

Search For Truth Bible Study #7 – March 18, 2026

Innocence: The Judgment & The Promise

Genesis 3:14 – 24

Other scripture references:

Revelations 22:2-3; Colossians 3:1-2; I Peter 5:8; 1 Corinthians 10:13; James 4:7; Matthew 4:3-11; Ephesians 6:10-12,18; Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1: 21-23; John 16:33; Romans 8:33; Ephesians 1:20-23; Acts 38-39; John 1:1-2,14

1. What does the word “enmity” mean in Genesis 3:15?

Scripture says we are fighting in a spiritual battle today as a result of the original sin & the curse from Genesis. Knowing this:

2. a) How would you describe the characteristics or attributes of the enemy (“the serpent” or whatever other names he is called in the Bible)?
 - b) And what was it about the serpent that attracted Eve into a conversation in the first place? What are your thoughts on this?
 - c) How does the “tempter” work today in our time?
3. The phrase “to ward off” means to keep away, turn aside, or prevent something dangerous, harmful, or unpleasant from affecting you –
Find scriptures of advice that the Bible gives us to ward off the advances of “the serpent”?

Jesus’ victory over the enemy is secured through his death, burial, resurrection, and ascension, which empowers believers to overcome sin, death, and the devil:

4. What New Testament scriptures can you find about Christ’s victory over the enemy?