

GENESIS – Part XII
Reference: **Genesis 3:6-11**
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verse six, “So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree desirable to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate. She also gave to her husband with her, and he ate.”

There were two distinct parts to the act that caused mankind to fall into sin:

- the _____ to be disobedient
- the _____ of disobedience

Reference: **Romans 5:14** mentions the “*transgression of Adam*”.

The word “*transgression*” means to _____ over the line

Notice what happened immediately after Adam and Eve sinned.

verse seven, “Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves coverings.”

verse eight, “And they (Adam and Eve) heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden.”

verse nine, “Then the LORD God called to Adam and said to him, ‘Where are you?’”

verse ten, “So he (Adam) said, ‘I heard Your voice in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; and I hid myself.’”

verse eleven, “And He said, ‘Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you that you should not eat?’”

Because of his sin, Adam hid from God; God then went after Adam and Eve and said, “Adam where are you?” Adam’s answer in verse ten breaks down into three different parts:

ONE: Adam’s core emotion was _____

TWO: Adam’s core motivation was _____

THREE: Adam’s core strategy was _____

Definition: a layer is something we either do or don’t do that is designed to protect us from personal exposure and help us _____ from whatever we are _____ of

Reference: **Proverbs 18:14**, “*The spirit of a man will sustain him in sickness, but **who can bear a broken spirit?***”

Five symptoms of someone who feels rejection:

- someone who feels rejected is _____
- someone who feels rejected is _____ of other people
- someone who feels rejected tends to practice _____

Definition: **cocooning** is the act of _____ or _____ oneself from the normal social environment which might be perceived as distracting, unfriendly, dangerous, or otherwise unwelcoming at least for the present

- someone who feels rejected finds it difficult to _____
- someone who feels rejected practices self-_____