

A script from



## “Adam and Eve Explained”

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- What** Gary and Grady explain that the story of Adam and Eve is about remaking our hearts to be like God's. Not so much about the perils of fruit.  
**Themes:** Sin, Forgiveness, Grace, Mercy, Obedience
- Who** Gary  
Grady
- When** Present
- Wear (Props)** No props are needed.  
Grady is the "not-so-bright" one, so he can wear a baseball cap and more casual clothes.  
Gary is dressed a little more nice or smartly.
- Why** Genesis 2:4-3:24, Romans 6:23
- How** Gary and Grady is written for a comedy duo (think Ocean Spray® guys commercial or Smothers Brothers), so actors need to have a great sense of comic timing. It would also be a great idea to have some music playing in the background- just something light and bouncy to enhance the dialogue.
- Time** Approximately 4 minutes

**Gary and Grady** address the audience.

**Gary:** Hi, I'm Gary.

**Grady:** ...and I'm Grady.

**Gary:** And we're here to talk to you about Adam and Eve.

**Grady:** *(Clarifying)* From the Garden of Eden.

**Gary:** What?

**Grady:** You should always be specific. Let the people know who you are referring to.

**Gary:** You think people weren't sure who I was referring to?

**Grady:** Maybe they were like, "Which Adam and Eve? The Adam and Eve down the street with the two Pomeranians that they dress up like Abbott and Costello every Halloween?"

**Gary:** That was amazingly specific.

**Grady:** Or maybe people were sitting there thinking, "What garden? The Olive Garden? Busch Gardens..."

**Gary:** *(Sarcastically)* What would I do without you?

**Grady:** Be super confusing obviously.

**Gary:** Anyways, Adam and Eve...

**Grady:** *(Clarifying)* From the Garden of Eden

**Gary:** Yes, Adam and Eve from the Garden of Eden. They are such an infamous couple aren't they? A testament to how easily we can fall into sin, a symbol of the impact of consequences...

**Grady:** ...and the most obvious example of the dangers of fruit.

**Gary:** Sorry. Did you say fruit?

**Grady:** That's right. If ever there was an example of why you should avoid fruit at all costs, it was them.

**Gary:** That's not really true. It wasn't so much...

**Grady:** You take one bite of apple and boom, humanity is cursed. You've got to wear itchy sweaters, then there are these pants that make you chafe. Men have to work all their lives and women have to birth babies and it hurts. All because of a simple piece of fruit-eating.

**Gary:** It wasn't the fruit so much as the...

**Grady:** Which is why I've been apple free since 93.

**Gary:** Apple free since 93?

**Grady:** That's right.

**Gary:** I know this is dangerous, but what happened in 1993?

**Grady:** Food fight. Someone hit me in the face with apple sauce and a little got into my mouth. *(Mimes the impact of the apple sauce splattering on Gary's not-thrilled face.)*

**Gary:** I don't want to besmirch the point of your apple-freeness, but I don't think we can definitely say that it was an apple.

**Grady:** The apple is just the fruit I make my stand against.

**Gary:** Understood. But still, you know it's not about the fruit, right?

**Grady:** What are you talking about?

**Gary:** It wasn't that they just ate fruit. It was the disobedience. It was that God forbid Adam and Eve from doing something and they did it anyway.

**Grady:** *(Gets out Bible)* Are you sure? I feel like I distinctly remember a verse saying something like, "And God said unto them, "Y'all fruit is super disgusting and squishy-looking. Do not eat it or we will not be friends. Also, go name the animals or something."

**Gary:** While he checks into that, let's talk. It's easy to get fixated on sin, isn't it? You can lose yourself in the details and soon you aren't so concerned with the heart of the issue, which is disobedience. You can follow or not follow every single rule, but it's not about the rules to Him. It's about our hearts. God craves obedient hearts and He's eager to extend grace when we need it. But more than anything, we should strive to constantly be remaking our hearts to be like His.

**Gary:** *(To Gary)* Did you find it?

**Grady:** No. I'm too distracted. All this garden talk has made it hard for me to concentrate because I'm starving for garden food.

**Gary:** Like fruit? Grady, I'm so proud of you for...

**Grady:** No, breadsticks. Obviously.

**Gary:** I still don't think you know how gardens work.

*Lights out.*

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