

The Name of Jesus!

KJV Hebrews 1:4 Being made so much better than the angels, as he hath by inheritance obtained **a more excellent name than they.**

5 For unto which of the angels said he at any time, Thou art my Son, this day have I begotten thee? And again, I will be to him a Father, and he shall be to me a Son?

6 And again, when he bringeth in the firstbegotten into the world, he saith, And **let all the angels of God worship him.**

This consecration I want us to focus on **being** rather than just doing!

Being Christ like throughout the day rather than doing Christian things!

We have taught over the years that biblically a name doesn't just identify a person it also expresses:

It's the **nature, character and reputation of the person!** Hence *shem* or name in OT Hebrew language.

Our scripture is telling us why Jesus is greater than all of God's creations—even the angels.

2 Peter 2:11 Whereas angels, which are greater in power and might!

Angels or messengers are greater in strength and ability than man is.

God's messengers have also been worshipped by mankind throughout the history of the world.

Some have fallen and rebelled against God their creator: some are in everlasting chains (Jude 1:6) waiting for judgment.

Still others roam the earth even today!

KJV Job 2:1 Again there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan came also among them to present himself before the LORD.

2 So Yahweh said to Satan, 'Where have you been?' 'Prowling about on earth,' he answered, 'roaming around there.'

Satan means “adversary” one who withstands and opposes!

1 Peter 5:8 Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.

9 Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kind of sufferings.

Satan the devil (slanderer, false accuser) is the originator of **Fake News!**

He is a created being just like you and I!

God **created** him **to serve** Him just like the other **sons of God**; they were to assist mankind in glorifying God on the earth.

Instead some rebelled and became false gods; others like Satan sought to become God and destroy mankind.

But The Most High God begot a Son Named Jesus!

❖ **The Bible says Jesus “obtained” a more excellent name!**

He got it through inheritance by obeying THE WILL of His Father!

*ESV Hebrews 1:1-3 Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets,
2 but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed the heir of all things, through whom also he created the world.*

3 The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word. After he had provided purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty in heaven.

KJV Luke 19:10 For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost.

Man lost his status as sinless sons of God, as governor of the earth!

1 John 3:8b...For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil.

Jesus came so heaven and earth would no longer respond to the devils lies about you and I!

So heaven would hear our prayers and the earth would respond and bring forth fruit!

The problem is too many of God's people still believe the lies and fail to walk in their full Kingdom authority!

NIV Romans 8:19 The creation waits in eager expectation for the sons of God to be revealed.

KJV 1 John 3:1 Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God: (Jesus got our status back for us)

*2 Beloved, **now** are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is.*

As sons of God we NOW have the same rights as Satan and the other sons of God had in **Job 2:1-2!**

In fact because of what Jesus did we are now seated in heavenly places far above the status of Satan and the other fallen sons (angels)!

KJV Ephesians 1:3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:

***Ephesians 2:5-8** even when we were dead in our transgressions, brought us to life with Christ*

6 raised us up with him, and seated us with him in the heavens in Christ Jesus

7 that in the ages to come he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus.

8 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:

Why would God be so good to us?

Why would God show so much love to us?

***Ephesians 3:10** His intent was that now, through the church, the manifold wisdom of God should be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly realms,*

God wants a family! God wants to show the fallen, angels, false gods, the world system and Satan His manifold wisdom!

Through **Jesus Christ** God is revealing the power of True Sonship!

The awesome power that's released when a son obeys God on earth—how one son's obedient life has the power to change the whole world!

NIV Romans 13:14 So clothe yourselves with the Lord Jesus Christ, and do not think about how to gratify the desires of the sinful nature.

Walk in His nature, character and reputation and the world will see His love, grace, mercy and power to change the world around us!