

HISTORY: Genesis 3 The Fall **Dair Hileman, Senior Pastor**

Home, sweet home - the garden (2:5-25)

Trouble in Paradise - The question of obedience (3:1-6)

- God's Word is questioned (3:1-3)

- God's Word is contradicted (3:4-5; John 8:44)

- The Tools of Temptation

 - "good for food" - physical desires - food, sex

 - "delight to the eyes" - beauty - clothes, cars, houses, jewelry

 - "make wise" - intellectual pride - popularity, esteem, power

- The Result: Deception and Disobedience
(2 Corinthians 11:3; 2 Timothy 2:3-14)

The Consequences:

- Serpent - The ultimate defeat of Satan (14-15)

- Woman - Pain in the emotional center of her life (16)

- Man - The corruption of the creation leading to labor, and death (17-19)

The effects of the Fall will not be reversed until the revealing of the sons of God. (Romans 8:18-25; 1 John 3:2) and the coming of the new heavens and new earth (Revelation 21-22; 2 Peter 3:7-13)