



Adam and Eve's Choice

Genesis 2:15-17; 3:2-3,6,20-23

BIBLE STORY

God created man and put him in a garden called Eden. God told the man, "You may eat the fruit of any tree that is in the garden except one tree. Do not eat the fruit of that tree."

Eve looked at the fruit on the tree that God told them not to **choose**. Eve knew what God said. But she chose to **disobey** God. She took some of the fruit and ate it. She gave some to Adam. Adam chose to **disobey** God, too. He ate the fruit.

God made Adam and Eve able to **choose**. They **chose** to **disobey**. After Adam and Eve **chose** to **disobey**, they had to leave the garden of Eden. But God still loved Adam and Eve. God made them clothes out of animal skins. He showed them where they should go to live.

Adam and Eve lived outside the garden. They had to work to grow food to eat. But God still loved them.



Biblefact

The Book of Genesis

Genesis is the first book of the Old Testament of the Bible. Bible scholars believe it was written by Moses. The word *Genesis* means "in the beginning." The

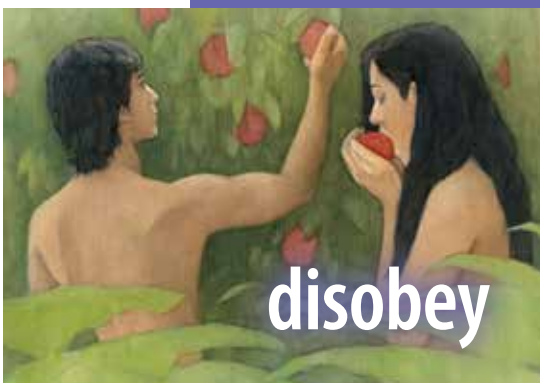
Book of Genesis has 50 chapters. From Genesis, we learn about God's creation of the world, Adam and Eve, Cain and Abel, Noah and the ark, and many other fascinating stories.

choose



to decide something you want to do

disobey



to choose not to do what you know is the right thing; to choose to do what you know is the wrong thing

Fall Unit 1 Bible Verse: "This is the day that the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it." Psalm 118:24

Bottom Line: I will praise God for His wonderful creation.

Mission Focus: Go Love Tell: Maine



Circle the Correct Answer

Read the questions and answers. Think about what is the best choice for the answer. Circle the correct answer.

What did God tell Adam and Eve not to eat from?

- A. **the tree**
- B. **the water**



Is obeying my mom and dad a right choice or wrong choice?

- A. **right choice**
- B. **wrong choice**



When does God love me?

- A. **When I make right choices**
- B. **When I make wrong choices**
- C. **God loves me all the time.**



Answer key: A, A, C

THIS WEEK'S BIBLE PHRASE

God made us, and we are His. Psalm 100:3



Help make right choices. Talk with your child this week about the choice that Adam and Eve made in the garden. Emphasize that God loved Adam and Eve even though they made a wrong choice. While shopping with your child this week, talk about making right choices in what to buy. Talk about why you buy certain foods. Allow your child to help you decide what to have for dinner.