

## 1. What Kind of Beings are They?

A.

B.

C.

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## 2. What are Their Classifications?

A.

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2.

B.

<i><b>ANGELS</b></i>	<i><b>CHRIST</b></i>

C.

<i><b>ANGELS</b></i>	<i><b>PEOPLE</b></i>

D.

<i><b>ANGELS</b></i>	<i><b>PEOPLE</b></i>

**3. Names Which Depict Their Roles**

A.

B.

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D.

E.

**4. Names Which Depict Their Position**

A.

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**5. Names Which Depict Their Rank**

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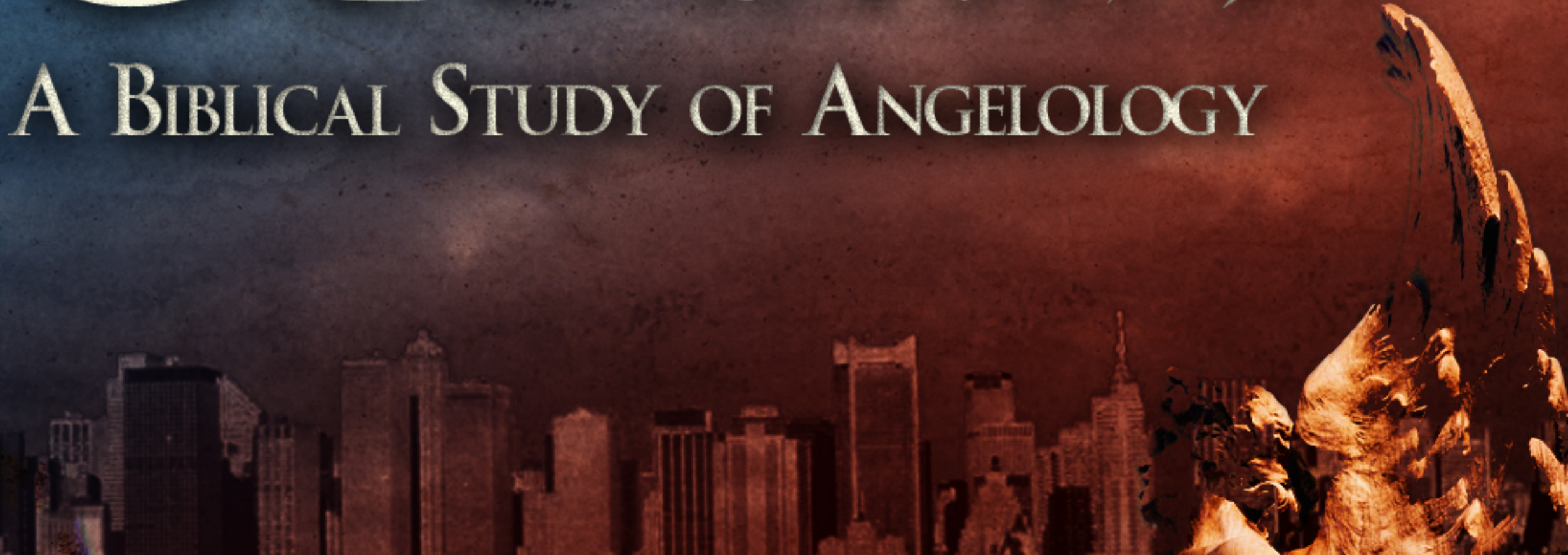
C.

<i><b>Ezekiel 1</b></i>	<i><b>Revelation 4</b></i>



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# 1. What Kind of Beings are They?

## A. They are “Persons”

- Intellectual Beings - **1Pet.1:12**
- Emotional Beings - **Lk.15:10**
- Volitional Beings - **Is.14:13**

## B. They are Spirit Beings - **Heb.1:14**

- Not Encased in Matter - cp. **Gen.2:7**
- Finite Spirits - **Dan.9:21** cp. **Jer.23:24**
- Spirits that Don't Die – **Lk.20:36**



# 1. What Kind of Beings are They?

C. They are Able to Appear - **Lk.1:11**

1) In Reality (Time & Space)

- As Usual Men – **Gen.18:2**
- As Young Men – **Mk.16:5**
- As Impressively Dressed – **Lk.24:4**
- As Capable of Supernatural Actions  
– **Mt.28:4**



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### 2) In Visions & Dreams

- In a variety of forms
- As Unusual Men – **Dan.10:5-6**
- As Strange Creatures – **Rev.4:6-7**
- As Winged – **Rev.4:8**
- As Women – **Zech.5:9**



## 2. What are Their Classifications?

### A. They are in Two Conditions

#### 1) Evil – **Lk.8:2 (Demons)**

- AKA: The Devil's Angels – **Mt.25:41**
- Willfully Sinned – **Rev.12:7**
- Permanently Lost – **Heb.2:16**

#### 2) Holy – **Mk.8:38** (God's Angels – Jn.1:51)

- They Refused to Rebel



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<b>ANGELS</b>	<b>CHRIST</b>
Created	Not Created
IN the image of God	IS the image of God
Greater than Men	Greater than Angels
Servants	Son
Messengers	Ruler



## 2. What are Their Classifications?

### C. They are Similar to People

**ANGELS**

**PEOPLE**

Made in the Image of God

Limited

Dependent

Given Abilities & Responsibilities

Accountable



## 2. What are Their Classifications?

### D. They are Distinct from People

<b><i>ANGELS</i></b>	<b><i>PEOPLE</i></b>
Spirit	Spirit + Body
Invisible	Visible
No Reproduction	Procreate
Never Die	Physical Death
Superior Attributes	Superior Value



### 3. Names Which Depict Their Roles

#### A. “Angels” = **Messengers**

- Messengers of Information – **Lk.1:13**
- Messengers of God’s Action – **Rev.16:1**

#### B. “Ministers” = **Servants**

- Serving the People of God – **Heb.1:14**
- Serving in Worship of God – **Ps.104:4**

#### C. “Host” = **Army**

- Extension of His Power – **Ps.103:21**



### 3. Names Which Depict Their Roles

#### D. “Chariots” = **Fighting Force**

- God’s Dispatched Protection – **2Kgs.6:17**
- Powerful Patrollers – **Zech.6:5-7**

#### E. “Watchers” = **Supervisors**

- Observing – **Dan.4:13**
- Administering – **Dan.4:17**



## 4. Names Which Depict Their Position

A. “Sons of the Mighty” (ESV = “Heavenly Beings”)

= ***Ben Elim***

- Like the Mighty One in Might – **Ps.29:1**
- cp. “Son of Encouragement” – **Ac.4:36**

B. “Sons of God” = ***Ben Elohim***

- Direct Creations of God – **Job 1:6**
- Like God (i.e., not a natural being)
- “Michael” (who is like God) – **Dan.10:13**



## 4. Names Which Depict Their Position

C. “gods” = *Elohim*

- Having Authority – *Ps.8:5*
- cp. God’s Name – *Ac.4:36*

D. “Holy Ones” = *Qadoshim*

- Set Apart – *Ps.89:7*
- Morally Good – *Ps.15:15*

E. “Stars” = *Kokab*

- cp. Above / Glory / Watching – *Rev.12:4*



## 5. Names Which Depict Their Rank

A. “Cherubim” = ***Cherub / Cherubim***

- Highest Rank (?) – **Ezk.28:14**
- Nearest to God – **Ps.99:1**
- Ark Top in Temple – **Ex.25:18; Ps.99:1**

B. “Seraphim” = ***Seraph / Seraphim***

- “Burning Ones” – **Is.6:1-6**



# 5. Names Which Depict Their Rank

## C. “Living Creatures”

***Ezekiel 1***

***Revelation 4***

Both are Four Living Creatures

Both Show a Lion, Ox, Man & Eagle

Each has 4 Faces

Each has 1 Face

Four Wings

Six Wings

Eyes in Wheels

Eyes All Over



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