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CHRISTMAS ANGELS

The Christmas story about the birth of our Lord JESUS CHRIST is resplendent with Most everyone references to ANGELS. connects Christmas with ANGELS.

The purpose of this Bible study is to stimulate the curiosity of every Bible student about ANGELS. I believe that we are loosing many benefits that our GOD really wants us to have because of our lack of knowledge about ANGELS. Christians should now learn to use ANGELS for their own benefit. ANGELS have been created by our GOD for the benefit of Christians who shall be heirs of salvation. Christians should now learn to politely direct the activities of their own ANGELS.

Here are some things about ANGELS that may be new to many Christians.

### ANGELS ARE:

Spirits - Heb. 1:7, Hinistering spirits to them who shall be heirs of salvation - Heb. 1:13-14, Messengers of God - Matt. 1:20, Subject to JESUS - 1 Pet. 3:22, Less excellent than JESUS - Heb. 1:4, Greater in power than the unjust - 2 Pet. 2:9-11, Witnesses to ordination - 1 Tim. 5:21, Neuter in gender - Mark 12:25, An innumerable company. An innumerable company - Heb. 12:22, Not Sons of God - Heb. 1:5, Not rulers of the world to come - Heb. 2:5, Not subject to death - Heb. 2:9, Not to be worshiped - Col. 2:18. Named messenger GABRIEL - Luke 1:19, Named Archangel MICHAEL - Jude 9,

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#### ANGELS DID:

- Appear to Mary Luke 1:28, Appear to the shepherds Luke 2:9,
- Appear in Joseph's dreams to protect the life of JESUS Matt. 1:20, 2:13,
- Strengthen JESUS when he asked for a change in his script Luke 22:43, Not deliver JESUS from the cross (more than 12
- legions were available) -Matt. 26:53,
- Roll back the stone door at the tomb Matt. 28:2, Trouble the water to bring healing John 5:2-4, Open prison doors for the apostles - Acts 5:19. Release Peter from prison - Acts 12:7,
- Tell Philip to talk to the eunuch Acts 8:20,

- Tell Cornelius to send for Peter Acts 10:3, Bring the law Acts 7:53, Ordain the law until JESUS coming Gal. 3:15, Kill Herod Acts 12:23, Carry the O.T. righteous dead to the bosom co-
- Abraham Luke 16:22
- Serve the devil (some not all angels) Matt. 25:4. Sin, and as a result they were cast into hell, chain: \_ and darkness -2 Pet. 2:4, Jude 6,
- Contend for the body of Moses, but the Archange! MICHABL did not bring an accusation against me devil - Jude 9.

ANGELS DO: Stand in the presence of God - Luke 1:19, Worship JESUS - Heb. 1:6, Comprise the heavenly host - Luke 2:13-15,

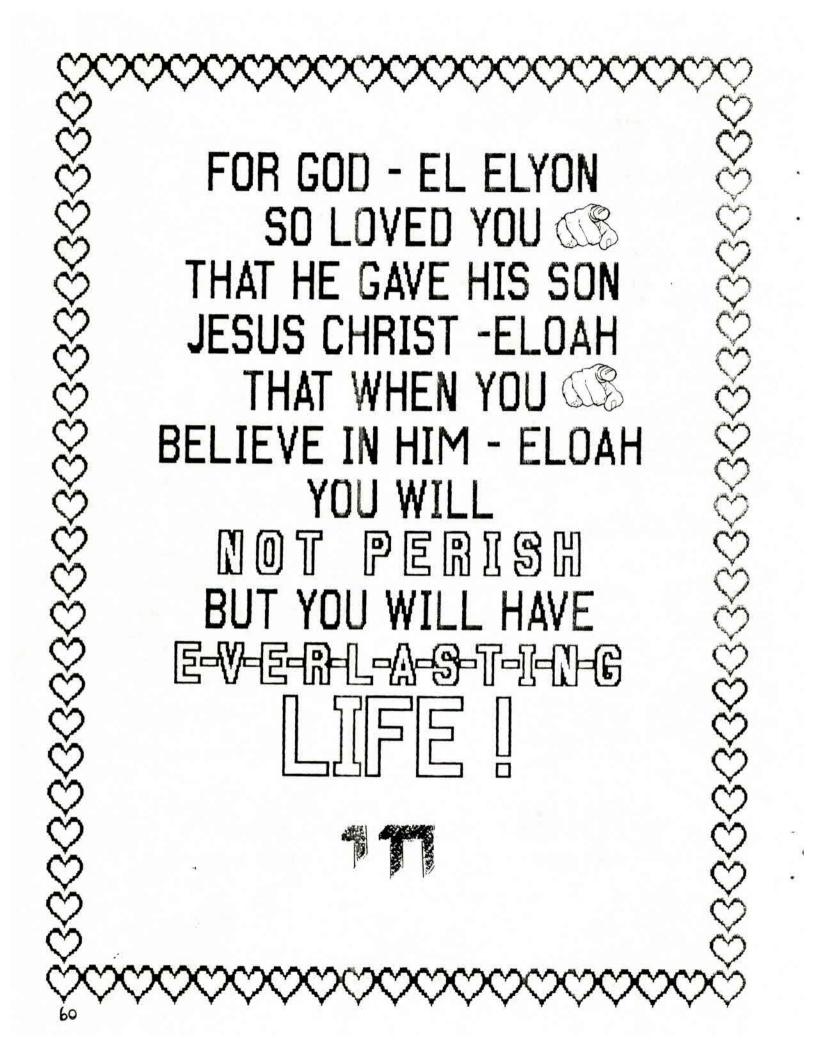
# MERRY CHRISTMAS

May be opened before Christmas.



FROM DAVID AND BETTY





Speak a heavenly language -1 Cor. 13:1, Have much glory - Luke 9:26, Have joy when a sinner repents - Luke 15:10, Reside at Mt. Zion, the city of God, the heavenly Jerusalem - Heb. 12:22, Name children - Luke 2:21, Appear in dreams - Matt. 1:20, Appear after the death of the person to whom they had been ministering - Acts 12:15, Watch the apostles - 1 Cor. 4:4, Desire to look into the gospel - 1 Pet. 1:12, Bring a word that is steadfast - Heb. 2:2, Bring healing - John 5:2-4, Smite people when necessary - Luke 1:19, Kill people - Acts 12:23, Cause fear in those who see them - Luke 2:9, Produce the headship of the man over the woman i Cor. 11:10, Strengthen us to complete our script - Luke 22:43, Tell us to do very hard things that we would not do naturally - Matt. 1:20, 2:13. ANGELS CAN NOT:

Separate us from the love of God - Rom. 8:38-39, Know the day or hour of His coming - Matt. 24:36, Rule over Christians - Heb. 2:7, Rule in the world to come - Heb. 2:5, Suffer death - Heb. 2:9.

ANGELS <u>SHALL (WILL)</u>: Be judged by Christians - 1 Cor. 6:3, Separate the wheat from the tares and burn the tares - Matt. 13:37-43, Gather the elect from the four winds - Matt. 24:31, Accompany the Lord JBSUS from heaven and take vengeance - 2 Thes. 1:7, 1 Thes. 4:16.

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Little children have ANGELS who do always behold the face of our Father in heaven. (Matt. 18:10) The Sadducees do not believe in ANGELS, the Pharisees do. (Acts 23:8) Disobedience to the word of ANGELS resulted in a just recompense of reward. (Heb. 2:2) JESUS did not take upon himself the nature of ANGELS. (Heb. 2:16) JESUS shall confess the Christian before the ANGELS. (Luke 12:8)

### MY TESTIMONY

ANGELS appeared in the sky over Baltimore and told me to teach the lesson on the NAMES OF GOD.

I really do believe that my GOD created ANGBLS whose duty is to minister for us. Here's why. Hebrews 1:14 says, "Are they (the ANGBLS) not all ministering spirits, sent forth to minister for them who shall be heirs of salvation?" I believe that refers to us.

Note that the salvation referred to here is in the <u>future</u> tense. Past tense salvation always refers to the salvation of our SPIRIT that was brought in the past by JESUS CHRIST. Present and present progressive tense of the verb "to be saved" is always in reference to the salvation of our SOUL that is presently being worked on by the Holy Spirit. And references to a future tense salvation (such as the one just quoted - shall be heirs of salvation) are always to the salvation of the physical BODY which will be produced by the glory of the Father.

Now I want to speak very clearly. We are not talking about a Calvinistic justification of the SPIRIT. We are not talking about a Wesleyan Arminian sanctification of the SOUL. The future tense salvation that we are talking about is the glory of our GOD the Father on our physical bodies that will produce The reference to the immortality in us. ministry of ANGELS to Christians is only to the group who shall be (future tense) heirs of salvation. Christians who are seeking glory, honor and immortality (Romans 2:7) should expect help in the form of ministry to them by ANGELS. But Christians who have stopped short with only the salvation of their SPIRIT their SOUL (Calvinism) or (Wesleyan Arminianism ) need to decide to start up again and seek immortality for their bodies. I can not find any Bible references that would indicate that ANGELS minister to Christians who have only been saved in their SPIRIT or who are only trying to save their SOUL. Rather, ANGELS minister to those Christians who are seeking immortality for their BODY, i.e., shall be (future tense) heirs of salvation (of the BODY). Paul expressed the same thought about the coming BODY salvation this way: "We ourselves wait for the redemption of the BODY. For we are saved by hope." (Rom. 8:23-24) Christians who are waiting for the redemption of their BODIES can expect the help of ANGELS, like Paul did.

## TWENTY YEARS AGO

Twenty years ago my wife Betty and I started what we called the Harrisburg experiment. We have practiced what we preach by quietly and politely directing the activities of our own ANGBLS for our own financial benefit.

HOW WE PAY OUR BILLS On many occasions we have spread out our bills before the Lord and asked him to read them and to come to our financial aid, similar to the way Hezekiah did in Isaiah 37:14, i.e., GOD you read the threatening letter. Next we command the devil to take his hands off of our money, like JESUS taught us in Luke 10:19, i.e., we were given power over the devils. And next we tell our ANGELS to go out and gather our money for us so that the bills can be paid, like the book of Hebrews tells us to, in Heb. 1:14, i.e., ANGELS minister for them who shall be heirs of salvation.

On January 1, 1968 I left engineering and started full time ministry to the believers in JESUS CHRIST at large throughout the whole USA and parts of the world. I have never ever taken up an offering for myself in 20 years. (Though I do take up offerings for other ministries. I'm not against taking offerings. Bible patterns for offerings are well established.) I have never asked any person for any financial help in 20 years. I usually place a pitcher at the rear of the auditorium. wherever I teach. The gifts that appear in the pitcher are mine.

After 20 years I can honestly say that every bill has always been paid on time. At this moment all of our bills are paid! Is it refreshing (this heavy heavy year of 1987) to hear a minister say that all the bills are paid? Whenever our financial road gets rough we apply the principles of the Harrisburg experiment. Our financial support comes from Christians who have enough spiritual sensitivity to hear from our GOD and who then send gifts which have always met our needs. As more Christians become more spiritually sensitive this ministry will probably grow to benefit even more people. Some people have said that our method of financing this ministry is unique and is a show of great faith. I say that much credit for the success should be toward the Bible pattern that I just outlined for you. Why don't you try it? If not for finances, then for health or for some other benefit that you need in your life.

First, talk to our GOD about it. Second, tell the devil to buzz off. Third, tell your ANGEL to go fix it.

Don't knock it until you've tried it!

It is quite possible that this MONARCH may contain one of the most valuable Christmas presents that you will receive this year.

Unwrap your ANGEL! Loose him and let him go! Tell him to minister for you.

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We still have a few color pictures, OUR GOD IS THE GOD OF ANOTHER CHANCE, left over from last year's mailing. They are yours for the asking.

This ministry does not exist apart from the gifts of our students and friends.