



**BIBLE**  
HOMEWORK

## 2. Answers

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*These are the answers that relate to Lesson No. 2: (Jesus Said, Matt4:1-11)*

1. Satan believed that the Wilderness would be a good place to tempt Jesus because with the lack of food and water, Jesus would be worn down as he continued his fast. People need water and food to survive, so his energy levels would be low, and he could have said yes being in a 'weakened condition. In **Matt. 4:2** - After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry.
2. God is the only one who has all the authority in the Universe. All things come from Him. This means that whatever Satan promised him, would have been a lie.
3. The offer was not Satan's to make. All things come from God. In **Matt. 4:10** - Jesus said to him, **"Away from me, Satan! For it is written: 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.'"**
4. Jesus commanded Satan to leave him because he had faith in God. In **Matt. 4:10** - Jesus said to him, **"Away from me, Satan! For it is written: 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.'"**
5. If Jesus had given in to Satan, Satan would have claimed Lordship and Dominion over him. Satan was under the impression that it was Satan himself who was Master of the Universe. But Jesus stood firm with God.
6. Jesus is confirming in **Matt. 4:7** that God would come down to protect him, for what father would not protect his son. But Jesus also tells Satan that you should not put the Father to the test. He is doing God's will, not his own.