

'The Four Gardens'

'And the Lord God planted a garden eastward, in Eden' Genesis 2 v 8

1. **The first garden of the Bible**, the Garden of E____ (Paradise) was a beautiful garden in which the first man and woman, A____ and E____, lived before s____ came into the world.
2. God tested their obedience by telling them that they could eat the fruit of all the trees in the garden, except one. This was the tree of the knowledge of g____ and e____.
3. God warned them that if they ate from this tree, they would d____.



4. Adam and Eve already knew there was good and evil, but God meant that if they ate from this tree, they would *know by experience* what good and evil was. It is like someone warning you that if you eat bad food you will be ill—if you actually eat the bad food you will *know by experience* what eating bad food does to you!

5. S____ tempted Eve to eat the fruit from the forbidden tree, and said that if she did, she would be like God. This, of course, was a l____.

6. Eve ate, and gave some of the fruit to Adam. They did eventually die, and all mankind f____ into sin.

7. **The second garden of the Bible** is G_____, where our Lord prepared himself for Calvary, where He died to save us from our sins.

8. **The third garden of the Bible** is the Garden of resurrection, where Christ r____ from the d_____.

9. **The fourth garden of the Bible** is H_____, or Paradise. Paradise lost, becomes Paradise regained.

