

# A DAY WITH THE KING

This week we will study about Adam and Eve, and what they did in the Garden of Eden. There was also something else that happened in the garden, that changed our world forever.



## Torchlight

*"In this garden were trees of every variety, many of them laden with fragrant and delicious fruit. There were lovely vines, growing upright yet presenting a most graceful appearance, with their branches drooping under their load of tempting fruit of the richest and most varied hues. It was the work of Adam and Eve to train the branches of the vine to form bowers, thus making for themselves a dwelling from living trees covered with foliage and fruit. There were fragrant flowers of every hue in rich profusion". – Patriarchs & Prophets p. 47*

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## ADAM & EVE & THE FALL

DAILY DEVOTIONAL 2



# SUNDAY

**LET'S PRAY** Dear God, thank You for providing us with the plants that grow food for us. Thank You for the sunshine and the rain. We thank You for the beauty of nature. Help me to understand Your Word. In Jesus' name, Amen.

## MEMORY VERSE - GENESIS 2:16-17

*“And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, ‘Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die’ ”.*

THERE'S **POWER** IN THE WORD!

LET'S READ:

**GENESIS 2:8-15**



## LET'S THINK ABOUT THIS

Adam and Eve's job in the garden was to look after it. The Garden of Eden was amazing. It was so beautiful our minds cannot even grasp how magnificent it was. Adam and Eve were so happy in their home. Everything was perfect; there was no sin, pain, crying or sadness. Adam and Eve could also talk to God Himself face to face. Angels also came and spoke to them. The animals in the garden didn't eat or hurt each other or hurt Adam and Eve. It was a beautiful and safe place to be.

Imagine spending your days in a magnificent garden day in and day out, eating the yummiest fruit and seeing and smelling the most beautiful flowers. Imagine using vines and branches to make cubby houses where you could play and sleep. Wow! It sounds almost too good to be true. Read Isaiah 65:17-25 and Revelation 21:1-7 to see what God has planned for us in the future.



## FILL IN THE MISSING SPACES - GENESIS 2:15

“Then the ..... God took the ..... and put him in the ..... of Eden to ..... and keep it”.

WHAT DID YOU LEARN TODAY WITH THE KING?

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# MONDAY

**LET'S PRAY** Dear Lord, Thank You for my good night's rest. Thank You for my comfortable bed. Please help me to be Your obedient child. In Jesus' name, Amen.

## MEMORY VERSE - GENESIS 2:16-17

*“And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, ‘Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die’ ”.*

THERE'S **POWER** IN THE WORD!

LET'S READ:

**GENESIS 2:16-17**



## LET'S THINK ABOUT THIS

At this time, God gave them fruit, nuts and seeds to eat. There were lots of fruit trees in the garden from which they could eat. But there were two special trees in the Garden of Eden. One was the tree of life, and the other, the tree of knowledge of good and evil. The fruit on the tree of life allowed them to live forever but God told them not to eat from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. He was testing Adam and Eve's obedience, faith and love for Him.

God warned Adam and Eve that if they ate of the fruit of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil they would die. God wanted Adam and Eve to be content with the instruction He had given them but He also gave Adam and Eve freedom of choice. There are certain rules our Mums and Dads give us to protect us from harm. They want us to be content with their wisdom. Can you think of some rules your Mum and Dad give you? e.g bike safety rules, crossing the road or where it is safe to swim.



## FILL IN THE MISSING SPACES - GENESIS 2:17

“But of the..... of the ..... of good and evil you shall ..... eat, for in the day that you ..... of it you shall surely die”.

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# TUESDAY

**LET'S PRAY** Dear God, please protect me from Satan's traps and lies. Help me not to listen to him. Help me to listen to You, God, and to read and study Your Word. I want to walk more closely with You. In Jesus' name, Amen.

## MEMORY VERSE - GENESIS 2:16-17

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THERE'S **POWER** IN THE WORD!

LET'S READ:

**GENESIS 3:1-6**



## LET'S THINK ABOUT THIS

Adam and Eve knew that they were not to eat from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. When Eve realised she had wandered away from Adam she should have walked back and found Adam but she thought she was wise enough not to get tricked.

Now Satan disguised himself as a serpent. His beautiful colour was like burnished gold and he hid in the tree of knowledge of good and evil. The serpent spoke to Eve. Fascinated and mesmerised, she listened. Satan had set his trap, and accused God of lying to Adam and Eve. We know God does not lie but Satan is the liar.



The result was Eve listened to the serpent and ate the fruit and took some to Adam and he ate also. Adam and Eve had the angels to teach and warn them. Today we may not be privileged to have the angels come and talk with us but we have the Bible. The Bible teaches us the truth and warns about the enemy, Satan, and how to be careful about not being tricked by him.

## FILL IN THE MISSING SPACES - GENESIS 3:6

“So when the ..... saw that the tree was ..... for food, that it was ..... to the eyes, and a tree ..... to make one wise, she took of its ..... and ate. She also gave to her ..... with her and he ate”.

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# WEDNESDAY

**LET'S PRAY** Dear Father, thank You for a good night's rest. Thank You for my family. Thank You for my safe keeping. Please let Your light shine through me today. Help me to understand what I read from Your Word. In Jesus' name, Amen.

## MEMORY VERSE - GENESIS 2:16-17

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THERE'S **POWER** IN THE WORD!

LET'S READ:

**GENESIS 3:7-11**



## LET'S THINK ABOUT THIS

Adam and Eve lost their robes of light which only stayed with them if they were obedient. Because they ate the fruit from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, they disobeyed God's command. So now they were truly naked. Today's Bible text tells us they sewed fig leaves together to cover themselves and then they hid from God in the garden. God came to the garden looking for them, but we can't hide from God because He knows everything. Before Adam and Eve sinned they could talk to God face to face



but sin had now caused a barrier between themselves and God.

It must have broken God's heart that He could no longer openly commune with Adam and Eve. God longs to have us communicate with Him through prayer. Have you spoken to Him today about your everyday things? He can become your closest friend if you only talk to Him.

## FILL IN THE MISSING SPACES - GENESIS 3:7

Then the eyes of both of ..... were opened, and they knew that they were .....; and they ..... fig leaves ..... and made themselves coverings”.

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# THURSDAY

**LET'S PRAY** Father, I thank You and praise Your name for what You do for me each day. Thank You for the hope I have that You will come again and take us home. I love You Lord. In Jesus' name, Amen.

## MEMORY VERSE - GENESIS 2:16-17

*“And the Lord God commanded the man, saying, ‘Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat; but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall surely die’ ”.*

THERE'S **POWER** IN THE WORD!

LET'S READ:

**GENESIS 3:12-15**



## LET'S THINK ABOUT THIS

When God found Adam and Eve he asked them what happened. Adam blamed Eve and then Eve blamed the serpent or Satan. God placed a curse on the serpent. The serpent was no longer allowed to fly but had to slither on the ground. Verse 15 tells us that “He shall bruise your head and you shall bruise His heel”. This tells us the good news that Jesus, God's Son, will save us from Satan's grip and that He will defeat Satan and destroy him so we can be saved. This gave Adam and Eve great hope, which shows we have a loving and merciful God.

How often do we blame others for our mistakes? We are all guilty of that! We need to take ownership of our sins and admit our failings and instead of blaming each other we need to go straight to God and ask for His forgiveness.



## FILL IN THE MISSING SPACES - GENESIS 3:12

“Then the ..... said, the ..... whom you gave to be with ..... she gave me of the ..... and I ate”.

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# FRIDAY

**LET'S PRAY** Dear Father, please forgive me for my sins. Thank You for sending Your Son, Jesus, to die for me so I can have eternal life with You. Thank You for loving me so much. In Jesus' name, Amen.

## MEMORY VERSE - GENESIS 2:16-17

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THERE'S **POWER** IN THE WORD!

LET'S READ:

**GENESIS 3:16-19**



## LET'S THINK ABOUT THIS

There were serious consequences that happened because of Adam and Eve's sin. Eve would have much pain and sorrow in her life and Adam would have to work very hard in the field to grow their own food. There would now be weeds and thorns to deal with.

God gave Adam and Eve permission to now eat the herbs of the field e.g. vegetables. But even though Adam and Eve did wrong, God still loved them and was going to send Jesus to pay the price for their sin. What an amazing God we serve!



As you welcome in the Sabbath praise God for sending His Son Jesus to die for your sins.

## FILL IN THE MISSING SPACES - GENESIS 3:18

“Both ..... and ..... it shall bring forth for you, and you ..... eat the ..... of the field”.

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# SABBATH

**LET'S PRAY** Dear Lord, thank You so much for the Sabbath Day. Help me to be obedient and faithful and keep Your day holy. Help me to rest from my normal work and play and get to know You better. I love You Lord. In Jesus' name, Amen.

## MEMORY VERSE - GENESIS 2:16-17

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LET'S READ:

**GENESIS 3:20-24**



## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Adam and Eve had to leave the beautiful Garden of Eden and go and live outside their garden home because of their sin. God could not let them have access to the tree of life anymore. Adam and Eve were really sad and very sorry for their sin.

In God's love and mercy he made them clothes from animal skins to protect them from the heat and cold. If we choose to be obedient, and to love and follow Jesus, we will be restored back to the garden and into God's presence, when He comes to take us home—just like Adam and Eve—seeing God face to face.

We will live forever just as God had intended for Adam and Eve, and mankind will eat from the tree of life once more. God loves you very much and He wants you back home with Him!



## SABBATH QUIZ

1. There were two special trees that God planted in the Garden of Eden. What were their names? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What was the name of the tree that Adam and Eve were not to eat the fruit from? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What did Satan disguise himself as when he came into the Garden of Eden? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Which leaves did Adam and Eve use to cover themselves with? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What did God place to guard the entrance to the tree of life? \_\_\_\_\_