

Wicked, Pt. 2

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Why Jesus Makes All The Difference

Matthew 4:1-3 ¹ Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil. ² After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. ³ The tempter came to him and said, "If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread."

When I Am Tempted, There Is Always

More At _____ Than I _____.

The One Thing:

Temptation Is Always A Test Of My _____ In _____,

Not Just My _____.

Hebrews 2:14-15 ¹⁴ Since the children have flesh and blood, he too shared in their humanity so that by his death he might destroy him who holds the power of death--that is, the devil-- ¹⁵ and free those who all their lives were held in slavery by their fear of death.

Hebrews 4:15-16 ¹⁵ For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are--yet was without sin. ¹⁶ Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

1 John 4:4 ⁴ You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.

Three Temptations Behind All Other Temptation:

1. Jesus, In Me, Wants To _____ Temptations Of

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Matthew 4:3-4 ³ The tempter came to him and said, "If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread." ⁴ Jesus answered, "It is written: 'Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.' "

2. Jesus, In Me, Wants To _____ Temptations Of

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Matthew 4:5-7 ⁵ Then the devil took him to the holy city and had him stand on the highest point of the temple. ⁶ "If you are the Son of God," he said, "throw yourself down. For it is written: " 'He will command his angels concerning you, and they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.' " ⁷ Jesus answered him, "It is also written: 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.' "

3. Jesus, In Me, Wants To _____ Temptations Of

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Matthew 4:8-11 ⁸ Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor. ⁹ "All this I will give you," he said, "if you will bow down and worship me." ¹⁰ Jesus said to him, "Away from me, Satan! For it is written: 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.' " ¹¹ Then the devil left him, and angels came and attended him.

How Jesus Fought Back?