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**Ministry of Angels**

**FOR YOU:** We will deeply understand everything in this mystical, supernatural, invisible, but real world, which is referred to as the ministry of angels. As we do not walk by sight, but by faith, we show God's people the truth about the existence of angels.

**There Are Three Types of Angels:****#1. Fallen Angels**

- These are demons and their desire is to take possession of nonbelievers.  
(Revelation 12:4-9; Jude 6)
- Angels with physical bodies. (Job 38:4-7)
- What has happened to our angelical body?

Some other verses as reference:

Job 10:11-12

Hebrews 13:2

Acts 6:10-15

1 Timothy 5:21

- We are children of God and children of the resurrection. (Luke 20:27-36)
- God has made a plan for us since before the Foundation of the world. (Jeremiah 1:5; Psalms 139:16)

**#2. The pastors of churches are called angels by God**

- To the Church in Ephesus. (Revelation 2:1)
- To the Church in Smyrna. (Revelation 2:8)
- To the Church in Pergamum. (Revelation 2:12)

### **#3. Angels who manifest themselves as angelic spiritual beings, having no physical body (angels of God)**

- “Are not all angels ministering spirits sent to serve those who will inherit salvation?” (Hebrews 1:14)
- The word angel has Latin origin *angelus*, Greek *angelos*, and Hebrew *mal'ak*. The Hebrews conceived things in a concrete and tangible way. They had no idea of mind, as we have. In any of the three languages the meaning is the same: messenger sent, designated intermediary, etc.
- Angels obey an established and determined hierarchy. Within this hierarchy, they are distributed in defined functional categories, where each angel, or each group of angels, or each host of angels, fulfills its specific function. While the angels perform their duties, they are praising, blessing, cheering, honoring and glorifying the Lord. There is therefore, no interruption in the praise and worship of God.
- Angels are living creatures. (Ezekiel 1:5; Revelation 4:6)
- The angels were created by God as an army and were all created at once. (Psalms 33:6; 12:22; Daniel 7:10; Revelation 5:11; Jude 14)
- Angels attended the creation. (Job 38:7)
- Angels are creatures that have natural knowledge (2 Samuel 14:20; 1 Peter 1:12)
- Angels are immortal creatures. (Luke 20:36; Mathews 22:30)
- Angels are the manifestation of God's power. (Isaiah 37:26; Matthew 28:2)

Notes: At any time, angels can contact man, but in a different way as God does. Angels don't have omniscience, omnipotence or omnipresence; assignments that exist only through

God.

## **The Angelic Hierarchy Would be as Follows:**

### **Archangels**

Angels who are constantly in the presence of God. They are in sight of the Lord forever.

Archangels known: Gabriel and Michael.

- Gabriel is a good news messenger, announcer of God's mercy and interpreter of divine revelations. (Daniel 8:16; Daniel 9:21; Luke 1: 19-20; Luke 1:26)
- Michael is the authority angel. (1 Daniel 10:13; 9 Jude; Revelation 12:7-12)
- “And I heard a man’s voice from the Ulai calling, “Gabriel, tell this man the meaning of the vision.” (Daniel 8:16)
- “While I was still in prayer, Gabriel, the man I had seen in the earlier vision, came to me in swift flight about the time of the evening sacrifice.” (Daniel 9:21)
- “The angel said to him, “I am Gabriel. I stand in the presence of God, and I have been sent to speak to you and to tell you this good news. <sup>20</sup> And now you will be silent and not able to speak until the day this happens, because you did not believe my words, which will come true at their appointed time.” (Luke 1:19-20)
- “In the sixth month of Elizabeth’s pregnancy, God sent the angel Gabriel to Nazareth, a town in Galilee” (Luke 1:26)
- “At that time Michael, the great prince who protects your people, will arise. There will be a time of distress such as has not happened from the beginning of nations until then. But at that time your people—everyone whose name is found written in the book—will be delivered. (Daniel 12:1)
- “But the prince of the Persian kingdom resisted me twenty-one days. Then Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, because I was detained there with the king of Persia. (Daniel 10:13)

- “But even the archangel Michael, when he was disputing with the devil about the body of Moses, did not himself dare to condemn him for slander but said, “The Lord rebuke you!” (Jude 9)
- “Then war broke out in heaven. Michael and his angels fought against the dragon, and the dragon and his angels fought back. <sup>8</sup> But he was not strong enough, and they lost their place in heaven. <sup>9</sup> The great dragon was hurled down — that ancient serpent called the devil, or Satan, who leads the whole world astray. He was hurled to the earth, and his angels with him. <sup>10</sup> Then I heard a loud voice in heaven say: “Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God, and the authority of his Messiah. For the accuser of our brothers and sisters, who accuses them before our God day and night, has been hurled down. <sup>11</sup> They triumphed over him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony; they did not love their lives so much as to shrink from death. <sup>12</sup> Therefore rejoice, you heavens and you who dwell in them! But woe to the earth and the sea, because the devil has gone down to you! He is filled with fury, because he knows that his time is short.” (Revelation 12:7-12)

### **Seraphim**

- “Above him were seraphim, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. <sup>3</sup> And they were calling to one another: “Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.” <sup>4</sup> At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke. <sup>5</sup> “Woe to me!” I cried. “I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty.” <sup>6</sup> Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. (Isaiah 6:2-6)

### **Cherubim**

— “After he drove the man out, he placed on the east side<sup>[a]</sup> of the Garden of Eden cherubim and a flaming sword flashing back and forth to guard the way to the tree of life. (Genesis 3:24)

— “LORD Almighty, the God of Israel, enthroned between the cherubim, you alone are God over all the kingdoms of the earth. You have made heaven and earth. (Isaiah 37:16)

“He mounted the cherubim and flew; he soared on the wings of the wind.” (Psalm 18:10)

### **Holy Angels**

— “A third angel followed them and said in a loud voice: “If anyone worships the beast and its image and receives its mark on their forehead or on their hand,<sup>10</sup> they, too, will drink the wine of God’s fury, which has been poured full strength into the cup of his wrath. They will be tormented with burning sulfur in the presence of the holy angels and of the Lamb. (Revelation 14:9-10)

### **Angels Who Are Rulers**

— “For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him. (Colossians 1:16)

— “Far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come. (Colossians 1:16)

### **Angels Who Are Messengers**

#### **Messengers of the judgment**

- “The two angels arrived at Sodom in the evening, and Lot was sitting in the gateway of the city. When he saw them, he got up to meet them and bowed down with his face to the ground.” (Genesis 19:1)
- “The two men said to Lot, “Do you have anyone else here—sons-in-law, sons or daughters, or anyone else in the city who belongs to you? Get them out of here, <sup>13</sup> because we are going to destroy this place. The outcry to the LORD against its people is so great that he has sent us to destroy it.” (Genesis 19:12-13)
- “That night the angel of the LORD went out and put to death a hundred and eighty-five thousand in the Assyrian camp. When the people got up the next morning—there were all the dead bodies!” (2 Kings 19:35)
- “He unleashed against them his hot anger, his wrath, indignation and hostility a band of destroying angels.” (Psalm 78:49)

### **Angels in charge of monitoring**

- “In the visions I saw while lying in bed, I looked, and there before me was a holy one, a messenger, coming down from heaven. (Daniel 4:13)
- “Your Majesty saw a holy one, a messenger, coming down from heaven and saying, ‘Cut down the tree and destroy it, but leave the stump, bound with iron and bronze, in the grass of the field, while its roots remain in the ground. Let him be drenched with the dew of heaven; let him live with the wild animals, until seven times pass by for him.” (Daniel 4:23)

### **Angels of the Abyss**

- “They had as king over them the angel of the Abyss, whose name in Hebrews Abaddon and in Greek is Apollyon (that is, Destroyer). (Revelation 9:11)

### **Angels who are in charge of the fire**

- “Still another angel, who had charge of the fire, came from the altar and called in a loud voice to him who had the sharp sickle, “Take your sharp sickle and gather the clusters of grapes from the earth’s vine, because its grapes are ripe.” (Revelation 14:18)

### **Angels who are in charge of the water**

- “Then I heard the angel in charge of the waters say: ‘You are just in these judgments, O Holy One, you who are and who were.’” (Revelation 16:5)

### **Some Duties of the Angels**

#### **Rejoice in the works of God**

- “In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.” (Luke 15:10)
- “while the morning stars sang together and all the angels<sup>[a]</sup> shouted for joy?” (Job 38:7)

#### **Carry out God's will**

- “When the angel stretched out his hand to destroy Jerusalem, the LORD relented concerning the disaster and said to the angel who was afflicting the people, “Enough! Withdraw your hand.” The angel of the LORD was then at the threshing floor of Araunah the Jebusite. (2 Samuel 24:16)

#### **Angels are messengers of God to men**

— “But the angel of the LORD called out to him from heaven, ‘Abraham! Abraham!’  
‘Here I am,’ he replied.” (Genesis 22:11)

— “He waited seven more days and sent the dove out again, but this time it did  
not return to him.” (Genesis 8:12)

“They were looking intently up into the sky as he was going, when suddenly two men  
dressed in white stood beside them. (Acts 1:10)

### **Angels protect the faithful ones**

— “Then he lay down under the bush and fell asleep. All at once an angel touched  
him and said, ‘Get up and eat.’” (1 Kings 19:5)

— “The angel of the LORD came back a second time and touched him and said,  
“Get up and eat, for the journey is too much for you.” (1 Kings 19:7)

— “My God sent his angel, and he shut the mouths of the lions. They have not hurt  
me, because I was found innocent in his sight. Nor have I ever done any wrong  
before you, Your Majesty.” (Daniel 6:22)

— “Fill my heart with joy when their grain and new wine abound.” (Psalm 4:7)

### **Angels assist in death**

— “The time came when the beggar died and the angels carried him to Abraham’s  
side. The rich man also died and was buried.” (Psalm 4:7)

### **Angels perform physical actions**

— “There was a violent earthquake, for an angel of the Lord came down from  
heaven and, going to the tomb, rolled back the stone and sat on it.” (Matthew  
28:2)

### **Angels conduct psychological actions**



- “An angel from heaven appeared to him and strengthened him.” (Luke 22:43)
- Angels will come with Christ in His second coming. (Matthew 25:31)
- When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, he will sit on his glorious throne. (Luke 22:43)

### **Angels Are Organized in Accordance with Angelic Armies and Crowds**

- “Micaiah continued, “Therefore hear the word of the LORD: I saw the LORD sitting on his throne with all the multitudes of heaven standing around him on his right and on his left. (1 Kings 22:19)
- “And Elisha prayed, “Open his eyes, LORD, so that he may see.” Then the LORD opened the servant’s eyes, and he looked and saw the hills full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha. ( 2 Kings 6:17)
- “Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying...” (Luke 2:13)
- “The chariots of God are tens of thousands and thousands of thousands; the Lord has come from Sinai into his sanctuary.” (Psalm 68:17)

### **The Evil Angels (fallen) Will Never Be Restored**

“When he arrived at the other side in the region of the Gadarenes, two demon-possessed men coming from the tombs met him. They were so violent that no one could pass that way. <sup>29</sup> “What do you want with us, Son of God?” they shouted. ‘Have you come here to torture us before the appointed time?’ <sup>30</sup> Some distance from them a large herd of pigs was feeding. <sup>31</sup> The demons begged Jesus, ‘If you drive us out, send us into the herd of pigs.’ <sup>32</sup> He said to them, ‘Go!’ So they came out and went into the pigs, and the whole herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and died in the water.” (Matthew 8:28-32)

### **Angels Are Not To Be Worshiped**

- “I, John, am the one who heard and saw these things. And when I had heard and seen them, I fell down to worship at the feet of the angel who had been showing them to me. <sup>9</sup> But he said to me, “Don’t do that! I am a fellow servant with you and with your fellow prophets and with all who keep the words of this scroll. Worship God!” (Revelation 22:8-9)
- The apostle John, for all his evangelical experience, his knowledge by contact he had with Jesus himself called to love the disciple, even so John had some difficulties when he wrote the Apocalypse, about how to deal with the angels. Because he doubts is that when the angel came, the first attitude of this man of spiritual authority, this man who had devoted all his life to the word of God, was an incorrect attitude. When I saw the angel, he was ecstatic, knelt to worship him. For this attitude, we realize that John I knew nothing about the ministry of angels. Angel's attitude was: "See, no do it. " I mean that, biblically, John did not know his spiritual position. He I did not even know who he was, or who was the angel who stood before him. The angel John rebuked saying not me adores me, "Worship God." The angel expressed Your angel standing with the servant John, saying, Arise, you have to worship God. There is important information that angels are not to be worshiped. The only one who is worthy of worship and praise, is the Lord Jesus Christ. In this ministry Church are proclaimed virtues and the unsearchable riches of God. Here, each It is fully aware of who he is, and as it was known.

### **The Angelical Spirits Are the Chosen Ones Fellows**

- “In speaking of the angels he says, ‘He makes his angels spirits, and his servants flames of fire.’” (Hebrews 1:7)
- “ Are not all angels ministering spirits sent to serve those who will inherit salvation?” (Hebrews 1:14)
- They, angelic spirits, are ministers and work on our behalf. They fulfill the will of God for our safety, our security, to our finances, etc. It is imperative that we always have this, from now on, the existence of this ministry of angels, who take

care of our salvation and our help. They are ministering spirits and our servants. Each of us has angels to guard us. Not only spiritual angels, but angels coated meat.

**FINAL WORD** – Do not deny the existence of the ministry of angels. Believe, confess the Word of God and enjoy the benefits of this supernatural ministry.