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TO MATURITY

A Study of the Book of Hebrews

THE ANGELS AND YOU
HEBREWS 1:14

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Introduction: Today as we conclude our series-within-a-series on angels, we are going to explore four practical ways angels minister to Christians.

Psalm 34:15-16 ¹⁵ “The eyes of the LORD are toward the righteous, and His ears are open to their cry. ¹⁶ The face of the Lord is against evildoers, to cut off the memory of them from the earth.”

I. **Angels Sustain and Encourage Us** (1 Kings 19:5-7)

Matthew 4:11 “Then the devil left Him [Jesus]; and behold, angels came and began to minister to Him.”

1 Kings 19:3 “And he [Elijah] was afraid and arose and ran for his life and came to Beersheba, which belongs to Judah, and left his servant there.”

1 Kings 19:4 “But [Elijah] he himself went a day’s journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a juniper tree; and he requested for himself that he might die, and said, ‘It is enough; now, O LORD, take my life, for I am not better than my fathers.’”

1 Kings 19:5-7 ⁵ “And he [Elijah] lay down and slept under a juniper tree; and behold, there was an angel touching him, and he said to him, ‘Arise, eat.’ ⁶ Then he looked and behold, there was at his head a bread cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. So he ate and drank and lay down again. ⁷ And the angel of the LORD came again a second time and touched him and said, ‘Arise, eat, because the journey is too great for you.’”

II. Angels Can Reveal God's Will To Us (Romans 8:14)

Romans 8:14 “For all who are being led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God.”

III. Angels Protect Us From Physical and Spiritual Harm (Psalm 91:11-13)

A. Physical Danger

B. Spiritual Protection

Psalm 91:11-13 ¹¹ “For He will give His angels charge concerning you, to guard you in all your ways. ¹² They will bear you up in their hands, lest you strike your foot against a stone. ¹³ You will tread upon the lion and cobra, the young lion and the serpent you will trample down.”

IV. Angels Minister To Us In Death (Luke 16:22)

Luke 16:22 “Now it came about that the poor man died and he was carried away by the angels to Abraham’s bosom; and the rich man also died and was buried.”

Conclusion