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    - i. Who is the serpent? (Note [Rev. 20:2](#))
    - ii. What strategy did Satan use to tempt Eve?
    - iii. Explain how the devil still tempts people today using this same strategy.
    - iv. What is our recourse as believers? (Note [1 Cor. 10:12-13](#), [James 4:6-10](#))
- II. Eve didn't really "fall into sin," she edged into it progressively.
  - a. Read again verse 6.
    - i. Explain how our responses to temptation move us progressively toward sin.
      1. Note [James 1:13-15](#)
    - ii. What are the three points of temptation mentioned in [1 John 2:15-17](#)?
- III. Now read [Genesis 3:7-10](#)
  - a. How did that first sin affect Adam and Eve's relationship with one another?
  - b. How did it affect their relationship with God?
  - c. How did it affect their relationship with creation?
  - d. How do our modern fears and shame reflect our sin today? Explain.
- IV. Finally, read [Genesis 3:11-24](#)
  - a. Note the different curses and their implications.
    - i. ...for the Serpent.
    - ii. ...for Eve
    - iii. ...for Adam
  - b. How does the cross of Christ ultimately redeem us from the curse of sin? (Be Specific)

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