

# Study QUESTIONS



**Ep.1362: Why the Tree of Life and the Tree of Knowledge? See:**

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1. What was the Tree of Life to Adam and Eve? What was the purpose of the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil? (Genesis 2:9) How do the two trees fit into God's plan?
2. Genesis 1 tells us God created man "in His own image." What might this include? (Genesis 1:27-28)
3. Where were the two named trees planted? Locating the trees close to each other inevitably would draw what kind of lessons for Adam and Eve? Why did God have Adam alone in the garden for a time? (Genesis 2:8-9,16-17,23-25)
4. Describe Satan's deception of Eve. Why did it work? How does this relate to 1 John 2:16? Draw a comparison of the reasons behind Eve's deception and 1 John 2:16. (Genesis 3:1-7)

Think of an experience with sin that made you want to hide from God. Now think of one that made you want to go to Him. What about these experiences caused these reactions?

5. State the consequence, then elaborate:
  - a. Satan's consequence: (Genesis 3:15, Isaiah 114:14)
  - b. Eve's consequence: (Genesis 3:16)
  - c. Adam's consequence: (Genesis 3:17-19)
  - d. Adam and Eve's final consequence: (Genesis 3:22-23)
  - e. How does disobedience affect God's gift of eternal life?
6. How is Jesus the life-giving power of the Tree of Life to all of resurrected mankind? What is the role of the Tree of Life picture in the future kingdom of God? Though all will be resurrected, what will be expected of them in order to gain eternal life? (Romans 5:18, Revelation 22:1-3,14, Acts 24:15)
7. How are Jesus' faithful followers in heaven "trees of righteousness" to mankind in the kingdom? What will their role be?
8. Have the lessons from the Tree of Knowledge settled into your heart? How are your choices affecting your righteousness?