

First temptation for Jesus

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Turn Stone in to bread

Matthew 4:3-4

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³ Now when the tempter came to Him, he said, "If You are the Son of God, **command that these stones become bread.**"

⁴ But He answered and said, "It is written, 'Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every **word** that proceeds from the mouth of God.'"

Turn stone in to bread, implies

I believe,

- **Stone** : Ten Commandments written on stone
- **Bread** : Life
- In other words, satan asked Jesus to get Life from the Ten Commandments and its not possible.
- We can't get Life from Ten Commandments
- Ten Commandments only brings death
- Ten Commandments is called the Ministry of Death

Reference of Jesus reply

Deuteronomy 8:3

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³ So He humbled you, allowed you to hunger, and fed you with manna which you did not know nor did your fathers know, that He might make you know that man shall not live by bread alone; but man lives by every **word** that proceeds from the mouth of the Lord.

What word?

Matthew 3:17

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¹⁷ And suddenly a voice *came* from heaven, saying, “**This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.**”