

Lesson 2 Jesus Is Tempted In The Wilderness

Straight after his _____, Jesus went into the _____ for a quiet time, praying and fasting for _____ days. At the end of that time, he was very _____. The tempter came to him then to test him and wanted Jesus to prove that he was the _____ of God, by tempting him to use God's _____ wrongly.

Firstly, Jesus was told to _____ the stones into _____.if he was the Son of _____. Jesus would _____ use God's _____ that way, and answered that "Man shall not _____ by _____ alone, but by every _____ that proceedeth out of the _____ of God!" This was right out of Deuteronomy!

Secondly, when Jesus was told to _____ himself down from the highest part of the _____, so the angels could _____ him, he knew that was wrong and said, "Thou shalt _____ tempt the _____ thy God."

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WORD LIST

Baptism	Live	Save	Word
Bread (x2)	Lord	Son	Wilderness
Forty	Mouth	Temple	
God	Not (x2)	Throw	
Hungry	Power (x2)	Turn	

Thirdly Jesus was _____ to use his new _____ to overthrow all the _____ of the world, then to fall down and _____ the man who offered all of that! Jesus knew he would one day _____ over the world, but not yet – there was _____ to do first! He said to this enemy: "Get thee hence, _____, for it is _____, Thou shalt _____ the Lord thy _____, and him _____ shalt thou serve." Jesus knew and loved God's _____. All his answers came from it, from the book of _____. This tempter was called 'the devil' and 'satan' to show us what he was like. 'Devil' means a _____ accuser, speaking falsely. 'Satan' is a Hebrew _____ which means an _____ or opponent. Jesus was tempted in the same _____ ways we all are tempted as outline in 1 John 2:16:

1. Lust of the _____.
2. Lust of the _____.
3. The _____ of life.

He overcame all these temptations because his _____ was filled with God's word. God's _____ will also help us not to _____.

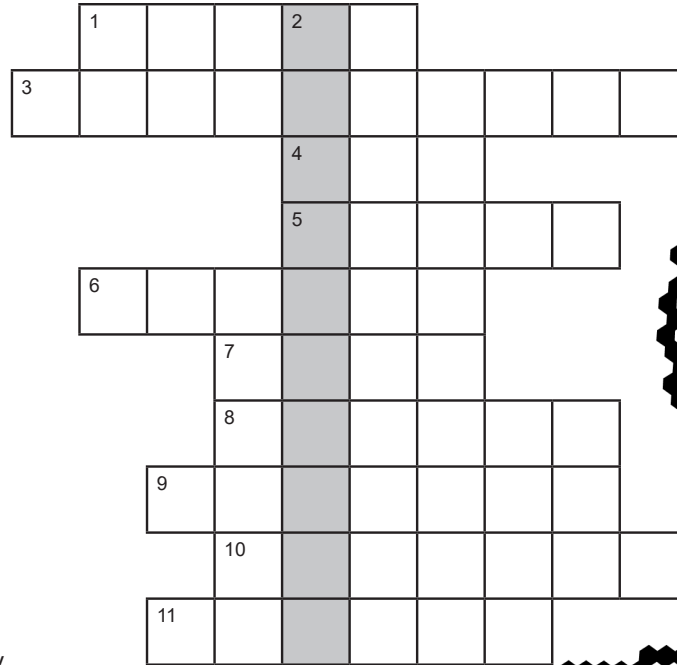
WORD LIST

Adversary	Kingdoms	Satan	Worship (x2)
Deuteronomy	Mind	Sin	Written
Eyes	Only	Tempted	
False	Power	Three	
Flesh	Pride	Word (x3)	
God	Rule	Work	

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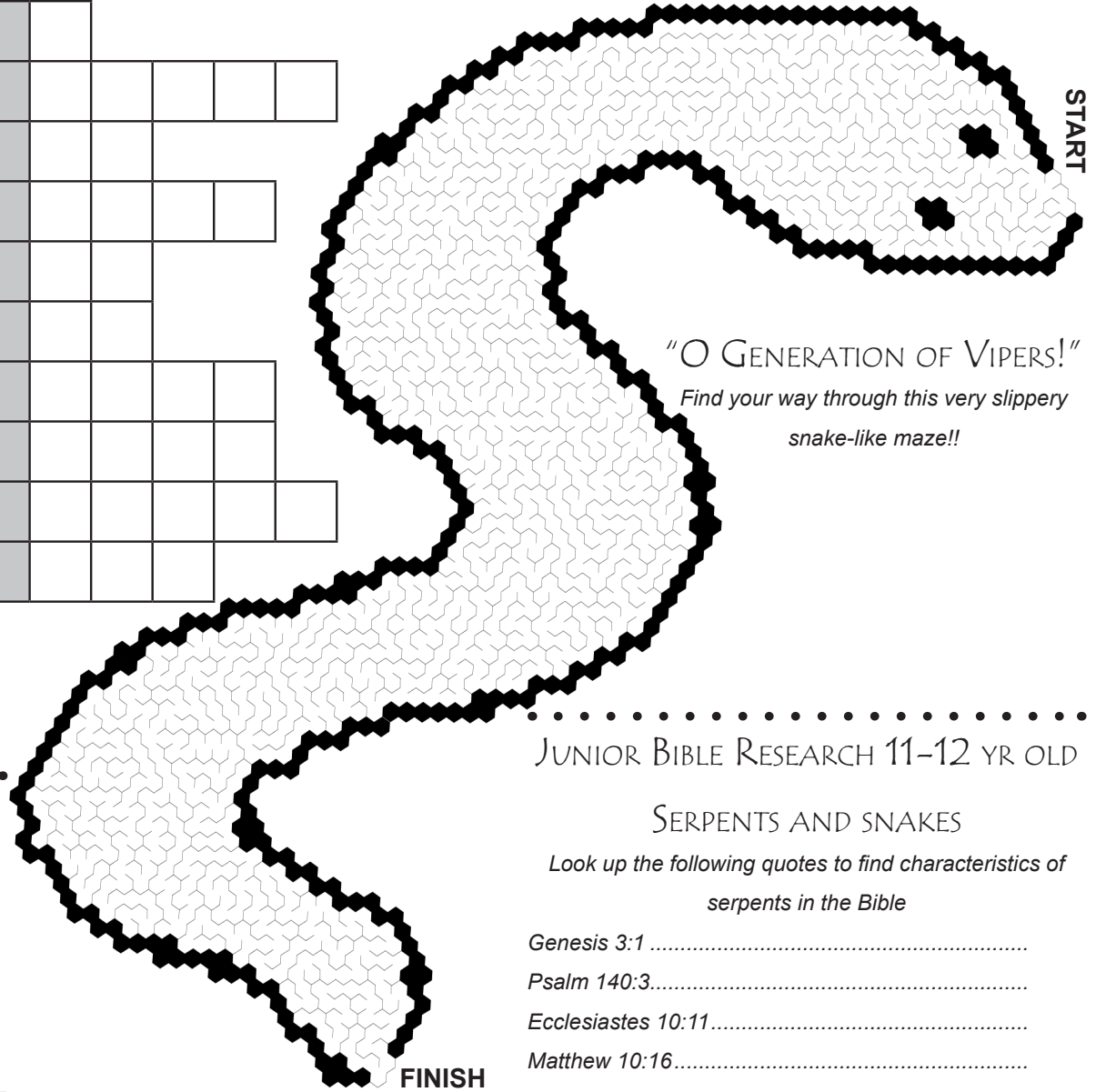
Across

1. Jesus was in the wilderness _____ days
3. Jesus went here after his baptism
4. "_____ shall not live by bread alone" (Matt 4:4)
5. Jesus refused to use God's _____ wrongly
6. Jesus _____ for 40 days
7. The tempter said "_____ thyself down" (Matt 4:6)
8. He refused to turn these into bread
9. 3 times in Matthew 4 Jesus answered "It is _____"
10. "Thou shalt _____ the Lord thy God" (Matt 4:10)
11. After 40 days, Jesus was "_____"



Down

2. Jesus overcame _____ by knowing and understanding the Word of God



*"O GENERATION OF VIPERS!"
Find your way through this very slippery snake-like maze!!*

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When Jesus Christ was tempted in the wilderness it was the same pattern of temptation for all mankind. He overcame by answering from the Word of God. Colour in the "it is written" in the following passages: Matthew 4:4,6,7,10.

Colour in the passage in Matthew 4 that Jesus quotes from in Deut 6 & 8.

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SERPENTS AND SNAKES

Look up the following quotes to find characteristics of serpents in the Bible

Genesis 3:1

Psalms 140:3.....

Ecclesiastes 10:11.....

Matthew 10:16.....

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This exercise will have lasting benefit if you spend the time to mark in the following key verses and meanings into your Bible or on an insert.

SATAN

1. 'SATAN' is an untranslated Hebrew word and literally means "adversary, opponent, enemy". The term "satan" occurs 55 times in the Bible—19 times in the Old Testament and 36 times in the New Testament.

In the O.T. the word has actually been correctly translated 16 times as "adversary" etc. This inconsistency and bias has concealed the TRUTH and deceived many people.

In the book of 'Job' the word 'satan' appears in that form 14 times. Thus in the Old Testament, excluding 'Job', it only occurs 5 times as 'satan' and 16 times it is translated by other words.

2. THE TERM "SATAN" IS USED IN A BAD SENSE AND GOOD SENSE

1. **BAD SENSE**—when the will of God is opposed.

a) **Subjectively**—the evil thoughts of man Lk. 22:3; Acts 5:3

b) **Individuals** — who oppose. Mat. 16:23; Job 1:6; 1 Kgs. 11:14, 23, 25.

c) **In Aggregate**—in political and religious institutions and the world in general. 1 Thess. 2:18; Rev. 2:13; 20:2, 7; Zech. 3:1-2.

2. **GOOD SENSE**—it is used of God, the angel of the LORD, and good men, in their opposition to evil. 1 Chron. 21:1; Num. 22:22, 32; 1 Sam. 29:4.

SECTION 2 — 1(a)
LUKE 22.

³ Then entered ⁴ Satan. ¹ = Greed which stemmed into Judas surnamed Iscariot, from his lusts and motivated being of the number of the twelve. him to betray Jesus; cp v.4, 5; Matt. 26:14 — "What will ye give me". See also Jn. 13:2; Acts 5:3

ACTS 5.

³ But Peter said, Ananias, why hath ⁴ Satan filled thine heart ⁵ to lie to ⁶ the Holy Ghost, and to keep back ⁷ part of the price of the land? ¹ Cp. v.4, "why has thou conceived this in thine heart?" He pretended to give all, but held back part. Pride and greed were the cause. Thus Satan here refers to the evil thinking of flesh which is opposed to God. See also Lk. 22:3.

Acts 10:38 DISEASE—Sin is the root cause of disease. Hence those whom Jesus cured he saved from Sin's oppression. He forgave sin and healed disease. 'Diabolos' is put by metonymy for what it produces, viz., disease (Matt. 9:1-5; 10:8).

Acts 13:10 The Serpent,

Eph. 4:27 SINFUL LUSTS.

Eph. 6:11 POLITICAL AND RELIGIOUS opponents of The Truth (see v.12).

1 Tim. 3:6, 7 Civil authorities opposed to the TRUTH, into whose condemnation a rash elder could fall. Rather an elder should be of good repute.

1 Tim. 3:11 WIVES. Correctly translated "slanderers". See Section 4.

2 Tim. 2:26 FALSE religion which ensnares (cp. 3:4-9; Eph. 6:11-12).

2 Tim. 3:3 Evil men of the last days. Correctly translated "false accusers"

Titus 2:3 Aged women. Correctly translated "false accusers"

Heb. 2:14 Sinful flesh

Jas. 4:7 Sinful lusts

1 Pet. 5:8 Religious and political opponents of the Truth

1 Jn. 3:8, 8, 8, 10 The Serpent, the father of sinners

Jude 9 Those opposed to the rebuilding the Temple (Ezra 4:1; 5:1-5; Zech. 3:1-2, "Body of Moses" = Israel).

Rev. 2:10 Political and religious opposition

Rev. 12:9, 12 Paganism deposed by Constantine in A.D. 324

Rev. 20:2, 10 Sin in Political and Religious manifestation—the nations which will be destroyed at Christ's return

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Find all the words from 1 John 2:16 and then write out the verse below.

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DEVLIL & SATAN

Fit the following words into the puzzle grid - this is a good way to remember the meaning of these Bible words.

Devils	Temptation
Testing	Diseases
Satan	Stumblingblock