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5. Four things we must know.

a. There was a war in heaven.

Isiah 14 : 1 2- 14

b. Satan has access to heaven great throne room.

Job. 1 ; 6 – 12 Job. 2 : 1

1. Who are these sons of God?

a. Many say – They are created intelligence of God.

b. Many say – They are members of the heavenly council of God.

Job. 15 : 8

c. Many say – They are the twenty-four elders.

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d. Many say - They are the earthly enemies of God. .

1. Coming to complain before God

Zach. 6 : 4 - 5

e. Many say – They are the angles of God, coming to and fro back and forth to the earth to report to God those things they have been sent to see and do and to observe.

1. Liken to Jacob ladder.

Gen. 28 : 10 – 16

Job 38:7 (NKJV)

⁷ When the morning stars sang together,

And all the sons of God shouted for joy?

2. Scripture speaks of the Sons of God in two terms

a. Some Good - Job. 1 : 6 - Job. 2 : 1 - Job. 38 : 7

John 1 : 12 - Rom. 8 : 14 –

Phil : 2 : 15 1 John 3 : 1 - 2

b. Some evil or fallen - Gen. 6 : 2 - Gen. 6 : 4

3. I believe these represent the Good.

c. He will have access until.

1. Where he is locked up for the one-thousand-year millennial reign.

Rev. 20 :1 – 15

d. He will be cast into the lake of fire for ever and ever eventually.

Rev. 20 : 10

6. Scripture teaches that God has many ministering angels.
 - a. Scripture teaches that God has angles that look after true believers.
 Heb. 1 : 4 - 14
 1. The word angel is used in scripture at least five ways.
 - a. It is used of men - Luke 7 : 24 – James 2 : 25 – Rev. 1 : 20
 - b. It is used of Christ – Rev. 8 _ 3 – 5
 - c. It is used of the angel of the Lord or the angel of God meaning – the presence of deity of God in angel form.
 Gen. 16 : 1 – 13 – Gen. 21 : 17 – 19 - Ex. 3 : 2 – 4
 Judges 2 : 1 – Judges 6 : 12 – 16 – Judges 13 : 3 – 22
 - d. It is used of prophets – Haggi 1 : 13
 - e. It is used of spiritual beings who serve God.
 Ps. 104 : 4 - Heb. 2 : 2 – 5 - Heb. 4 : 14
7. This great war or struggle is to remind us that the nation of Israel as we know it now will have to go through the great tribulation.
 - a. That seven years to troubles.
8. Seven facts about angels that we need to know.
 - a. Angel are created beings that appear to men. – Ps. 104:4 – Heb. 1 : 14 – Col 1 : 16
 - b. Angels are numerous – Ps. 68 : 17 – Matt. 26 : 53 - Heb. 12 : 22
 - c. Angels are extremely superior to men in Intelligence and knowledge.
 11 Sam. 14 : 20 - Ps. 103 – 20 - Ps. 104 - 4
 - d. Angels posses great power. – 11 King 19 : 35 – Matt. 28 : 3 – 11 Pet 2 : 11
 Rev. 12 : 1 – 9 - Rev. 20 : 1 – 2
 - e. Angles observe men – (for God) – Eccles. 5 : 6 - I Cor. 4 : 9 – Ephes. 3 : 10
 - f. Angles have fallen from the grace and favor of God. Jude 6 - 11 Pet. 2 – 4
 Rev. 20 : 10 - Job. 1 : 6
 - g. Satan is the greatest deceiver among all the angles.
 1. In the tribulation he will deceive the entire world.

9. In chapter twelve, we must remember that this is a ongoing statement John is making or vision he is seeing.
- a. First – He see the women fleeing into the wilderness.
 - b. Secondly – He saw God provisions for her and child.
 - c. Third – He saw the number of days she will be provided for.
 - d. Fourth – He saw the arch angle Micheal and his angles wage war against Satan and his deceived followers.
 - e. Fifth – He saw the casting out of Satan and his fallen angles.
 - f. Sixth – He see the place where they were cast to.
 - g. All are on going vision or series of events.

10. Then John stops seeing and starts listening.

Revelation 12:10 (NKJV)

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- a. What he heard was the proclamation of the Gospel.

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- b. He said I heard.
 1. That salvation.
 2. That strength.
 3. That the kingdom of God.
 4. That the power of God have come. (pass tense).
 - a. Have come is a pass tense statement - meaning that Christ has come.
 - b. Just as the war in heaven was a pass tense war.
 - c. So is the meaning His Christ have come, is a pass tense meaning.
 1. A battel was fought in heaven
 2. The war was won at Calvary.
- c. Who was this voice spoken to?
 1. The brethren.
- d. What did the voice say?
 1. Victory has been won.
 - a. Redemption has been won.
 - b. Forgiveness has been won.
 - c. Death and the grave has been conquered.
 - e. Sin has been defeated.

1 Cor. 15 : 50 - 58

11. The voice declared that the great strength of God has been demonstrated at Calvary.

a. By the resurrection of His Son.

John 11:25-26 (NKJV)

²⁵ Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live.

²⁶ And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?"

b. That salvation by faith comes through that same Son.

Romans 5:8 (NKJV)

⁸ But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

2 Corinthians 5:21 (NKJV)

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