



I Shall Not Want

Preparing for Life's Tests

- **For New Groups:** Spend some time getting to know each other before you dive into the bible study questions.
- What is something that stuck out to you from last Sunday's teaching?
- Everyone Answer: Share a time that you were very tempted but overcame the temptation.
 - How did you do it?
 - Was there any preparation that went into overcoming that temptation?
 - Did you feel good that you overcame it or bad that the temptation was there to begin with?
 - What role did God play in that situation?
- Read Matthew 4:1-11
 - What was the devil tempting Jesus with?
 - Why do you think it is important to note that even Jesus himself faced temptation in His life?
 - What does it mean to you that this story happens right after Jesus' baptism?
 - Why do you think Jesus would be led by the Spirit to be tempted?
 - Have you ever felt like the Spirit led you into a time of testing?
 - What do you think was His purpose in that?
 - Are you glad that happened or do you wish it didn't? Why?
 - What did you lean on to get through it? Family? Scripture? Church?
 - The great temptation of Jesus was the lure of power. How have you witnessed the lure of power tempt people today?
 - In his teaching, Pastor Dave challenged us to join him in a Lenten Journey this year.
 - Open the Church App
 - Click on "This Week"
 - Click on "Lenten Journey"
 - As a group, commit to the 4 fold journey with Dave and the Church.
 - Pray