

Bible Study Discussion

2014-2015

Luke 4:1-13

Lesson 13

Jesus Meets Satan, the Tempter



“And God is faithful;
He will not let you be
tempted
beyond what you can
bear.

But when you are
tempted,
he will also provide a
way of escape
so that you can endure
it.”

1 Cor 10:13





God is...

Omnipotent

Omniscient

Omnipresent

Satan is not.

Satan's Purposes

Make believers ineffective

Frustrate God's will

~*The Battle is the Lord's* by Tony Evans

“We must recognize that our enemy, the devil, is actively opposing us in our faith walk.”

~Excerpt from *Come Boldly*

Why is it so important to resist temptation?

Sin separates us from:

God (Is 59:2)

the life He desires for us on this earth
(Jn 10:10)

being who He created us to be (Rom 12:2)

Jesus died for our conformity to the world.

“The weapons we fight with
are not the weapons of the world.
On the contrary they have divine power
to demolish strongholds.”
2 Cor 10:4

The Battle Hymn of the Republic

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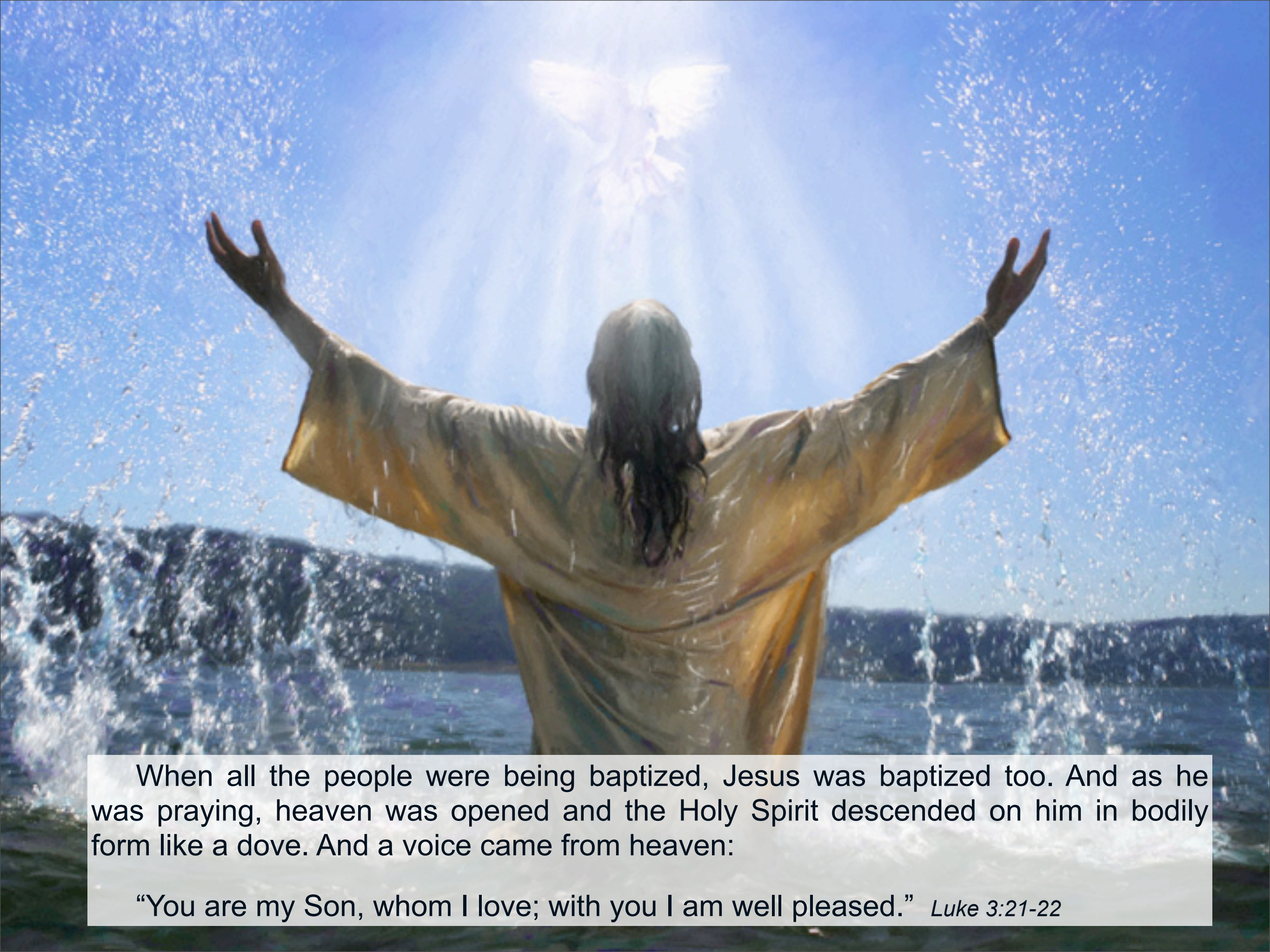
Way of Escape

The Word

The Way Out

“THE WAY”





When all the people were being baptized, Jesus was baptized too. And as he was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven:

“You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased.” *Luke 3:21-22*





“Man does not live
by bread alone...”

Deut 8:3





**“Worship the Lord your God
and serve Him only.” *Deut 6:13***



Throw yourself down...

**“Do not put the Lord
your God to the test.”**

Deut 6:16





The Devilish D's

Doubt

Discouragement

Defeat

Distraction

Delay

Doubt

Did God really say....?

“I do believe! Help my unbelief!

Mark 9:24

Discouragement

You're not _____ enough.

“I can do all things through Christ
who strengthens me.”

Phil 4:13



Defeat

You can't do this--in fact, you've failed at it before.

What makes you think you can do it now?

“Forgetting what is behind
and straining toward what is ahead,
I press on toward the goal”

Phil 3:13

Distraction

Look at this!

"I am doing a great work,
and I cannot come down!"

Neh 6:3

Delay

Next week (month, year) is a better time.

**“I will hasten and not delay to
obey your commands.”**

Psalms 119:60

The Word



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The Way



The Way

"Look!
I stand at the door
and knock.
If you hear my voice
and open the door,
I will come in..."

Rev 3:20



Applying the Lesson in Your Life

Find the way of escape
when you feel tempted
this week. Should you...

Proclaim The Word?
Go out the exit?
Let Jesus in.





BSD Guest Day

Next week

January 15th

Invite a friend!