

The Realm of The Supernatural Pt. 4

The Origin of Angels and Demons

KJV John 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

2 The same was in the beginning with God.

3 All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made.

Notice what verse 3 says, “*Everything came into existence through him, The Word. Not one thing that exists was made without The Word.*”

The supernatural realm was created by God, it is the abode of God and every creature of a supernatural nature.

Since God is Spirit, He has always had spiritual beings to worship Him and do His will in both the realm of the spirit and elsewhere!

KJV Hebrews 12:9 Furthermore we have had fathers of our flesh which corrected us, and we gave them reverence: shall we not much rather be in subjection unto the Father of spirits, and live?

Jehovah is considered The Father of spirits, the originator and creator of all spiritual beings. There is therefore no spirit being that did not come from God, good or evil!

KJV Colossians 1:16 For by him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers: all things were created by him, and for him:

Angels good and evil were all created, they are not co-eternal with God because He has no beginning and no ending—they have a beginning, and some have an ending!

ESV Psalm 148:1 Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise him in the heights!

2 Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his hosts!

3 Praise him, sun and moon, praise him, all you shining stars!

4 Praise him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!

5 Let them praise the name of the LORD! For he commanded and they were created.

God asks Job where he was during creation; and then proceeds to explain the event:

ESV Job 38:4 "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding.

5 Who determined its measurements-- surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it?

*6 On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone,
7 when the morning stars sang together and all the sons of God shouted for joy?*

God tells Job the angels were created **before the world was created** because they shouted for joy and praised God while He created the heavens and the earth!

Remember, whatever realm you are born into gives you the right to exercise authority in that particular realm.

So, when were angels created? Answer, on the **first day!**

Where were they created? In The Realm of the spirit or eternity, before time so they are not governed by time and space as the creatures who were created in time are!

KJV Genesis 1:1 In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.

2 And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters.

3 And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.

4 And God saw the light, that it was good: and God divided the light from the darkness.

5 And God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And the evening and the morning were the first day.

I believe as does Augustine, Thomas Aquinas and others the light God created on the first day are the angels.

Since they were around to shout for joy as God tells Job, they were created first!

Also, the language “*and God called the light Day*” corresponds with other verses referring to “*Day Star(s)*” and when God said, The “*Morning Stars*” sang together with The Sons of God during creation. (Job 38:7)

The light God created on the first day is not the same light He created on the 4th day in **Gen 1:14**, which was the sun, moon and stars!

So, God created the angels on the **first day** of creation giving them a higher rank and status than the rest of creation because they were created first.

This is God’s divine order, whoever is created first has more honor in God’s plan!

The apostle Paul who was caught up into the spirit realm and learned things no one else had known, tells us in **1 Cor 12:1** not to be ignorant of spiritual things.

Paul tells Timothy his son in the ministry not to allow women (by themselves) to have authority over men, why?

KJV 1 Timothy 2:13 For Adam was first formed, then Eve.

- It's called **pre-eminence** which is having a **distinctive superiority!**

Eminence is having a high and distinctive place among others, adding the **pre**, is placing an already prominent person **ahead and above** all other eminent people.

We can't truly know how **eminent** we are til we learn how **pre-eminent** Christ is!

Jesus Christ is before all things, He created all things, Jesus Christ sustains all things, He is The Head of The Church, He is the **first born Son of a women**, the first to rise from the grave, so that in **everything He has the pre-eminence!**

Jesus Christ is **ahead/before and above all things** “*For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities-- all things were created through him and for him.*” (Col 1:16)

This is a Kingdom principal that is the foundation of the culture of honor in The Kingdom of God! (Col 1:18,19- 2:10, Rom 12:3-5)

Because of the divine order of God in creation, angels are greater in power, might and rank than mankind and should be **respected** for their rank, doing so **honors** Gods plan and purpose. (**2 Peter 2:11**)

The fallen angels due to their rebellion have lost their honor and respect for God and His created order and seek at every opportunity to destroy it!

Yet even Michael the archangel when contending for the body of Moses, didn't slander or speak evil of the devil—he simply said, “*The LORD rebuke thee!*”

We have stated the word “*angel*” is a generic term for angels, whether good or evil and at times the word is used to describe both!

The word **demon/devil** however is from the *daimon* and means **divinity or deity** and came to mean “*false deity*” or a spirit posing as a divine helper!

They are also called **evil spirits and devils** since many are under the control of The Devil. There's only one Devil or *diablos* (**slanderer and accuser of the saints**), He also has many names.

So malevolent spirits are called, fallen angels' demons, evil spirits, unclean spirits, spirit of infirmity, deaf spirit, familiar spirit, lying spirit etc.!

Again, they are more commonly described by their function rather than a particular name, though they do have personal names.

All the angels God created were created **good** not **evil!** Because at the end of creation God said **everything**, He made **was very good!** (Gen 1:31)

The Book of Enoch tells us these **supernatural beings** called **sons of God** rebelled and taught women the heavenly mysteries of "**sorcery and spells.**"

Enoch says in ancient times, 200 heavenly Watchers rebelled against God in heaven. Led by the angels **Semyaza and Azazel**, the Watchers came to Earth on Mount Hermon, where they mated with human women.

The Bible records this happening in **Gen 6** around **2550 B.C.!**

However around **3975 B.C.** was when The Serpent shows up in The Garden and tricks Eve.

Some have suggested that Lucifer was a **morning star**, a high-ranking spirit!

Isaiah 14:12 "How you are fallen from heaven, O Day Star, son of morning! How you are cut down to the ground, you who laid the nations low!

Ezekiel compares king Tyrus and Lucifer by saying:

ESV Ezekiel 28:12 "Son of man, raise a lamentation over the king of Tyre, and say to him, Thus says the Lord GOD: "You were the signet of perfection, full of wisdom and perfect in beauty.

13 You were in Eden, the garden of God; every precious stone was your covering, sardius, topaz, and diamond, beryl, onyx, and jasper, sapphire, emerald, and carbuncle; and crafted in gold were your settings and your engravings. On the day that you were created they were prepared.

14 You were an anointed guardian cherub. I placed you; you were on the holy mountain of God; in the midst of the stones of fire you walked.

15 You were blameless in your ways from the day you were created, till unrighteousness was found in you.

Called the anointed Cherub that covereth, meaning angel anointed to guard the glory of God! He walked among the stones of fire upon the altar of God in heaven!

He was in Eden when God placed Adam there! What was his job, his responsibility in Eden, God didn't put him there for nothing!

KJV Luke 10:18 And he said unto them, I beheld Satan as lightning fall from heaven.

Satan probably fell from heaven many years (if we can use time in this way) before the sons of God decided to rebel and take women for wives.

Once the fallen angels arrived on earth Satan had already setup his kingdom. Those angels who joined Satan are under his authority!

KJV Matthew 25:41 Then shall he say also unto them on the left hand, Depart from me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire, **prepared for the devil and his angels:**

- **Every realm has its own rules, hierarchy and authorities!**

*KJV **Revelation 12:7** And there was war in heaven: Michael and his angels fought against the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels,
8 but he was defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven.*

Satan and his angels (as they are still called) retain their dignity and power, though they have lost their place in The Kingdom of God.

*ESV **Romans 11:29** For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable.*

We often use this verse for the people God has chosen and anointed, but why not for the angelic beings as well?