple.
- The devil tempted Jesus to perform a little trick. He wanted Jesus to jump off the temple for fun and wait for God's angels to catch him. Do you think God wants us to jump off of buildings for fun and hope angels catch us? (No, it isn't.)
- Let's repeat what Jesus said.
- ► Have the kids repeat:
 - ¹² *Scripture says...*
 - *'Do not put*
 - *the Lord your God*
 - *to the test.'* - Luke 4:12
- Jesus said another Bible verse to the devil. The Bible verse said, "*Do not put the Lord your God to the test.*" That means, don't do silly things and tell God what he has to do. It's a sin to jump off of buildings and order God to send angels to catch you. Jesus didn't jump because he knew it was a sin.
- Did Jesus pass the third temptation from the devil without sinning? (Yes.)

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- The devil tempted Jesus to sin three times. Each time, Jesus passed the test without sinning. Here's how the story ends.
 - ¹³ *When the devil finished all this tempting, he left Jesus until a better time. - Luke 4:13*
 - The book of Luke tells us that the devil knew he had been beaten. None of his temptations worked. After 40 days, he took off and waited for another time to try and get Jesus.
 - I want you to think about what had happened to Jesus. He was out in the wilderness. He was tempted by the devil himself... for 40 days. He didn't eat anything the entire time. I'm sure he was tired, and lonely, and hungry!
 - We read today's Bible story from the book of Luke, but other Bible books that tell this exact same story. One of them has a special detail that Luke didn't record. Listen to this from the book of Matthew.
 - ¹¹ *Then the devil left Jesus. Angels came and took care of him. - Matt. 4:11*
 - After the devil left Jesus, God the Father sent angels to take care of tired, hungry, and lonely Jesus.
 - ► Draw an ANGEL by JESUS.
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- Jesus passed the devil's three temptations in the wilderness. He didn't sin any of those times. But did he sin other times? Jesus lived for 33 years. That's a long time to go without sinning! When we have questions like this, where should we look? (The Bible.)

- I'm going to read a part of the New Testament book of Hebrews to you. In the part I read, it will talk about a high priest. When I read about the high priest, it's really talking about Jesus.
- ► **Have the kids echo the following:**
 - *We have a high priest*
 - *[Jesus]*
 - *who has been tempted*
 - *in every way,*
 - *just as we are.*
 - *But he did not sin. - Heb. 4:15*
- That verse tells us two things about Jesus. First, he was tempted to sin in every way!
 - ► Write EVERY WAY by Jesus, and connect them with an ARROW.
- Second, Jesus did not sin.
 - ► Write DID NOT SIN by Jesus, and connect them with an ARROW.
- Jesus didn't only pass the devil's temptations to sin. Jesus passed every temptation all 33 years of his life and never sinned! That's a long, long time!

- Do kids like you face temptations to sin? (Of course.)
- Everyone has to face temptations to sin. Jesus was tempted in every way! That means he was tempted just like you're tempted!
- ► **If time allows, guide the children for a minute or two in think about the ways kids are tempted. For each temptation:**
 - Describe the temptation
 - Describe what it looks like to give in to the temptation
 - Explain that when Jesus faced something similar to that, he did not sin
 - *Suggested temptations: bullies, obeying parents, annoying brothers/sisters, etc.*
- Can you see how incredible it was that Jesus was tempted in every way, but he did not sin? When I was a kid, my brother/sister would annoy me, and I'd be tempted to hit them or yell at them. Do you know what? Sometimes I did hit them or yell at them. That was a sin! But when Jesus' brothers or sisters bugged him, he never sinned by hitting them or screaming at them. Amazing!

- Here the question we need to answer.
- ► **Have them repeat:**
 - Why is it important
 - that Jesus never sinned?
- Let's remember why God's Son, Jesus, came to earth. Say this verse with me from the book of 1 Timothy.
- ► **Have the kids repeat:**
 - ¹⁵ *Christ Jesus*
 - *came into the world*
 - *to save sinners. - 1 Tim. 1:15*
- Jesus came into the world to save sinners, people like you and me, who were tempted and sinned! You see, everyone who sins deserves to be punished for our sins. It's sort of like how a judge throws a bank robber into jail. The bank robber is being punished for robbing a bank. Sinners deserve to be punished for all of their sins. That's why we need Jesus to save us from our sins!
- But Jesus couldn't save us from our sins if *he was a sinner, too*! If Jesus was a *sinner*, then he would need someone to save him from *his* sins! To save sinners from sin, Jesus had to be *sin-less*!
- It's kind of like Superman. Superman couldn't save all the people in trouble if he was just *Regular Man*! He had to be a Superman with superpowers to save so many people. In the same way, Jesus couldn't save sinners from the punishment for the sin if he was *Sinner Man*! He had to be *Sin-less Man*! And good for us, he was *sinless*!

- What does the Bible say Jesus did to pay the punishment for our sins? (He died on the cross for our sins.)
 - Did he stay dead? (He rose on the third day.)
 - Sin-less Jesus died on a cross to save sinners like you and me!
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- So, what should we remember about today's story? Maybe... if you don't eat for 40 days, you'll be hungry? Well, that's true, but I don't think it's the most important thing.
- I think the most important thing is this: Jesus was tempted, but he never sinned!
 - ► **Teach the kids the motions for the big idea.**
 - ► **Say the big idea and do the motions with the kids several times.**

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B. Instruction Activity - Length: 15 min.

Resources and Materials: *Instruction Activity Sheet (1 per kid)*, Crayons

Setup/Notes:

- When the children are instructed to fill items in the blank on their Instruction Activity Sheets (IAS), you might need to write these words on the board so the kids know how to spell them.
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- ▶ **Hand each child an age-appropriate IAS and CRAYONS/PENCILS.**
 - ▶ **Have them trace/fill in the big idea at the top:**
 - Jesus was tempted, but he never sinned.
 - Do you remember what temptation means? (Things that make you want to sin, disobey God.)
 - For a few minutes, we're going to look through God's Word, the Bible, and look at what we should remember whenever we are tempted to sin.
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- The first verse we're going to start with is Hebrews 2:18. Listen to what it teaches us about temptation.
 - ¹⁸ *[Jesus] himself suffered when he was tempted. Now [Jesus] is able to help others who are being tempted. - Heb 2:18*
 - This verse says that, since Jesus suffered when he was tempted, he can help us when we're tempted.
 - So, the first thing we should remember when we're tempted to sin is "Jesus helps us when we're tempted."
 - ▶ **Tell the kids to trace/write on their IAS:**
 - Jesus helps us when we're tempted.
 - ▶ **Have them quickly draw JESUS near this phrase.**
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- It's great news that God's Son, Jesus, helps us when we're tempted. But how does God help us when we're tempted? Listen to what God does in this verse from 1 Corinthians.
 - ¹³ *[God] will not let you be tempted any more than you can take. But when you are tempted, God will give you a way out so that you can stand up under it. - 1 Cor. 10:13*
 - Sometimes, when we're tempted to sin, we think we just can't escape. We think, "I'm stuck! I have to sin! There's no way out!" But the verse we just read tells us that's just not true! It says, "*When you are tempted, God will give you a way out!*"
 - Every time you're tempted, God gives you a way of escape, and God wants you to take it!. Maybe it's your little brother bugging you and you want to punch them in the nose. You can leave the room and ask God to help you calm down. That's a way out!
 - The second thing we should remember when we're tempted is: God always gives us a way out.
 - ▶ **Tell the kids to trace/write on their IAS:**
 - God always gives us a way out.
 - ▶ **Have them quickly draw a DOOR near "way out."**
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- So we have two bits of great news: Jesus helps us when we're tempted and God always gives us a way out. Let's say a verse together from James.
 - ▶ **Have the kids repeat each phrase after you:**
 - ⁷ *So obey God.*
 - *Stand up to the devil.*
 - *He will run away from you. - James 4:7*
 - After Jesus passed the devil's three temptations, what did the devil do? (He left Jesus.)
 - God tells us in this verse that, if we stand up to the devil's temptations, the devil will run away from you, just like

he ran away from Jesus. We don't have to be scared when we are tempted to sin because God promises the devil will run away when we stand up against him. When we say, "No, I won't sin! I won't give in to temptation!", the devil will run away!

- ▶ Tell the kids to trace/write on their IAS:
 - Stand up to the devil and he'll run away.
 - ▶ Tell the kids to quickly draw the DEVIL near this phrase.
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- We have three pieces of good news now: Jesus helps us, God gives us a way out, and the devil will run away. But what about when we sin? Everyone sins, and we do it every day! No one is like Jesus. There are times when we're tempted to sin...and we sin! What should we remember then? Let's say a verse together from the book of Timothy.
- ▶ **Have the kids repeat each phrase after you:**
 - ¹⁵ *Christ Jesus...*
 - *...came into the world...*
 - *...to save sinners.*
 - *And I am the worst sinner of all. - 1 Tim. 1:15*
- When we give in to temptation and sin, we should remember that Jesus came to save people who sin. If we never sinned, we wouldn't need Jesus to save us, would we?
- So, when we sin, we should ask God to forgive us, and remember that Jesus died and rose again to save us from all of our sins!
 - ▶ Tell the kids to trace/write on their IAS:
 - Jesus came to save sinners.
 - ▶ Have them draw a CROSS by this phrase.
 - ▶ **If time allows, read each of the phrases on the IAS and briefly re-explain them to the children.**

C. Verse Activity - Length: 15 min.

Resources and Materials: Verse Sheet (1 per kid), Verse Cards, Action Figure, Plastic Cup*, Ladder

If your children are smaller and do not have well-developed hand-eye coordination, you might want to use a bowl instead, to make the activity easier.

Verse / Motions: Hebrew 2:18, ESV - For because he himself has suffered when tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.

- He - form a cross with your forearms (because “he” is Jesus)
- Suffered - wring your hands and look like you’re in agony
- Tempted - put a sneaky look on your face and make a “come here” gesture with your hands
- Help - reach down and pretend to pull someone up from the ground.
- Being tempted - same as above

Setup:

- Write the verse on the board. Set the Verse Cards in pile up front.
- Set the ladder up near the teaching area.
- *Note: If you have a large group of children, duplicate the resources, materials, and setup. Then, run two instances of the activity below simultaneously.*

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- Today’s story talks about Jesus being tempted, and what he can do for us because he was tempted.
 - ► **Read the verse in short phrases, having the kids echo after you.**
 - In today’s story, Jesus was tempted to sin by the devil. But Jesus never sinned, not even once. Jesus can help us when we’re tempted because Jesus was tempted just like us.
 - ► **Hand each kid a VERSE SHEET. Direct them to quickly trace/write the missing words.**
 - As we learn this verse, we’ll act out what the devil wanted Jesus to do. He wanted Jesus to jump from the temple to test and see if angels would catch him from going splat. We don’t have a temple, but we have a ladder. One of you will climb up on the temple and drop an action figure. Another one of you will hold a cup on the floor and see if you can catch the action figure before it goes splat.

How to Do the Activity - Repeat the following with different children, as time allows...

1. Have a child select a VERSE CARD from the pile.
2. Read the VERSE CARD to the kids. Teach the motions for those words. Erase those words from the board.
 - a. *Give them something they can quickly draw to represent those words on their sheets. They can draw on their sheets while the children up front are doing the next steps in the activity.*
3. Have that child take the ACTION FIGURE and climb to the top of the LADDER.
4. Have another child hold the PLASTIC CUP on the floor at the bottom of the ladder.
5. Have the child on the ladder drop the ACTION FIGURE from as high up as possible.
6. Have the other child slide their CUP to try to catch the ACTION FIGURE in it. They must keep their cup on the ground.
7. Say the verse as a group, doing any motions you’ve taught them so far.
 - a. *The first 3-4 times through, say the verse in short phrases and have them echo each after you.*

Optional: fill the cup about ½ full of water to make a splash if the figure lands in the cup.

D. Review Activity - Length: 15 min.

Resources and Materials: *Country List*, Playing Cards, Globe/Map of World, Poster Putty, Paper Strips (about 1 in L x ¼ in H)

Setup:

- You'll need one playing card per child. These cards should only be number cards, except for two King cards
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- In today's story, the devil showed Jesus all the kingdoms of the world. The devil told Jesus he'd made Jesus king in charge of all the other kings and kingdoms of the world if he'd bow down to him. Of course, that would be wrong and Jesus didn't do it.
 - As we answer questions about our story, we're going to pretend to make some of you kings and queens of some of the different countries of the world. We'll pass out playing cards and, whoever gets a King card, we'll crown them king or queen of a country. Then, we'll put your name down on the country you are in charge of.
 - **Give each child a PAPER STRIP and have them write their name on it in small writing.**

How to Do the Activity - Repeat the following with different children, as time allows...

1. Shuffle the PLAYING CARDS. Hand one out face-down to every child. Tell them to look at it yet.
2. Ask and have a child answer a question from below.*
 - a. *You may wish to repeat the question, then have everyone say the answer together.*
3. Have the kids turn over their card to reveal who has a KING CARD.
 - a. *If a child with a KING CARD already has been "crowned" before, have them select another child to be King or Queen, one who hasn't been "crowned" yet.*
4. Have those kids select a number between 1 and 204.
5. Using the COUNTRY LIST resource, find the country that corresponds to the number they selected.
6. Help the child attach that child's PAPER STRIP to their chosen country on the MAP/GLOBE using POSTER PUTTY.

**As you repeat this activity, have the children most recently crowned king point to a child and "demand" they answer a question, like they're a bossy king or queen.*

Questions // Answers

1. Where was Jesus in today's story? // The desert/wilderness.
2. What did Jesus not do for 40 days? // Eat.
3. Who came to tempt Jesus? // The devil.
4. How many times did the devil tempt Jesus? // Three
5. What did the devil tell Jesus to do to the stones? // Turn them to bread.
6. The devil said he'd make Jesus king of the world, if he would...? // Bow down and worship the devil
7. What did the devil tell Jesus to do at the temple? // Jump off the top, see if God would send angels to catch
8. When Jesus said, "It is written...", what did that mean? // He was saying something from the Bible.
9. Did Jesus ever give into any temptation? // No
10. What are the things we should remember when we're tempted? // Jesus will help us, God gives a way out, The Devil will run away if we stand up to him, Jesus died to pay for our sins

Parent Email Information

To help your students' parents reinforce the lesson, you may wish to email the following information

NT 09 Jesus is Tempted

Reference: Luke 4:1-13

Story Summary:

After Jesus was baptized, God's Holy Spirit led Jesus into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. After Jesus fasted for 40 days, the devil arrived to tempt him.

The devil told Jesus to take some stones and turn them into bread to eat. But Jesus didn't give in. He said, "God's Word tells us that people don't live on bread alone, but on God's Word."

The devil then showed Jesus all the kingdoms of the world. He told Jesus he'd place him in charge of all of them, as long as Jesus would bow down and worship him. But Jesus said, "God's Word tells us to only worship the Lord God." Jesus didn't give into the devil's temptation.

Then the devil took Jesus to the top of the temple. He told Jesus to jump off of it. The devil even twisted a Bible verse to make it sound like God wanted Jesus to jump off of buildings so angels could catch him. But Jesus didn't give in. He said, "God's Word tells us to not put God to test."

After tempting Jesus the devil left him. God then sent angels to take care of Jesus.

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Questions to Ask Throughout the Week

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