

Angelology Series - **God's Messengers**

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I. **Things Unseen**

II. **Angels**

Origin & Attributes

Overview & Summary

Activity

Daniel 10:12-21

III. **Receiving & Responding To The Message**

Personal Reflection

Take time this week to pray & respond to the following:

The subject of angels is one that has captivated the imagination & wonder of millions throughout human history. The idea that there are intelligent, sentient beings who are normally imperceptible to the human senses but are nevertheless involved in human affairs, is one that most struggle to understand. Angels are God's messengers & ministers of His will. They exist to serve & worship their Creator.

The mystery & mystique of angels too often overshadows the most important aspect of their existence—that God works through them as one of the means by which He enacts His plan for humanity. As a follower of Jesus Christ, you must be aware & informed about the angelic realm while staying on guard against over-emphasizing the message bearers at the expense of your relationship with the One they serve. Interest in the unseen spiritual realm can either be a catalyst for deeper understanding & relationship with God or it can be a distraction that leads to the occult & spiritual ruin. Angels should point us to God & encourage us that we are not alone in the stand against evil.

Thoughtfully consider how God has perhaps used His angels as messengers & ministers to you throughout the course of your life. Could it be that in your times of greatest need, God was much closer than you realized & much more involved in your circumstances than you understood at the time? Are you presently endeavoring to see God's hand at work & are you ready to respond as He leads?

Prayerfully thank God that He speaks & leads through His Word, His people & His angelic servants. Ask Him to give you the assurance of His presence & confidence that you are not alone in standing against the evil & sorrow in this world.