

Lesson Six

What Does the Bible Say About Man, the Fall of Man, and Sin?

1. What happened after Adam and Eve were created and put in the Garden of Eden?

Genesis 2:16-17 Command by God

Genesis 3:4-13 first sin – see Rev 12:

2. What is now the eternal condition of all human beings?

Genesis 5:3, 5 Death – conferring of Original sin

Psalm 51:3 Sin and guilt

Ephesians 2:1-3 We were dead in our sin – we were children of wrath

Romans 8:7 hostile to His Law – contrary to “I delight in the Law!”

There are two kinds of sin: **original sin** and **actual sin**. Original sin is that which we have inherited from Adam, and total corruption of all human nature.

3. What is the effect of original sin in our lives?

Matthew 7:17 Bad or no Fruit

Matthew 15:19 all evil is a result of original sin – The nature of man

4. How may men be saved from the consequences of the law?

Acts 10:43 Trusting in Christ’s work

Romans 1:16 through the power of the Gospel

Review

1. Adam and Eve fell into sin when they listened to _____, ate of the forbidden ___ fruit _____, and thus disobeyed the Word (command) of God.
- 2) Which of the following statements are Biblically correct:
 - (a) Infants are born sinful; or
 - (b) Infants are born without sin; they become sinful through the bad example of adults.
3. Which of the following statements are Biblically correct:
 - (a) Our inherited sinful condition condemns us before God;
 - (b) Only the sinful act is bad, not our desire to do it;
 - (c) Anything we do outside of faith in Christ is sinful.