



Greatest Chapters in the Bible

Luke 4

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LESSONS IN LUKE 4:

- How to be led by the Holy Spirit.
- How to overcome temptation.
- The purpose of the anointing upon your life.
- How to minister to people.

THE BIBLE TEACHES US:

- Jesus was Emanuel, which means *God with us*.
- Jesus was God in a human body.
- Jesus was the Son of God and the Son of Man.
- Jesus became man in order to identify with us and pay the debt for our sins.
- Jesus was tempted in every way and was without sin. *Hebrews 4:15*
- Jesus did not come to fight a physical fight, but to fight a spiritual fight.

THINGS TO KEEP IN MIND:

- What can I learn about Jesus?
- How can I learn from Him?
- How can I imitate Him?

LUKE 4:1-15:

The Preparation and Temptation of Jesus

1. Every purpose and calling requires preparation.

- Usually the preparation requires silent seasons alone with God.
- In the silent seasons we are growing, learning, and preparing for the next season.
- In the silent seasons we must CHOOSE to trust and obey God, forgive wrongdoing, remain faithful, and allow God to grow and mature you.

2. We must stay full of the Spirit and be led by the Spirit.

- Be influenced and controlled by the Spirit – not by your fleshly desires.
- Stay full of the Word of God and feed your spirit everyday!
- Follow the leading of the Holy Spirit in your personal life.
- Don't quench or grieve the Holy Spirit.

3. Some battles you have to fight alone.

- We operate in a spiritual dimension of faith and God's supernatural power.
- You have to learn to use the Word of God in hand-to-hand combat with the lies of the enemy.
- You have to use the Name of Jesus with confidence, knowing that God is with you – and that He will back you up!
- You are empowered by the Holy Spirit!



4. Sometimes our worst struggles are in God's perfect will.

- You have to realize that just because you face opposition and trouble, it doesn't mean you are out of the will of God.
- Don't doubt God or yourself.

5. Satan is the tempter.

- Be aware of the schemes of the tempter!
- The tempter will come at times of vulnerability.
- Satan will always hit you where it hurts, when you're down. (provision)
- Satan never gives you the whole picture and will subtly entice you to do wrong. (power)
- Satan knows the Bible and will use it against you. (pride)

WHAT WE CAN LEARN FROM THE TEMPTATION OF JESUS:

- 1. No one is exempt from temptation.**
- 2. Respond to temptation with God's Word.**
- 3. Resist the devil in the power of the Holy Spirit.**
- 4. Satan's plan is always to divert you from God's purpose and best for your life.**

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