

GENESIS - Part XI
Reference: **Genesis 3:1-6**
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This particular section starting at **Genesis chapter three** and **verse one** is most often called the *fall of mankind*, meaning that these verses describe how the first humans fell from a state of absolute _____ to _____

verse one, “Now the serpent (Satan) was more cunning (i.e. deceitful) than any beast of the field which the LORD God had made.”

Reference: **Revelation 12:9a** and **part b; 20:10** and **II Corinthians 11:3** (see screen)

verse two, “And the woman said to the serpent, ‘We may eat the fruit of the trees of the garden.’”
verse three, “‘but of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God has said, ‘You shall not eat it, nor shall you touch it, lest you die.’”

Eve misinterpreted what God said and did three erroneous things in responding to Satan.

- she _____ something God said
read **verse two** and compare to **chapter two verse sixteen**

- she _____ something to what God said
read **verse two** and compare to **chapter two verse seventeen**

- she _____ what God said
read **chapter two verse seventeen** and compare to **verse three**

verse four, “Then the serpent said to the woman, ‘You will not surely die.’”

Reference: **John 8:44** (see screen)

verse five, “For God knows that in the day you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and **you will be like God**, knowing good and evil.”
verse six, “So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree desirable to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate...”

There were three components to Satan’s temptation:

- a _____ component “...the woman saw that the tree was good for food”

- an _____ component “...it was pleasant to the eyes”

- an _____ component “...a tree desirable to make one wise”

verse six continued, “She also gave to her husband with her, and he ate.”

Reference: **I Timothy 2:14**, “And Adam was not deceived, but the woman being deceived, fell into transgression.”

There are three different ramifications to that first sin.

ONE is _____ sin, also called *original sin*. The term “impute or imputation” means “to ascribe to; to _____ to someone’s account.”

Definition: imputed sin is Adam’s original sin _____
_____ to our spiritual account

Reference: **Romans 5:12-21**

SECOND is _____ sin. This is called the sin principle or the sin nature.

The word sin is used in Scripture in both singular and plural forms: the term sins (plural) can sometimes describe individual sinful actions and sin (singular) can sometimes mean the sin principle or sin nature.

Definition: principled sin is the urge inside someone that causes him to have a _____ to commit sin

THIRD is _____ sin

Definition: personal sins are individual _____ of sin that someone commits.

Personal sin can be categorized into two classifications:

- sins of _____, i.e. doing something God said that we shouldn’t do
Reference: **Galatians 5:19** through **21**

- sins of _____, i.e. not doing something God said that we should do
Reference: **James 4:17** (see screen)