

WHEN JESUS QUOTES

THE OLD TESTAMENT

WHEN JESUS QUOTES THE OLD TESTAMENT

THE NEW TESTAMENT

Galatians	48-57
James	50-60s
Matthew	50-70
Mark	50-70
John	50-85
1/2 Thessalonians	51-52
Philippians	53-61
1/2 Corinthians	55
Romans	57
Luke	59-80s
Ephesians	60
Colossians	60
Philemon	60
1 Peter	early 60s
1 Timothy	63-65
Titus	63-65
Acts	63-70+
2 Peter	65-68
Jude	65-80
2 Timothy	66-67
Revelation	69-85
Hebrews	<70
1/2/3 John	85-95

TEMPTATIONS OF JESUS

BACKGROUND: TO THE LAND OF CANAAN

- ▶ GENESIS - *Bereishit* "in the beginning"
- ▶ EXODUS - *Sefer ve'eleh shemot*, "the book of 'And these are the names'"
 - ▶ Slavery, The Israelites were led out of slavery in Egypt by God (the Exodus)
- ▶ LEVITICUS - *vayikra'* "and He [the Lord] called" or *torat kohanim* "instruction of (or 'for') the priests"
 - ▶ Laws to be holy
- ▶ NUMBERS - *Bemidbar* "In the wilderness"
 - ▶ After the exodus, God led Israel to the edge of Canaan and they sent out 12 spies to survey the land for 40 days (Numbers 13)
 - ▶ 10 spies came back with negative reports, 2 with good reports (Number 13:26-33)
 - ▶ Israelites grumbled "If only we had died in Egypt! Or in this wilderness! Why is the Lord bringing us to this land only to let us fall by the sword? Our wives and children will be taken as plunder. Wouldn't it be better for us to go back to Egypt?" And they said to each other, "We should choose a leader and go back to Egypt." (Numbers 13:2-4)
 - ▶ "'For forty years –one year for each of the forty days you explored the land –you will suffer for your sins and know what it is like to have me against you...They will meet their end in this wilderness; here they will die.'" Numbers 14:34-35
- ▶ DEUTERONOMY - *Debarim* (Words), from the opening phrase "Eleh ha-debarim."; (these are the words)
 - ▶ After 40 years in wilderness, preparing to enter the Promised Land - Canaan
 - ▶ Moses re-explains the law and their history in preparation for entering Canaan

TELL THESE STONES TO BECOME BREAD - MATTHEW 4:1-4

- ▶ Matthew 4:4 - "Jesus answered, 'It is written: 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.'"
- ▶ Deuteronomy 8:3 - "He humbled you, causing you to hunger and then feeding you with manna, which neither you nor your ancestors had known, to teach you that man does not live on bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord."

THROW YOURSELF DOWN...ANGELS WILL CATCH YOU - MATTHEW 4:5-7

- ▶ Matthew 4:7 - "Jesus answered him, 'It is also written: 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.'""
- ▶ Deuteronomy 6:16 - "Do not put the Lord your God to the test as you did at Massah.
- ▶ Exodus 17:1-7

ALL THIS IS YOURS, IF YOU WORSHIP ME - MATTHEW 4:8-11

- ▶ Matthew 4:10 - "Jesus said to him, 'Away from me, Satan! For it is written: 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.'""
- ▶ Deuteronomy 6:13 - "Fear the Lord your God, serve him only and take your oaths in his name."

LESSONS FROM JESUS' TEMPTATIONS

- ▶ General
 - ▶ We must know the scriptures
 - ▶ We must know how to use the scriptures
- ▶ Lessons from the Wilderness
 - ▶ God will provide, even in the "wilderness" physically/spiritually
 - ▶ Do not put God to the test
 - ▶ Do not become complacent
 - ▶ Israel did not pass the test, but Jesus has passed the test
 - ▶ Hebrews 2:17-18

NEXT WEEK

- ▶ Traditions
 - ▶ Matthew 15:1-20