

1 cor 10:13  
"Greatest Promise"  
~~"Surrender"~~

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## 1. Introduction

- a. "I am crucified with Christ"
  - daily funeral
- b. Greatest promise after temptation
  - fishing: bait the hook to tempt & entice fish to bite the hook
- c. Temptation is not sin
  - everyone faces temptation
  - Satan tempted Jesus in wilderness
- d. Sin is when person falls for temptation, takes it, influenced/persuaded by it
- e. God's promise
  - God is faithful
  - \* Lat semper fidelis - always faithful
  - God knows your ability to resist temptation
  - God does not permit overwhelming temptation
  - God also gives Christian escape hatch
- f. Example of Lot who fell into sin
  - Gen 13:5-6, 10-12 Lot chooses plains of Jordan
  - Gen 13:13 Sodom giant sinful city
  - Gen 19:1-2 Lot meets 2 strangers at city gates of Sodom
  - Gen 19:9 Opinion of city men about Lot
  - Gen 19:12-13 Two angels to rescue Lot
  - Gen 19:14 Lot tries to rescue his family
  - Gen 19:16 Angels rescue Lot's family
  - Gen 19:33, 35-38 Lot commits incest
  - 2 Pet. 2:6-9 Lot called righteous man

## 2. Temptation is Common

### 3. God is faithful

- A. Because God does not allow temptation too great
  - B. Because God makes way of escape
- ### 4. Christian can endure trial of temptation
- A. Satan desire wrong response from Christian
  - B. God's has different reason for Christian to endure temptation

- c. Satan: satisfy your flesh  
God: strengthen faith
- d. Satan: failure & doubt God  
God: Walk closer to God, stronger Christian
- e. Satan: Christian failure  
God: Christian trusts God
- f. Satan: human false pride  
God: Christian patience & humility