



At-A-Glance: Ages 4-5
God of Wonders Part 2: Genesis - Joshua
Unit 6, Lesson 27

Adam and Eve Disobey

Lesson Aim: To know God wants us to obey Him.

THE WELCOME TREASURE CHEST

WHISPER VERSE AND SIGN LANGUAGE: "Be careful to obey."

THE WORSHIP THE GOD WHO PROVIDES

Sing the Bible Memory Verse Song and other related songs.

It's Praise Time—our time to sing praise to the God who provides for us. That means He gives us what we need—including rules to keep us safe and happy. When we listen to God and follow the rules He gives us, we grow closer to Him and to each other. Sing: "I Will Listen."

When God placed Adam and Eve in the garden, He gave them certain rules in order to be safe and happy. God wanted them to be careful to obey those rules. That reminds me of today's Whisper Verse, "Be careful to obey." Review the Whisper Verse together. Include sign language. Let's turn to each other and say our Whisper Verse to one another. Children say the Whisper Verse to each other.

God blesses those who obey Him. As we give our offering today, let's thank God for our many blessings. Sing: "Blessed Are Those" as the offering is collected.

OFFERING: Collect the offering.

WORSHIP ILLUSTRATION: *The Adventures of Delbert & Lello* puppet script or storybook

God knows what is best for us. That is why we can trust His rules are good. If we love Him, we will always obey His laws. Let's sing our new Bible Memory Verse and thank God for giving us His rules and laws. Sing: "I Will Always Obey Your Law."

THE WORD ADAM AND EVE DISOBEY CLASSROOM PROMISE

Last time, we learned God rested after making the heavens and the earth. Everything was perfect. Today, we will learn about the

first time Adam and Eve disobeyed God. Let's open our Bible to the first book of the Bible, Genesis. Handle the Bible as a special treasure, leaving it open to Genesis 3:6.

WATCH THE WORD: GENESIS 3:1-13

Read poem. Display visual.

- God explained the garden rule to Adam and Eve.
- He told them they could eat the fruit from all but one tree.
- The serpent was clever; he tempted Eve one day.
- He told her she should break the rule and eat it anyway.

- Eve knew it was wrong but she ate the fruit.
- She gave it to Adam and he ate it, too.
- Then God called out, "Adam, where are you?"
- Did you do the very thing I told you not to do?"

- Adam blamed Eve, "She gave it to me!"
- "What have you done?" God then asked Eve.
- Eve blamed the serpent, "He tricked me and I ate."
- God punished them all because they all had disobeyed.

Adam and Eve were allowed to eat fruit from all but one tree. God told them not to eat it because fruit on that tree was bad for them. How did Adam and Eve disobey God? (They ate the fruit God told them not to eat.) Let's find our answer in the Bible. Read Genesis 3:6b from the teacher's Bible.

Why were Adam, Eve, and the serpent punished? (They disobeyed.) God does not want us to disobey. Let's say our Whisper Verse together: "Be careful to obey." Include sign language or hand motions.

THE WAY GOD WANTS US TO OBEY

CRAFT: Traffic Light

GAMES: Red Light, Green Light; The Garden Rule Says

SNACK: Garden Fruit

CIRCLE OF PRAYER

FINAL FIVE MINUTES

- COMPLETED CRAFT
- PONDER, PRAY & PLAY
- COLOR THIS STORY

GOT TIME?

SAY & DO: Genesis 3:1-13

GAME: Follow the Garden Rules

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE ACTIVITY: Freedom Walk
STORY TIME