

# Angels

**Who Are They?**

**What Do They Do?**

**What Do They Look Like?**

# Angels

**Hebrew - mal'ak { mal-awk' }**

**from an unused root meaning to dispatch as a deputy**

**1) messenger, representative**

**Greek - aggelos { ang'-el-os }**

**1) a messenger, envoy, one who is sent, an angel, a messenger from God**

- **Who Could Be An Angel?**
- **The Angel of The LORD**
- **Characteristics of Angels**
- **In What Form Do They Appear?**
- **What Do Angels Do?**
- **What Are Angels Called?**

# Who Could Be An Angel?

- **Spiritual Beings From God & Human Beings**
  - Genesis 32:1-6
  - 1 Kings 19:1-8
  - Mark 1:1-13
  - Luke 7:18-24
  - Luke 9:51-52
  - James 2:25
- **Spiritual Beings From The Devil**
  - Matthew 25:41
  - Revelation 12:9

# The Angel of the LORD

- To Hagar By A Spring On The Way To Shur
  - Genesis 16:7-14
- To Abraham On The Mount of the LORD
  - Genesis 22:9-14
- To Moses In The Burning Bush
  - Exodus 3:1-14
- To Israel In Bochim
  - Judges 2:1-4
- To Manoah and His Wife
  - Judges 13:1-23

The Angel of the LORD couldn't be any person of the Godhead because no one can see God and live ~ Exodus 33:20

But, the apostle John also tells us no one has ever seen God. ~ 1Jn 4:12. Therefore even when one of the godhead does come to us in the body of a man. We haven't seen God.

# Characteristics of Heavenly Angels

- **Spirit Beings**
  - Hebrews 1:7,14
- **Innumerable**
  - Hebrews 12:22
- **Different Orders**
  - Jude 9, Revelation 12:7
- **Stronger than men**
  - 2 Peter 2:11
- **Intelligent**
  - Daniel 9:21-22
- **Their own will**
  - Jude 6

# Characteristics of Heavenly Angels

- **Experience Joy**
  - Luke 15:10
- **Experience Desire**
  - 1 Peter 1:12
- **Do Not Marry**
  - Matthew 22:30
- **Not Omnipresent**
  - Daniel 10:12
- **Not Omnipotent**
  - Daniel 10:13
- **Not Omniscient**
  - Matthew 24:36

# **In What Form Do They Appear?**

- **As Men**
  - Genesis 19:1-8
- **In A Flame of Fire**
  - Exodus 3:2
- **A Man With An Awesome Countenance**
  - Judges 13:6
- **Appearance Sometimes Causes Fear**
  - Luke 1:11-12
- **Glory of Lord Shines Around Them**
  - Luke 2:9

# **In What Form Do They Appear?**

- **In White**
  - John 20:12
- **Seraphim**
  - Isaiah 6:1-6
- **Cherubim**
  - Ezekiel 10:8-22
- **Horses and Chariots of Fire**
  - 2 Kings 6:15-17
- **Like animals and man with wings**
  - Revelation 4:6-8

# What Do Angels Do?

- **Worship God**
  - Hebrews 1:6
- **Observe God's People**
  - 1 Corinthians 4:9
- **Minister to God's People**
  - Hebrews 1:14; Genesis 24:7
- **Watch over God's People**
  - Genesis 19:10-16; Matt 18:10
- **Fight Against the Ungodly**
  - 2 Kings 19:35; Acts 12:23

# What Are Angels Called?

- **Ministers**
  - Hebrews 1:14; Psalm 103:20-21
- **Heavenly Host**
  - Luke 2:13
- **Watchers & Holy Ones**
  - Daniel 4:13,17
- **Man**
  - Daniel 9:21
- **Sons of God**
  - Job 1:6
- **Stars**
  - Revelation 1:20