

Script

But wait a minute! If God is good and everything he created is good, why are we born with sin, separated from God? Well, it wasn't always this way.

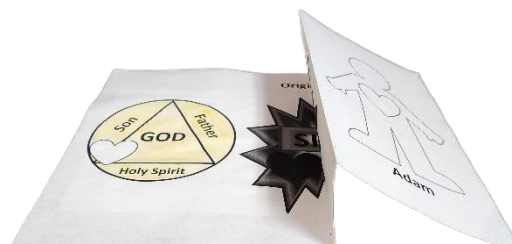
This is Adam, he's the first person God created on Earth. He and the first woman God created were perfect. From the very beginning, God loved his creation. He loved Adam and Eve. You cannot force someone to love you; love is given by choice. So, God gave Adam and Eve a choice to obey Him or reject Him.

Even though God warned Adam that the consequence of disobeying would be death, he chose to disobey.

When he disobeyed, sin entered this world and the human race. Sin separates us from our Creator.

Romans 5:12

Therefore, just as through one man sin entered into the world, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men, because all sinned—



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Instructions for using visual aid: Original Sin

1. Print the file "Foldable-Adam-OriginalSin-Printable-English.pdf" on a legal-size paper (8.5"x14")
2. Print the file "2-ENGLISH-BRIEF-SCRIPT-Foldable-BACK-Adam-OriginalSin-Printable.pdf" on a letter-size paper (8.5"x11")
3. Using the hash marks as a guide, fold the paper so that the outline of the person is close to the circle representing God. Make sure no part of the sin visual is visible when folded.
4. Color the circle of God yellow with a colored pencil or crayon but do not color the heart that is on God. Leave the heart white (righteous).
5. Cut the Script out of this sheet and glue on the back of the "Original Sin" visual (behind the symbol of God)
6. Cut out dark heart from this sheet
7. Use either a small Velcro dot or sticky tack on the back of the dark heart and on the dark heart of sin and on the person. If using sticky tack, put a small square of clear tape on each surface first to prevent the paper from tearing when pulling the heart on and off.

Teaching "Original Sin"

1. Start with the dark heart on the sin visual, hidden from view, with the man, Adam, close to God. Begin reading the script.
2. When you get to the part in the script where it says "sin entered this world...", open the paper to reveal that sin now separates man from God. Move the dark heart from the sin visual onto the man's heart.