

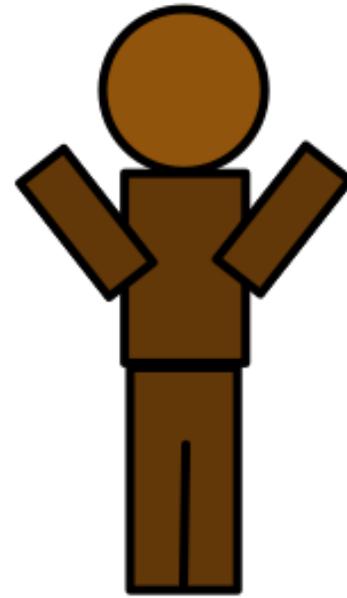
Adam and Eve "The First Sin"



Genesis 2 : 7, 15-18, 21-22

&
Genesis 3: 1-4, 6, 8-10, 23

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Then the Lord God formed a man. He made him out of the dust of the ground. He breathed the breath of life into him. And the man became a living person.

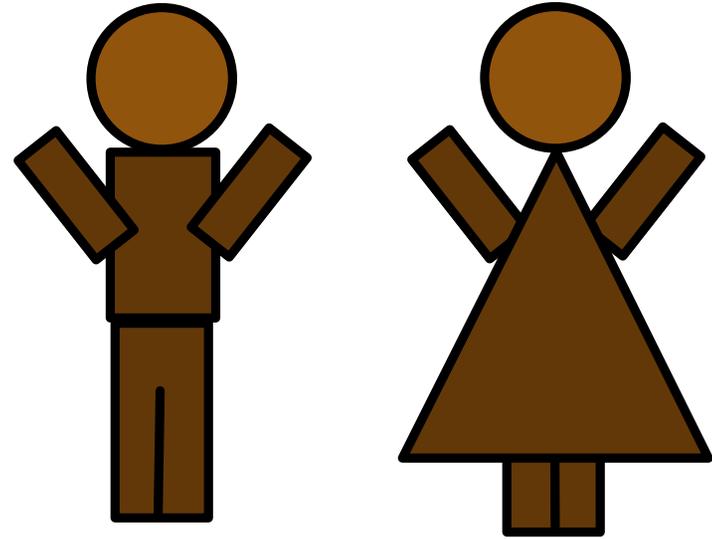
The Lord God put the man in the Garden of Eden. He put him there to work its ground and to take care of it.

Genesis 2: 7 & 15



The Lord God gave the man a command. He said, "You can eat the fruit of any tree that is in the garden. But you must not eat the fruit of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. If you do, you can be sure that you will die."

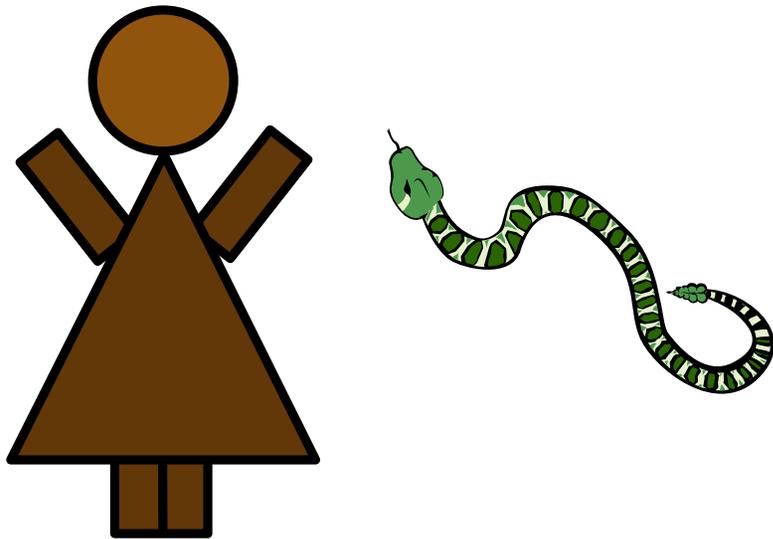
Genesis 2: 16 & 17



The Lord God said, "It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper who is just right for him."

So the Lord God caused him to fall into a deep sleep. While the man was sleeping, the Lord God took out one of his ribs. Then the Lord God made a woman. He made her from the rib he had taken out of the man. And he brought her to him.

Genesis 2: 18 & 21-22

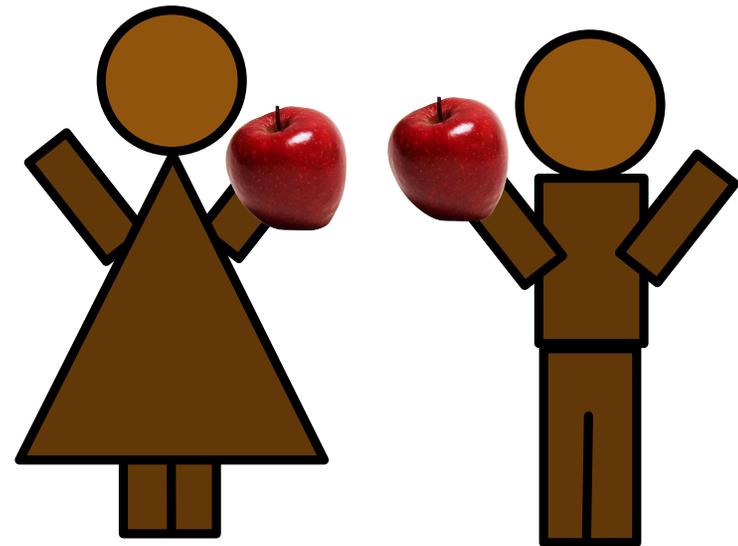


The serpent said to the woman, "Did God really say, 'You must not eat the fruit of any tree that is in the garden?'"

The woman said to the serpent, "But God did say, 'You must not eat the fruit of the tree that is in the middle of the garden. Do not even touch it. If you do, you will die.'"

"You can be sure that you won't die," the serpent said to the woman.

Genesis 3: 1-4



The woman saw that the fruit of the tree was good to eat. It was also pleasing to look at. And it would make a person wise. So she took some of the fruit and ate it.

She also gave some to her husband, who was with her. And he ate it.

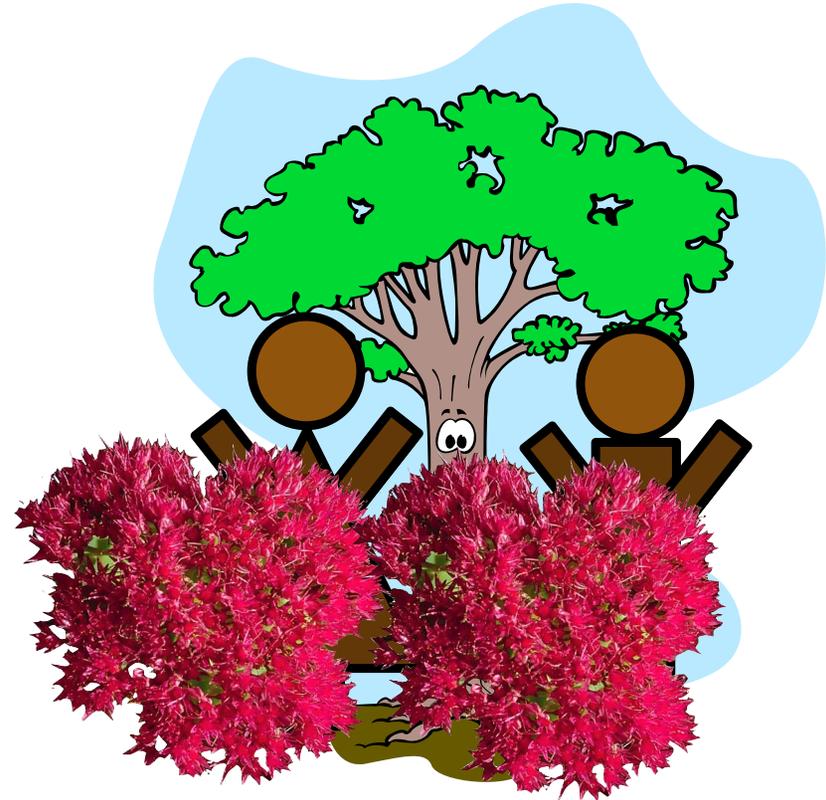
Genesis 3: 6



Then the man and his wife heard the Lord God walking in the garden. It was the coolest time of the day. They hid from the Lord God among the trees of the garden.

But the Lord God called out to the man. "Where are you?" he asked.

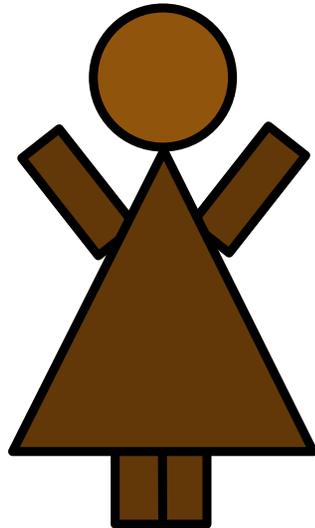
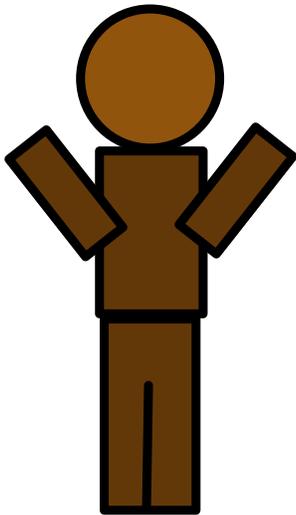
Genesis 3: 8 & 9



"I heard you in the garden," the man answered. "I was afraid, so I hid."

The Lord God said, "Have you eaten the fruit of the tree I commanded you not to eat?"

Genesis 3: 10



So the Lord God drove the man out of the Garden of Eden to work the ground he had been made out of.

Genesis 3: 23