

A clay sculpture of a young child with a monkey-like face, resting their chin on their hands. The sculpture is the central focus of the image, set against a blurred background of a similar material. The child's eyes are closed, and their expression is serene. The hands are positioned under the chin, supporting the head. The overall tone is warm and earthy, matching the reddish-brown color of the clay.

C. S. Lewis.

The Screwtape Letters

"Apparently this Oxford don and Cambridge professor is going to be around for a long time; he calls himself a dinosaur but he seems to speak to people where they are."

—*The Washington Post Book World*

The Screwtape Letters

Week 1

Chapter 1—*Our Three Enemies*

Read: Chapters 2—6 | Galatians 5

Memorize: Luke 10:19

Week 2

Finding Your Favorite Sin

Read: Chapters 7—11 | Romans 8

Memorize: I Corinthians 10:13

Week 3

The Armor of God

Read: Chapters 12—17 | Ephesians 6

Memorize: Ephesians 6:10–11

Week 4

Overcoming Satan

Read: Chapters 18—23 | Matthew 4

Memorize: Revelation 12:11

Week 5

Simple Obedience

Read: Chapters 24—31 | John 15

Memorize: John 15:5

Week 6

Seeing It Right

Read: Chapters 24—31 | Proverbs 2

Memorize: II Peter 1:3

Finding Your Favorite Sin

“Therefore, to him who knows to do good and does not do it, to him it is sin.” - James 4:17

REVIEW—Our Three Enemies

- **FLESH**—ME | Self Control/Submission
- **WORLD**—YOU | Influence
- **DEVIL**—HIM | Deception

SUBMISSION—Draw Here

SIN—Ephesians 2:1—3 | Psalm 51:5

- We are sinners by **NATURE**.
- We are sinners by **CHOICE**.



Three Kinds of Sin—I John 2:15—17

- Lust of the **FLESH**.
- Lust of the **EYES**.
- **PRIDE** of Life

LUST OF THE FLESH

- **NEEDS** out of control | Sins of **APPETITE** & **ACTION**
- **EXAMPLES:** Gluttony, Sexual Immorality, Sloth, Busyness, Addiction, Drunkenness

LUST OF THE EYES

- **WANTS** out of control | Sins of **DESIRE** & **IMAGINATION**
- **EXAMPLES:** Envy, Greed, Gossip, Lust/Pornography, Wrath

PRIDE OF LIFE

- **SELF CONFIDENCE** out of control | Sins of **HUBRIS** & **REBELLION**
- **EXAMPLES:** Vanity, Pride, Rebellion, Selfish Ambition, Sorcery/Idolatry, Heresies



YOU DECIDE

Galatians 5:19—21 Romans 1:29

- Adultery
- Fornication
- Uncleaness
- Lewdness
- Idolatry
- Sorcery
- Hatred
- Contentions
- Jealousies
- Outbursts of wrath
- Selfish ambitions
- Dissensions
- Heresies
- Envy
- Murder
- Drunkenness
- Revelries
- Sexual Immorality
- Wickedness
- Covetousness
- Maliciousness
- Envy
- Murder
- Strife
- Deceit
- Evil-mindedness
- Whisperers
- Backbiters
- Haters of God
- Violent
- Proud
- Boasters
- Inventors of evil things
- Disobedient to parents
- Undiscerning
- Unloving
- Unforgiving
- Unmerciful

Proverbs 6:16

- A proud look
- Lying Tongue
- Hands that shed innocent blood
- A heart that devises wicked plans
- Feet that are swift in running to evil
- A false witness who speaks lies
- And one who sows discord among brethren.

7 Deadly Sins

- Lust
- Gluttony
- Greed
- Sloth
- Wrath
- Envy
- Pride

HOW TO DEFEND | Matthew 4:1—11

LUST OF THE FLESH

- The **WORD** of God.



- Challenges God's **PROVISION**.
- Perspective—Seeing **THINGS** God's way.

LUST OF THE EYES

- The **WORD** of God.
- Challenges God's **PROTECTION**.
- Perspective—Seeing **CIRCUMSTANCES** God's way.

PRIDE OF LIFE

- The **WORD** of God.
- Challenges God's **POSITION**.
- Perspective—Seeing **MYSELF** God's way.

Four Prayers

- Father, fill me with Your Spirit and the fruits of Your Spirit.
- Father, protect me from sin, temptation and harm. Take away my appetite for sin.
- Father, provide for me and my family and let me always be grateful for Your provision.
- Father, let me see things, circumstances and myself the way You see them.

FOR NEXT WEEK

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Memorize: I Corinthians 10:13

