

Angelic Beings “Angels an Extension of GOD’S Creative Glory”

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN ANGELS AND THE HOLY SPIRIT

All scripture is KJV unless otherwise indicated

Angels are celestial messengers of God. **Angels** are pure spirits without a body and their intellectual operations of understanding and willing depend in no way upon material substance. Angels intercede on behalf of believers. **Guardian Angels** are intelligent spiritual creatures divinely deputed to exercise individual care and protection over men on this earth and assist them in their attainment of eternal salvation!

Holy Spirit is a manifestation of **GOD** and not another agent. The Holy Spirit’s role is to dwell within a believer’s temple as He interacts with humanity. The Holy Spirit is our Comforter, our Guide and he houses all truth.

Some Questions Often Asked or Thought concerning Angels

1. **Are Angels Real?** **YES Colossians 1-16 (NLT)** for through him God created everything in the heavenly realms and on earth. He made the things we can see and the things we can’t see –such as thrones, kingdoms, rulers, and authorities in the unseen world. Everything was created through him for him. **Hebrews 13-2 (NLT)** Don’t forget to show hospitality to strangers, for some who have done this have entertained angels without realizing it!
2. **Are there good and bad angels?** **YES Revelation 12-9 (NLT)** This great dragon—the ancient serpent called the devil, or Satan, the one deceiving the whole world—was thrown down to the earth with all his angels. **(Fallen angels) Jude 1-6 (NLT)** And I remind you of the angels who did not stay within the limits of authority God gave them but left the place where they belonged. God has kept them securely chained in prisons of darkness, waiting for the great day of judgement. **(Satan and one third of the angels were kicked out of heaven and remain angels of darkness until judgement day)**
3. **Do angels work only for God?** **YES (True Angelic Angels) Psalm 103-20,21 (NLT) 20.** Praise the Lord, you angels, you mighty ones who carry out his plans, listening for each of his commands. 21. Yes praise the Lord, you armies of angels who serve him and do his will.

4. Do humans have angels assigned to them? **YES Hebrews 1-14 (NLT)** Therefore, angels are only servants- spirits sent to care for people who will inherit salvation. **Acts 8-26** And the angel of the Lord spake unto Philip, saying, Arise, and go toward the south unto the way that goeth down from Jerusalem unto Gaza, which is desert.
5. How long have Angels existed? **Psalm 148-2-5 (NLT)** Praise him, all his angels! Praise him, all the armies of heaven! Praise him, sun and moon! Praise him, all you twinkling stars, Praise him, skies above! Praise him, vapors high above the clouds! Let every created thing give praise to the Lord, for he issued his command, and they came into being.
6. What's the purpose of angels? **Psalm 34-7 (NLT)** For the angel of the Lord is a guard; he surrounds and defends all who fear him. **Hebrew 1-7 (NLT)** Regarding the angels, he says, "He sends his angels like flames of fire. "
7. How often do angels worship God? **Revelation 5-11-12 (NLT)** 11. Then I looked again, and I heard the voices of thousands and millions of angels around the throne and of the living beings and the elders. 12. And they sang in a mighty chorus: "Worthy is the Lamb who was slaughtered-to receive power and riches and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and blessing." **Revelation 7-11-12 (NLT)** 11. And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living beings. And they fell before the throne with their faces to the ground and worshiped God. 12. They sang, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and strength belong to our God forever and ever! Amen.
8. As humans, do we need angels? **YES Psalm 91-11-12 (NLT)** 11. For he will order his angels to protect you wherever you go. 12. They will hold you up with their hands so you won't even hurt your foot on a stone. **Psalm 34-7** The angel of the LORD encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.
9. Do angels wait for us to command them as to what they should do? **Luke 22-43 (NLT)** Then an angel from heaven appeared and strengthened him. **Exodus 23-20 (NLT)** Behold, I send an Angel before thee, to keep in the way, and to bring thee into the place which I have prepared.
10. Can angels procreate? **NO *Angels are spirits and not in human bodies making sexual interaction unavailable for them. Angels are asexual creatures, meaning they have no desire for sexual interaction of any type.*** **Matthew 22-30 (NLT)** For when the dead rise, they will neither marry nor be given in marriage. In this respect they will be like the angels in heaven. **Hebrews 1-7** And of the angels he saith, Who maketh his angels spirits, and his ministers a flame of fire.
11. Are angels equal with Jesus? **NO Hebrews 1-3-5 (NLT)** 3. The son radiates God's own glory and expresses the very character of God, and he sustains everything by the mighty power of his command. When he had cleansed us from our sins, he sat down in the place of honor at the right hand of the majestic God in heaven. 4. This shows that the Son is far greater than the angels, just as the name God gave him is greater than their names. 5. For God never said to any angel what he said to Jesus: "You are my Son. Today I have become your Father, and he will be my Son."

12. Are angels perfect? Luke 9-26(NLT) If anyone is ashamed of me and my message, the Son of Man will be ashamed of that person when he returns in his glory and in the glory of the Father and the holy angels. **Angels serve GOD and mankind directly. The angels who are still in heaven would be perfect or they would not be in heaven. The fallen angels are imperfect because they work for our adversary the devil.**

The Different Types of Angels

Ark Angel Michael is God's top angel leading all the angels in heaven. He is also known as Saint Michael. Michael means "Who is like God?" Other spellings of Michael's name include Mikhael, Mikail, and Mikhail. As a reward for his loyalty, he was made the chief angel.

- ***Seraphim*...**the highest-ranking angel spending their time in God's presence praising and worshipping God **(they surround the throne of God singing holy hoy holy)**
- ***Cherubim*...** nearest to the presence of God sitting on the throne and glorifying Him **(they are throne bearers of the Deity)**
- ***Thrones*...**they are known for their wonderful minds and record keeping **(strong intellect finding practical ways to apply it)**
- ***Domination or Lordship*...**considered middle management **(receive orders from the seraphim and cherubim then give duties to the lower working angels)**
- ***Virtues*...**in charge of maintaining the natural world **(inspiring many areas in science they also take orders from angels above converting miracles)**
- ***Powers Of Authority*...**they are border patrol agents between heaven and earth **(they are the angels of birth and death, they also are experts as advisers in religion, theology, and ideology)**
- ***Principalities of Rulers*...**they oversee everything, they guide the entire world nations cities and towns **(they oversee managing the earthly duties of angels below them)**
- ***Archangels*...**they deal with matters concerning all humankind **(they are the first order of angels that appear in human form they function among us as pioneers for change in the form of explores, philosophers, and human rights leaders)**
- ***Angels*...**regular angels guardians of people and all things physical **(most common of the angels sent as messengers to humanity)**

The rank of angels may not necessarily be in chronological order but are basically giving input and insight of their functions in an abbreviated state. Please take the time and research to find a more in-depth description of the complete and total function regarding each group of angels.

The first Sphere of angels see and worship God directly, and they communicate his will to angels who are closer to the life of man.