

Review-Basics 01.01

Sin can be broken down into 3 groups:

Mental Sin

lusts of the heart

maliciousness

debased mind

vile passions

Overt Sin

disobedient to parents

violent

inventors of evil things

strife

Verbal Sin

backbiters

unforgiving

whisperers

boasters

MOV you away from God!

These 3 groups of **sin** fall into one of the 3 doors:

1. Satan - Tamperers with your relationship with God
2. **World** - H.V. vs. D.V.
3. **Flesh** - Biological drives

Walking
Abiding

Believer is out of fellowship/harmony with God

Believer is in fellowship/
harmony with God (Post 1 Jn 1:9)

Believer in Christ

- New man
- New nature/human spirit
- Never sin
- Indwelling of the Triune God

Ideal time to DEAL with struggles

- Old man
- Sin nature
- Tendency to sin

Objective at this point is to recover the filling ministry of the Holy Spirit through 1 Jn 1:9

Sin originates from here

Never sins
1 Jn 3:9

The believer is EMPOWERED

Believer has NO power

Satan's Strategy in the **Garden of Eden**

- (1) good for food, the lust of the flesh
- (2) pleasant to the eyes, the lust of the eyes
- (3) to be desired to make one wise, the pride of life

Satan's Strategy in the **Wilderness**

- (1) good for food, the lust of the flesh
- (2) temptation to doubt God the Father
- (3) the temptation to attain divine goals by worldly means, which encourages human pride

**Satan Consistently Attempts to
Undermine the Word of God!!**

Strategy of the Believer

Satan - This attack is against our relationship with God

Solution: *Submit and resist!* James 4:7 (See Matt 4)

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World - This attack is against our ego and how we view things (H.V. vs. D.V.)

Solution: *Love for God* needs to be addressed.

1 Jn. 2:15

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Flesh - This attack is against our biological drives

Solution: *Flee!* 1 Cor. 6:18, 2 Tim. 2:22

Strategy of the Believer

The strategy required when dealing with sin, depends on what the sin is.

Flee

Strengthen your love for God

Submit and resist