

# Jesus—#12 “The Temptation” (2-10-10)

Texts: Matthew 4:1-11

*Desire of Ages*, p. 114-123

In this study, what new, or renewed insight have you found about Jesus?

1. How was Christ to disprove Satan’s claim of dominion over the world? (114-115)

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2. What does the author mean when she states that now “the connection between God and man had been restored”? (116.2)

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3. Why was Christ “made the mark of every weapon of Hell”? (116.3)

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4. What does the author mean that Christ took upon Himself “the infirmities of degenerate humanity”? (117.1)

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5. According to the author Satan appears as “an angel of light” coming from God. What betrayed his real character? (118.3)

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6. Why was Satan trying to get Jesus to doubt God’s word? (119.1)

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7. Why couldn’t Christ use divine power for His own benefit? (119.3)

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8. In the midst of trials and temptations, what is the only thing in this world we can rely upon? (121.2)

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9. What does the author mean when she states, “our only hope of eternal life is through bringing the appetites and passions into subjection to the will of God”? (122.2)

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10. How can we resist “the clamors of our fallen nature”? (122-123)

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11. Why shouldn’t we be “intimidated and discouraged by the assaults of the serpent”? (123.0)

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12. According to the author, which way did Jesus overcome Satan? (123.1-4)

- a. Jesus rested in His Father.
- b. Jesus had the indwelling Holy Spirit.
- c. Jesus relied on the word of God.

13. How only can sin have “no more dominion over us”? (123.3)

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