

# Angels

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## Part 4

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# Types of angels we studied

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- Seraphim
- Cherubim
- Michael
- Gabriel

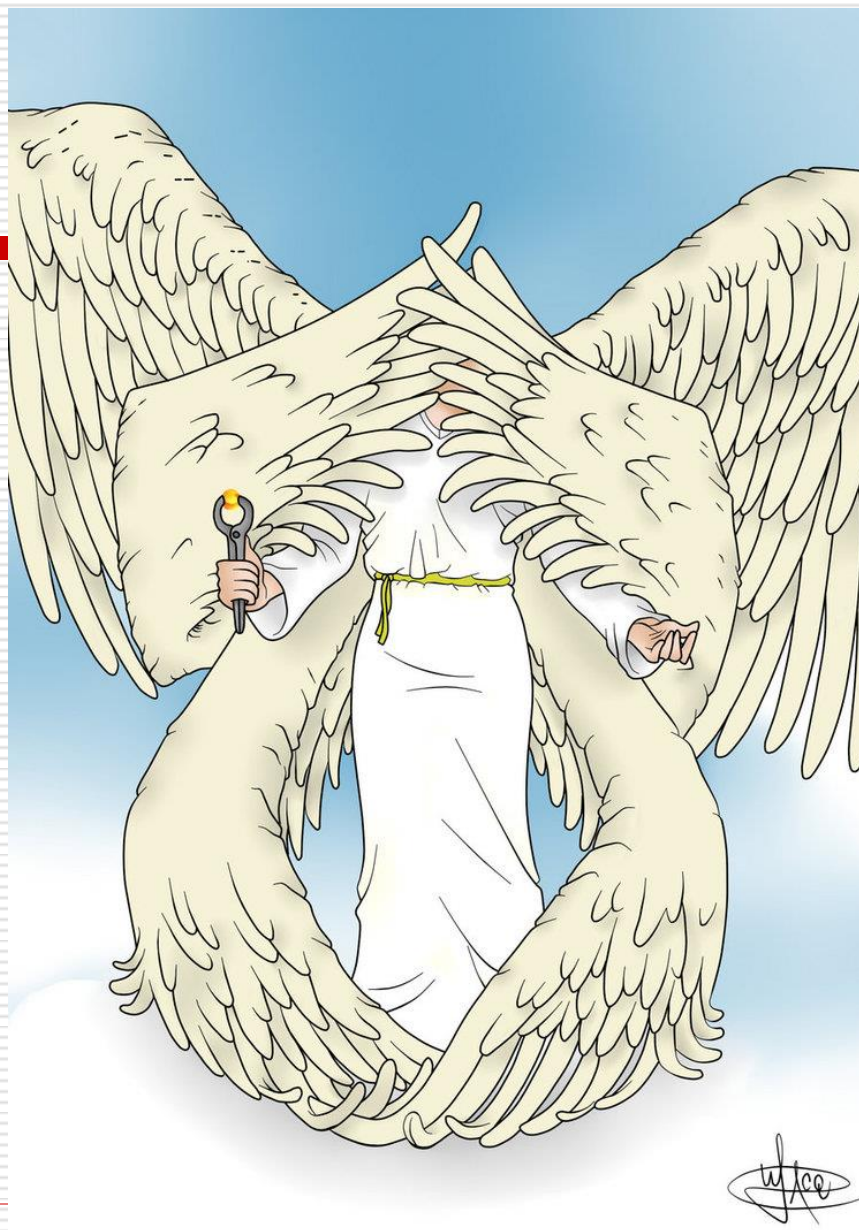
# Seraphim

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- *Isaiah 6:1-4*
- "Seraphim" literally means "burning ones".
- 6 winged creature
- Created primarily to worship God
- Have features like humans - hands, feet and voices.
- *Rev 4:6-8*

# Seraphim

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# Cherubim

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- ❑ Cherub - "to be diligent"
- ❑ *Ezekiel CH. 1*
- ❑ Charles dyer's description – next slide
- ❑ *Ezekiel 10:20*
- ❑ Cherub never convey any message from God to human beings.
- ❑ They are never directly called angels.

# Cherubim

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# Cherubim in the OT

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- ❑ 1<sup>st</sup> appearance I the garden of Eden - [Genesis 3:23-24](#)
- ❑ Cherubim are also found in the tabernacle - [Exodus 25:18-20](#)
- ❑ He dwells between the cherubim;- [Psalm 99:1](#)
- ❑ They were woven in the curtains - [Exodus 26:1](#)
- ❑ Solomon's temple - carved the design of cherubim - [1 Kings 6:23-30](#)

# Michael

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- ❑ The only archangel mentioned by name in the bible
- ❑ The prefix "arch" suggests "a chief" "principal" or "great" angel
- ❑ Billy Graham - Prime Minister in God's administration of the universe
- ❑ The term "archangel" is used in the Bible in only two occasions.

*1 Thessalonians 4:16, Jude 1:9*



# Michael

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- "Michael" means "who is like unto the Lord"
- Michael, one of the chief princes - *Daniel 10:13*
- A defender of Israel - *Daniel 12:1*
- Michael & Rapture - *1 Thes 4:16*
- Michael's final battle of victory - *Rev 12:7-9*

# Gabriel

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- Gabriel is God's great messenger
- The word Gabriel means "*the mighty one of God*"
- *Luke 1:11 & Luke 2:9* - the angel of the Lord
- *Luke 1:19* - I am Gabriel, who stands in the presence of God
- *Daniel Ch.9* Gabriel appeared to Daniel

# Gabriel

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- *Luke 1:18-19* - 500 years later he appeared to Zacharias
- *Luke 1:26-27* – Announcing the birth of Lord Jesus
- Michel was God's warring angel
- Gabriel was God's announcing angel

# Seraphim Vs Cherubim

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## Seraphim

- “burning ones”
- 6 winged
- One face
- Human like hands, feet and voices
- Primarily to worship
- Isaiah Ch.6

## Cherubim

- “to be diligent”
- 4 winged
- 4 faces
- Feet calf-like, face man, ox, lion, eagle
- To guard & protect
- Ezekiel, Genesis, Exodus, 1 Kings

# Michael Vs Gabriel

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## Michael

- The only archangel
- “who is like unto the Lord”
- God's warring angel
  
- Future relevance (in rapture & defeating Satan)

## Gabriel

- Not an archangel
- “the mighty one of God”
- God's announcing angel
  
- No future relevance

# Description of Cherubim – Ezekiel Ch. 1 & 10

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□ Video -

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EKh\\_U2NnIs8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EKh_U2NnIs8)

□ Text –

Refer handout

Reference: John8thirtytwo Publishing

# Common Angels

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- Angel appeared to Joseph in a dream asking him to take Mary as wife - *Matthew 1:20-21*
- Angel appeared to Joseph in a dream asking him to take Jesus and Mary and flee to Egypt - *Matthew 2:13*
- Angel appeared to Joseph in a dream asking him to go back to the land of Israel - *Matthew 2:19*

# Common Angels

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- ❑ Angel came to rollback the stone from the tomb - *Matthew 28:2-4*
- ❑ Angel released the imprisoned apostles - *Acts 5:17-20*
- ❑ Angel of the Lord spoke to Philip asking him to go in the road that goes from Jerusalem to Gaza - *Acts 8:26*



# Common Angels

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- Angel of the Lord appeared to Cornelius to send men to invite Peter to his house - *Acts 10:3-8*
- Angel of the Lord releasing Peter from chains in a prison - *Acts 12:7-10*
- Angel struck Herod to death as he was exalted by people saying "The voice of a god and not of a man!" - *Acts 12:21-23*

# Guardian Angels

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- *Matthew 18:10* - Jesus saying in heaven, their angels
- *Acts 12:12-15* - It is not peter, it is Peter's angel

# Ministering Angels

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- *1 Kings 19:5 - 7* - the one who cooked a hot meal for Elijah when he was running away from an angry Jezebel.

# Avenging angels

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- *Gen 19* - are the ones that carry out God's judgment upon mankind for their wicked deeds

# Death angels

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- Death angels bring a type of judgment (death) upon a people who persecute innocent groups

*Exodus 12: 23; Revelation 6:8*

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