Resisting Temptation

Matthew 4:1-11

1. Be honest about the weakness of your flesh.

2. Resist! Don't just give up or give in.

James 4:7

"Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you."

3. Focus your attention on the Word of God.

Ephesians 6:17 "And take ... the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God:"

3. Focus your attention on the Word of God.

- 4. Look to the Spirit of God for grace and strength.
- 5. Ask Jesus to help you.

Hebrews 2:18 "For in that he himself hath suffered being tempted, he is able to succour them that are tempted."

Hebrews 7:25 "Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them."

Hebrews 4:15 "For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin."

1. Be honest about how weak you are. 2. Resist! Don't just give up or give in. 3. Focus your attention on God's Word. 4. Look to the Holy Spirit for strength. 5. Ask Jesus to help you.