

Lesson Two *Satan's Strategy as a Destroyer*

Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour... --I Peter 5:8

Pray right now that the Lord would purify your heart as you complete this study, and that He would reveal exactly what He has for you in this lesson.

Read Job 2:4-6; Matthew 9:32-33 and 17:14-18; and Luke 13:11-17

1. What is one thing Satan likes to destroy?

Read I Corinthians 6:19, 20, Philippians 1:20, Romans 6:12,13, and II Corinthians 4:7

2. Why is it important to Satan to destroy this?

Read Romans 12:1

3. Why is it important to protect our bodies, according to the above scripture?

4a. *(personal)* Are there ways in which you are disrespecting your body? How?

4b. *(personal)* How can you remedy this?

Read Job 2:6 and Luke 22:31-32

5. Satan can attack only when _____.

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Read Hebrews 12:5-6 and 1 Peter 5:6

6. Why does God sometimes allow suffering?

Read Job 13:15; Ephesians 5:20; Psalm 119:67 and 71; James 5:11 and 1:2-4; Isaiah 28:16;
Galatians 5:22,23; and II Corinthians 12:7-10

7. How are we, as believers, to respond to suffering?

Read Ephesians 6:10-17

8. How can we arm ourselves to handle adversity? List the full armor of God below.

Read Luke 6:22-24, I Peter 2:20, Job 23:10, II Timothy 2:12, and Revelation 3:10

9. What is our reward for enduring?

Digging Deeper (optional for those who want to delve more into the Word):

Read Job chapters 1 and 2.

What stands out to you about the conversations between God and Satan? Why might God have allowed Job's suffering?

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