

# HOW TO CONQUER TEMPTATION

A man is shown in profile, sitting at a desk and looking at a computer monitor. His hands are cuffed to the edge of the monitor with heavy metal chains. The scene is lit with a cool blue light, creating a somber and contemplative atmosphere. The man's expression is one of intense focus or perhaps inner conflict.

Luke 4:1-15 / 1 John 2:16 / 1 Timothy 6:10

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## 1 John 2:16

**16 For all that *is* in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world. (KJV)**

**16 Everything that belongs to the world—what the sinful self desires, what people see and want, and everything in this world that people are so proud of—none of this comes from the Father; it all comes from the world. (TEV)**

# 1 Timothy 6:10

**10 For the love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows. (KJV)**

**10 For the love of money is a source of all kinds of evil. Some have been so eager to have it that they have wandered away from the faith and have broken their hearts with many sorrows. (TEV)**

# 1 Corinthians 10:13

<sup>13</sup> There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God *is* faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it. (KJV)

<sup>13</sup> Every test that you have experienced is the kind that normally comes to people. But God keeps his promise, and he will not allow you to be tested beyond your power to remain firm; at the time you are put to the test, he will give you the strength to endure it, and so provide you with a way out. (TEV)

**1. Being Prepared to Serve  
God .**

**(v.1-2).**

## Luke 4:1-2

**1 And Jesus being full of the Holy Ghost returned from Jordan, and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness, (KJV)**

**2 Being forty days tempted of the devil. And in those days he did eat nothing: and when they were ended, he afterward hungered. (KJV)**

## **Something About Temptation**

- 1. Temptation may come to Any Person.**
- 2. Temptation may come at Any Period.**
- 3. Temptation may come in Any Place.**
- 4. Temptation May come at Any Point.**

## 2. Temptation 1: the Lust of the Flesh.

(v.3-4).



## Luke 4:3-4

**3 And the devil said unto him, If thou be the Son of God, command this stone that it be made bread. (KJV)**

**4 And Jesus answered him, saying, It is written, That man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word of God. (KJV)**

# 3. Temptation 2: The Lust of the Eyes

(v.5-8).

## Luke 4:3-4

<sup>5</sup> And the devil, taking him up into an high mountain, shewed unto him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time.

<sup>6</sup> And the devil said unto him, All this power will I give thee, and the glory of them: for that is delivered unto me; and to whomsoever I will I give it.

<sup>7</sup> If thou therefore wilt worship me, all shall be thine.

<sup>8</sup> And Jesus answered and said unto him, Get thee behind me, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve. **(KJV)**

# 4. Temptation 3: The Pride of Life.

(v.9-12).

## Luke 4:9-12

<sup>9</sup> And he brought him to Jerusalem, and set him on a pinnacle of the temple, and said unto him, If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down from hence:

<sup>10</sup> For it is written, He shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee:

<sup>11</sup> And in *their* hands they shall bear thee up, lest at any time thou dash thy foot against a stone.

<sup>12</sup> And Jesus answering said unto him, It is said, Thou shalt not tempt the Lord thy God. **(KJV)**

**Standards that will help us not only to Endure, but to Triumph.**

**1. The Standard of Son-ship.**

**2. The Standard of Submission**

**3. The Standard of Spirituality**

**4. The Standard of Scripture.**

**5. The Standard of Satisfaction.**

**5. Conclusion:**  
**Satan left Jesus for a while.**

**(v.13-15).**

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