

the words of JESUS

[in the Gospels]

NEW HOPE MĀNSĀ

41

Hear | What Scripture is God highlighting?

Examine | What is the context?

Apply | What is God saying to you?

Reflect | Write a prayer reflection

42

HEAR | What Scripture is God highlighting .

Matthew 4:1-11

43

Matt. 4:1 Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil. ² After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. ³ The tempter came to him and said, “If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread.”

44

4 Jesus answered, **“It is written: ‘Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.’”**

45

5 Then the devil took him to the holy city and had him stand on the highest point of the temple. ⁶ “If you are the Son of God,” he said, “throw yourself down. For it is written: “He will command his angels concerning you, and they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.””

46

7 Jesus answered him, **“It is also written: ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’”**

47

8 Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor. ⁹ “All this I will give you,” he said, “if you will bow down and worship me.”

48

10 Jesus said to him, “**Away from me, Satan! For it is written: ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.’**”

49

11 Then the devil left him, and angels came and attended him.

50

EXAMINE | What is the context?

- **The Spirit God, Jesus Son of God, the Devil tempter, Angels ministers**
- **The Wilderness:** A desolate place of testing, formation, and dependence on God.
- **Forty Days:** A biblical pattern of preparation before revelation (Israel, Moses, Elijah)
- **Fasting:** A Jewish practice of humility, sacrifice, surrender to align with God.

51

Temptation

Israel failed

Jesus succeeds

1. Bread	1. Complained & doubted	1. Trusted God
2. Testing God	2. Demanded proof	2. Faithful to Scripture
3. Power & kingdoms	3. Chased idols	3. Chose obedience

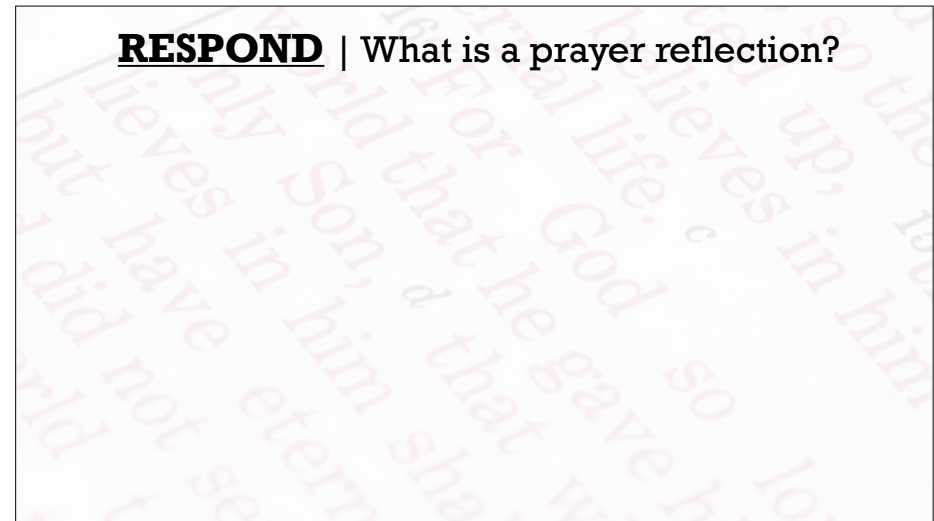
52

Apply | What is God saying to you?

1. The Holy Spirit meets us in our wilderness.
2. Know and speak His Word when we are tempted.
3. Fight spiritual darkness with submission to God.

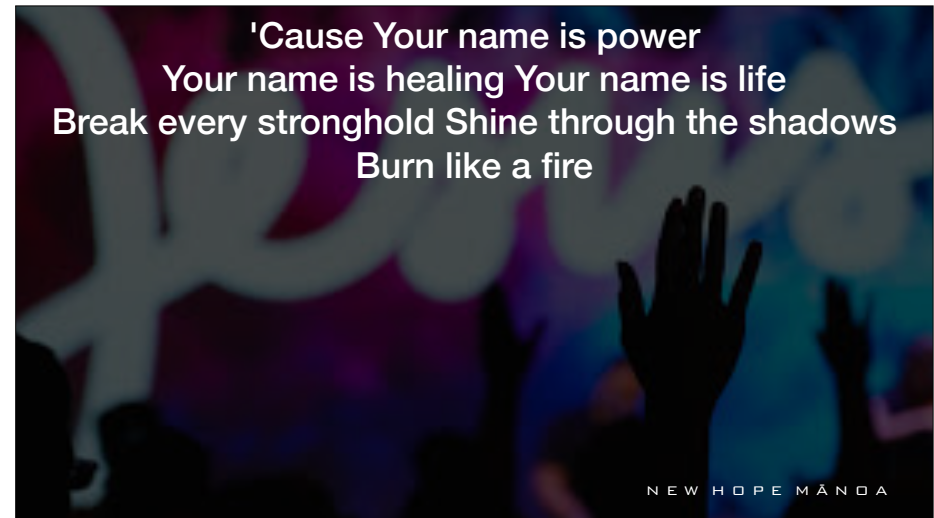
53

RESPOND | What is a prayer reflection?



54

Shout Jesus from the mountains Jesus in the streets
Jesus in the darkness over every enemy
Jesus for my family I speak the holy name
Jesus



'Cause Your name is power
Your name is healing Your name is life
Break every stronghold Shine through the shadows
Burn like a fire

NEW HOPE MANDA

NEW HOPE MANDA

55

56