

**The Glorified Christ Part 1**  
**Revelation 1:1-13**  
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*This angel is a special servant of Yahweh, who helps accomplish God's will among His people...often this Angel cannot be distinguished from Yahweh Himself. – Dictionary of Jesus and the Gospels.*

*Genesis 21:14-19 (Hagar and Ishmael in the wilderness)*

*Genesis 22:9-18 (Abraham asked to sacrifice Issac)*

*Exodus 3:1-6 (The burning bush)*

*Joshua 5:13-15 (Before Jerico)*

⇒ The Uniqueness of this Angel

*Revelation 1:1-8*

*Revelation 1:17*

*Revelation 2:8*

*Revelation 22:12-13*

*Revelation 2:9-11*

*Exodus 19:16-19 (This is where Israel meets the Lord on Mt. Sinai on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day)*

*Revelation 2:12-13*

*Daniel 7:13-14 (The courtroom scene of the ancient of days after the four beasts and little horn)*

**Small Group Discussion Questions**

- a. Have ever heard or studied the Angel of the Lord before?
- b. Which passage in the sermon about the Angel of the Lord surprised you the most regarding his identity? Genesis 21:14-19, Genesis 22:9-18 (Abraham asked to sacrifice Issac), Exodus 3:1-6 (The burning bush), Joshua 5:13-15 (Before Jerico), Genesis 48:15-16 (Jacob blessing his sons on his deathbed)
- c. Do you believe it would have been enough for Jesus to simply say "I am the first and the last" to identify himself as God? (You can search "first and last" in your bible app to dive deeper)