NW Bible Church – Angels, Devils, and the Dead

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LESSON – ANGELS

- 1. Angels "Messenger" in Greek and Hebrew
- 2. God described as an angel, especially as "The angel of Jehovah" last week's lesson
- 3. Referred to as men, but distinguished
 - a. Appear as men, called 'man' or 'men' Genesis 18:1-2, 18:33-19:1, Luke 24:1-5 (4)
 - b. Angels described as spirits Hebrews 1:14, cf John 4:24, Ephesians 6:12
 - c. We do not worship angels Colossians 2:18, Revelation 19:10, 22:9
 - d. We shall judge angels I Corinthians 6:3
 - e. Hebrews 12:22-23 distinguishes "righteous made perfect" from "myriads of angels"
 - f. We have salvation, which angels ponder I Peter1:12, Hebrews 1:14
- 4. Hosts of angels
 - a. Elisha reveals a mountainful of them 2 Kings 6:15-17
 - b. Luke 2:8-14 Shepherds
 - c. Hebrews 12:22 "myriads" (Myriad = historically a unit of 10,000)
- 5. Individual angels
 - a. Gabriel Daniel 8:15-26 (15-16), 9:20-27 (20-21), Luke 1:19 (Zacharias), Luke 1:26 (Mary)
 - b. Michael Daniel 10:2-3, 12-14, 20-21, 12:1, Jude 1:9, Revelation 12:7-9 Note that Michael is "ONE OF the chief princes" (10:13)