

Gravity Hurts

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prov 1:7, 20-33 (intro)

1. The proud one distorted the Word and found that gravity hurts

Gen. 3:14 The LORD God said to the serpent, "Because you have done this, **cursed are you** above all livestock and above all beasts of the field; on your belly you shall go, and **dust** you shall eat all the **days of your life**."

cursed are you (*arur vs arum/crafty and arom/naked*)

Gen 3:1, 4 (*distorted the Word in pride*)

dust

*ps 44:23-25; 72:9; micah 7:16-17 (implication-
(dishonored by all))*

days of your life

Gen 3:4 (*gravity hurts*)

2. The adversary denounced the Word and found that gravity hurts

Gen. 3:15 I will put **enmity** between you and the woman, and between **your offspring** and **her offspring**; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel."

enmity

Gen 3:4-5 (*denounced Word as an adversary*)

your offspring

Jn 8:31-47 (*denounced the Word as adversaries*)

her offspring

Heb 2:14-18 (*gravity hurts*)

1 Tim 2:12-15

(defeated by his prey)

3. The mother disregarded the Word and found that gravity hurts

Gen. 3:16a To the **woman** he said, "I will surely multiply your pain in **childbearing**; in pain you shall bring forth children.

mother

Gen 3:2-3 (*disregarded Word*)

Gen 1:28 (*as a mother*)

childbearing

Gen 3:7, 20-21 (*she would be like god as a
mother of all sinners*)

*(gravity hurts -every morning sickness, every painful
contraction is a reminder)*

4. The wife demeaned the Word and found that gravity hurts

Gen. 3:16b Your desire shall be contrary to your **husband**, but he shall **rule** (*mashal - dominate*) over you."

husband

Gen 2:18 (*demeaned Word as a wife*)

rule

Gen 3:6 (*she would not be led - implication*)

*(marriage is battle - every conflict, every power
struggle, every failed marriage, every beaten wife,
betrayed spouse every feminist is a reminder)*

5. The steward delegated the Word and found that gravity hurts

Gen. 3:17a And to Adam he said, "Because you have listened to the voice of your wife and have **eaten** of the tree of which I commanded you, 'You shall not **eat** of it,' **cursed is the ground** because of you; in pain you shall **eat** of it all the days of your life;

Gen. 3:18 thorns and thistles it shall bring forth for you; and you shall **eat** the plants of the field.

Gen. 3:19a By the sweat of your face you shall **eat** bread,

eat

Gen. 3:6 (*delegated Word*)

Gen. 2:15-25 (*as a steward*)

cursed is the ground

Rom 8:20-22 (*ground is cursed - implication*)

*(steward of decay - every mosquito bite, every tic,
every dead tree, every draught, every flood, every
famine is a reminder)*

6. The image bearer disobeyed the Word and found that gravity hurts

Gen 3:19b till you return to the ground, for out of it you were taken; for you are **dust**, and to dust you shall **return**."

dust

Gen 1:26-27 (*disobeyed the Word as an image*)

return

Gen 2:5-7 (*not more than dust -implication*)

*(stated to be dust at death- every death every
disease, every short life, every suicide, every
depression is a reminder)*

7. It hurts the more you weigh

Lk 12:40-48

Col 3:16-22

ps 19:7-11

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Problem:

gravity hurts -fall video

prov 1:7, 20-33 (you cant denounce gravity, you cant disregard it nor can you disobey it without paying the price)

we have something more sure than gravity - God's Word - it is the foundation of gravity (God said and it was so) and when we ignore it we learn that gravity hurts

Main Idea:

The proud one distorted the Word - and found that gravity hurts

The adversary denounced the Word - and found that gravity hurts

The mother disregarded the Word - and found that gravity hurts

The wife demeaned the Word - and found that gravity hurts

The steward delegated the Word - and found that gravity hurts

The image bearer disobeyed the Word - and found that gravity hurts

Implication: It hurts the more you weigh

gravity hurts even more - when you denounce, disregard, and disobey the Word from a place of responsibility

Lk 12:40-48 - to much is given much is required as a servant of Christ

(2 tim 4:1-5 - as a preacher)

(James 3:1- as a teacher)

(Matt 28:19-20 - as a disciple-maker)

(gen 16:1-12 as a father of nations - twin towers fell - no peace in the middle east)

(2 Sam 12:7-12 as a famous king blessed with everything)

(2 Sam 24:1,10-15 as the leader God's theocratic army)

Application:

col 3:16-22 - we need the Word in our life (17), we need it in our marriage (18-19), we need it in our obedience (20), we need it in our parenting (21), we need it as employees (22-25), and we need it as employers (4:1)

psalm 19:7-11 - we need the Word

do not distort it (7a)

do not denounce it (7b)

do not disregard it (8)

do not demean it (9)

do not delegate it (10)

do not disobey it (11)

Articles for further study:

<https://www.gotquestions.org/consequences-of-sin.html>

<https://www.gotquestions.org/applying-the-Bible.html>