

Scriptures for temptation Most of the time most of us (even children) understand what is right and what is wrong. The problem is our feelings. We get angry, lonely, ashamed, afraid, bitter etc. and then we are *tempted* to sin. Like Paul we don't want to in the brain part of us but the feeling part says "Do it". It even happened to Jesus. But **he** did not sin and if we learn to trust him neither will we. The two most important things are probably to pray BEFORE you sin and then to trust God to strengthen you and make a way of escape. In short: pray, then flee. A scripture in the pocket should make it easier. Week 5 on our website www.homeword.ws has a great blessing to read over each child as he begins his day. It might seem a bit childish for teenagers but try it for a week and see if they don't begin to enjoy it.

Pray, so that you will not fall into temptation. Mark 14:38	The mind controlled by the spirit is life and peace. Romans 8:6	Blessed is the man who trusts in you. Psalm 84:12	Never will I leave you, never will I forsake you. Hebrews 13:5
Blessed is the man who perseveres under trial. James 1:12	Encourage one another And build each other up. 1Thes. 5:11	Love one another. John 13:34	Cast your cares on the Lord. Psalm 55:22
I have the desire to do what is good but I cannot carry it out. Romans 7:17	God is our refuge and strength, an ever present help... Psalm 46:	Though I walk in the midst to trouble, you preserve my life. Psalm 138:7	Blessed is the man who perseveres under trial. James 1:12
He will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. 1 Cor. 10:13	Make every effort to add to your faith goodness... 2 Peter 1:5	Those with clean hands will grow stronger. Job 17:9	The Lord knows how to rescue Godly men from trials. 2 Peter 2:9
Who has been tempted in every way, just as we are. Hebrews 4:15	Who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing. Eph. 1:3	I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go. Psalm 32:8	Who trusts in him will never be put to shame. Romans 10:11
Watch yourself or you also may be tempted. Galatians 1:6	He will watch over your life. Psalm 121:7	Do not be quickly provoked. Ecclesiastes 7:9	Resist the devil and he will flee from you. James 4:7
Fear not. Isaiah 43:1	Lead us not into temptation. Matt 6:13	Be strong and take heart. Psalm 31:24	We know that our old self was crucified with him. Romans 6:6
Faith is being sure... Hebrews 11:1	How much more will the father in heaven give the Holy Spirit. Luke 11:13	We live by Faith. 2 Cor. 5:7	I will put my spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees. Ezekiel 36:27
Christ in you the hope of glory. Col. 1:27	If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. 2 Cor. 5:17	When you are tempted, he will also provide a way out. 1 Corinthians 10:13	If by the spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body you will live. Romans 8:13