**Genesis 3: The First Family… “Committing Sin:**

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**…Removes Our Innocence.**

***7****Then the* ***eyes of both of them were opened****, and they realized they were naked; so they sewed fig leaves together and made coverings for themselves.* Genesis 3:7

**… Leads Us To Hide From God.**

***8****Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the Lord God as he was* ***walking in the garden*** *in the cool of the day, and they* ***hid from the Lord***

***God*** *among the trees of the garden.* Genesis 3:8

**… Leads To Fear-of-God Unless We Reconcile.**

***9****But the Lord God called to the man, “****Where are you****?”* ***10****He answered, “I heard you in the garden, and* ***I was afraid****because I was naked; so I hid.”* Genesis 3:9-11 [See Psalm 139:7-10]

**KEY: Repentance.**

**… Leads To Blame-Shifting And Responsibility Avoidance.**

***12****The man said, “The woman you put here with me—****she gave me*** *some fruit from the tree, and I ate it.”* ***13****Then the Lord God said to the woman, “What is this you have done?” The woman said, “****The serpent deceived me****, and I ate.”* Genesis 3:12-13

**… Brought Consequences To Satan:**

***14****So the Lord God said to the serpent, “Because you have done this, “****Cursed are you*** *above all livestock and all wild animals! You will crawl on your belly and you will eat dust  all the days of your life.* ***15****And I will* ***put enmity between you and the woman****, and between your offspringand hers;* ***he*** *will crushyour head, and you will* ***strike his heel****.”* Genesis 3:14-15

**V15: Messianic Prophecy.**

**… Brought Consequences To Eve:**

***16****To the woman he said, “I will make your* ***pains in childbearing*** *very severe;  with painful labor you will give birth to children. Your* ***desire will be for your husband,*** *and he will* ***rule over you****.”* Genesis 3:16

**… Brought Consequences Adam – And To Us “ALL”:**

***17****To* ***Adam*** *he said, “Because you* ***listened to your wife*** *and ate fruit from the tree about which I commanded you, ‘You must not eat from it,’ “****Cursed is the ground because of you****;  through painful toil you will eat food from it   all the days of your life.* Genesis 3:17-18

***22****And the Lord God said, “The man has now* ***become like one of us****, knowing good and evil. He must not be allowed to reach out his hand and take also from the tree of life and eat,* ***and live forever****.”*Genesis 3:22

***23****So the Lord God* ***banished him from the Garden of Eden****to work the ground from which he had been taken.****24****After he drove the man out, he placed on the east sideof the Garden of Eden****cherubim and a flaming sword****flashing back and forth to guard the way to the tree of life.* Genesis 3:23-24