

tests to make sure of just what we can do. Jesus was now to begin his wonderful work, but first he went away alone into the mountains where some very great tests came to him. For forty days he had nothing at all to eat, and then when he was tired and hungry the temptations came to him.

But Jesus refused to do anything that was not exactly right. Jesus' mind was full of precious verses from the Bible which he had learned, and now he said them and they helped him to be strong.

At the end of the forty days the angels came and took care of him.

Every day that we live, we shall be tempted in some way to do something that we ought not to do. Perhaps we shall want, oh, so much, to know how to do an example, and if we just look at the paper on the next desk we shall see how it has been worked, but we are going to have Jesus' kind of bravery in our hearts, and not look. When the teacher goes out of the room we are going to be even better than when she can see us. Then we shall please our heavenly Father who said:

THE GOLDEN TEXT

"This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased."

—Matthew 3: 17.

