

Do you know your personal angels?

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One of the 40 characteristics of the Joshua generation is 'The Joshua Generation will operate with the angelic realm'. I love this because the angels have been waiting for us to get involved for years, even for generations, and they love it when we start to interact with them.

Hebrews 1.14 *Are not all angels ministering spirits sent to serve those who will inherit salvation?*

They are ministering spirits, sent by God, for those who will inherit salvation. They really want us to inherit the fullness of our salvation.



Josh. 5:13...*It came about that, when Joshua was by Jericho, he lifted up his eyes and looked. [And whenever you see 'lift up your eyes', it is talking about looking into a spiritual realm]. And he saw a man standing opposite him with a sword drawn in his hand, and Joshua went up to him and said, "Are you for us or for our adversaries?" He said, "No, rather, I indeed come now as captain of the host of the Lord". Joshua fell on his face to the earth and bowed down.*

Of course we do not worship angels. They are God's servants and God sends angels to do a lot of his work. Many people would say, "Well, God would send the Holy Spirit".

My answer is, well, why would God send Himself? The Holy Spirit is already sent. He lives in us. The Holy Spirit helps us, guides us, and flows through us. But God does send messengers. The whole course of church history was changed when an angel brought a vision to Peter on top of a house. A sheet came down and suddenly everyone was acceptable, Gentiles could be brought into the kingdom. That came about in a supernatural way. The Holy Spirit did not just whisper to Peter, "Oh, now open up the door". He used a supernatural way and angels were involved. They are still involved today, whether they are in dreams or visions or actual encounters with us. So, we must be open to those angelic encounters.

When Peter and Paul were taken out of prison, God did not send the Holy Spirit just to get them out of prison. The Holy Spirit sent angels to get them out of there. So, there is a lot more angelic engagement than most people think and we need to be aware of it.

The key is not to take it out of perspective. The angels are not God, we do not worship angels, we do not sing to angels, or any of that. But, when God sends an angel we need to take note because it often comes with a message or a purpose that we need to communicate with.

Also, angels act on our behalf. That means we can assign angels to do our bidding according to the mandates we have been given by God, because they recognise our mandates. When we have a heavenly mandate, angels recognise it, so they know it has authority and they can be involved in it. So, let's be really open to that.

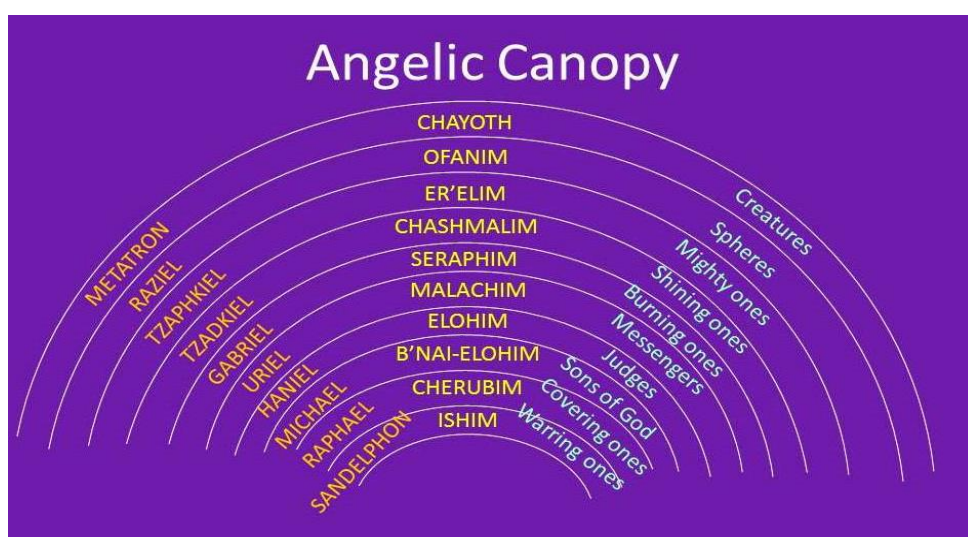
When I discovered the angelic realm I met my own 2 personal angels. Jesus introduced me to them. One of them looks like a warrior and another one looks like a white winged horse. Angels do not always look like people. That white winged horse actually comes when I do ministry and brings things. I have seen that horse come into the room laden with gems and weapons, with crowns and all sorts of things. Sometimes I give those things away to people.

I have met our church angels, I know them by name and I work with them. At one point there were the gathering angels that kept turning up at our meetings that started challenging people to change. There are also the seraphim, the burning ones. If you go into the temple (of Isaiah 6) and present your heart on the altar, the seraphim are very much involved there with transformation.

And there are the chashmalim, the shining ones. Often, in worship, when you see glimpses of colour, that is the chashmalim. One Sunday I was preaching in church and I caught a glimpse of colours flashing. I just caught it in the corner of my eye, and then it started to get closer and closer and the whole thing came right in front of me, right in front of my vision so I couldn't see. I was totally freaked out, and this was with my eyes open that I could see it. I know no-one else in church saw it but I saw their reaction to it, which was totally flummoxed.

Then they carried on past me and I said to God, "What was that all about? Why did you do that?" And He said, "Well, you have been asking to see. Now you have got to be ready to see when you need to see". I definitely will remember it, that is for sure.

There is a whole canopy of angels, ten different orders that we can engage with.



There is also the court of angels where you can go, present a scroll or a mandate, they will be assigned to and help you. It is like when God said, "Who will go for us?" The angels respond when we have a heavenly mandate, or a heavenly blueprint.

I see angelic portals when they open, I can smell angelic fragrances which they sometimes leave behind. We have heard quite often about feathers floating down and things like that, which is great so long as you don't get caught up looking for feathers. What you should be looking at is, "Where are the angels? What do they want?"

I have also met the 7 spirits of God, who are angelic beings created to help us. The men in white linen (cloud of witnesses) are not angelic but they are spiritual and they are also there to help us. We need to be willing to be involved with the whole angelic realm, and not be frightened of it.

There is a whole religious system that wants to stop us getting involved with the angelic, and people in that religious system will try and stop you. But from now on you are going to vitally need the angelic realm to do some of the things you're called to do, particularly when it comes to dealing with the atmosphere of the earth.

We do not want to get involved with dealing with that atmosphere. That is a task the angels should do, and we can assign them. There are thrones in the atmosphere above the earth that should be occupied by those principalities, powers and rulers who are assigned to the territories that we give them, or that they've already been given. The problem is that they are currently occupied by wicked forces.

Principalities are not bad things, they are just territorial spirits; and when they are wicked territorial spirits (serving the enemy), then we have problems on the earth. But when those thrones are taken over by the good territorial spirits (serving God), we will have blessing on the earth.

So, we definitely need to be involved with the angelic realm. Why don't you begin by getting to know your own personal angels and then go on from there to learn about and getting to know others?