

Lesson Six

Part One: Singular vs. Plural

Singular (one):

Man

Woman

Child

Plural (two or more):

Men

Women (pronounced wi-min)

Children

Part Two: Discussion

Your teacher may ask you some of these questions:

- What is your favorite childhood memory?
- Did you enjoy school when you were a child? What was your favorite subject?
- Did you have a childhood best friend while you were growing up? Are you still in touch with your childhood best friend today?
- If you could do your childhood all over again, what would you choose to do differently?

Part Three: Where does sin come from?

(Resources used: <http://pages.suddenlink.net/eslbiblestories/> and debbrammer.com)

Review: When God made the world, He said it was "very good." Adam and Eve were "very good," and they had everything they needed. There was just one tree that God told them not to eat from (the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil). It was **forbidden** (not allowed). If they ate from it, they would die.

Your teacher may ask you to read this aloud:

Adam and Eve Disobeyed God

Adam and Eve had many things to do in the garden. They had many fruits and vegetables to eat. They did not need to eat from the **forbidden** tree. But Satan wanted them to **disobey** (go against) God and eat the fruit. Satan is God's enemy. God **created** Satan as a beautiful angel, but Satan became prideful and wanted to be greater than God. He did not want Adam and Eve to love and obey God. Satan made himself look like a snake in the garden. He told Eve to eat fruit from the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil. He said the fruit was good and it would make her wise like God and that she would not die. Satan was lying. So Eve ate some of the fruit. She gave some to Adam and he ate it too. Then they both felt **ashamed** (guilty). They knew they had **disobeyed** God.

Questions:

- What would happen to Adam and Eve if they ate the forbidden fruit?
- Who told Eve to eat the fruit? Why did he do this?
- What did Eve do? Did Adam and Eve know that they were disobeying?
- How did Adam and Eve feel after they ate the fruit?

Their disobedience was called **sin**. Sin is anything that goes against God's rules. In our next lesson, we will learn what happened to Adam and Eve because of their sin.

Homework (to be completed after this lesson): Write six sentences, using the words *man, woman, child, men, women,* and *children*. Also write four sentences about what you learned regarding Adam and Eve's first sin.