

WHAT ABOUT ANGELS TODAY?

PART ONE

DO WE NEED THEM?

Angels: What
Does the Bible
Really Teach?

- Angels are _____-beings that are mentioned over _____ times in the Bible.
- Angels are powerful, seasoned _____.
- What part do angels play in God's program for the church age today? Do we need angels?
- Let's look at some of the main functions of angels in time past, and compare that to what God is doing today.

In time past, angels are seen giving _____ and understanding.

- An angel instructed Gideon to deliver Israel from the Midianites. Judges 6
- An angel instructed _____ to return to Abraham and Sarah. Genesis 16:7-9
- An angel instructed Elijah to confront the king's messengers, and gave him understanding as to what to say. 2 Kings 1:3-4
- An angel came and instructed Joseph, and gave him understanding concerning _____.
Matthew 1:18-25

Today, angels are _____ said to give believers instruction and understanding.

- Do we need instruction today? Do we need spiritual understanding? Absolutely! The question is, "How do we get it?"
- We have something better than an angel!
- We have God's very Spirit living _____ of us to teach and instruct us. 1 Corinthians 2:9-14
- *"Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered."* **Romans 8:26**
- We are one with Christ and _____ in Him.
- *"To whom God would make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; which is Christ in you, the hope of glory... And ye are complete in him, which is the head of all principality and power."* **Colossians 1:27; 2:10**
- We have the completed _____ of God.
2 Timothy 3:16-17
- We have everything we _____ in Christ and in God's Word. We simply don't need angelic instruction today.
- In fact, the Bible tells us that we, as believers, teach and instruct _____! Ephesians 3:9-10