2 Corinthians 10:3, "For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh.

2 Corinthians 10:4, "For the weapons of our warfare *are* not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, 2 Corinthians 10:5, "casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ," Hebrews 1:14, "Are they not all ministering spirits sent forth to minister for those who will inherit salvation?" Matthew 28:5, "But the angel answered and said to the women, 'Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified'." 1 Peter 1:12, "To them it was revealed that, not to themselves, but to us they were ministering the things which now have been reported to you through those who have preached the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit sent from Heaven – <u>things</u> which angels desire to look into." Genesis 19:1, "Now the two angels came to Sodom in the evening, and Lot was sitting in the gate of Sodom. When Lot saw *them,* he rose to meet them, and he bowed himself with his face toward the ground.

Genesis 19:2, "And he said, 'Here now, my lords, please turn in to your servant's house and spend the night, and wash your feet; then you may rise early and go on your way.' And they said, 'No, but we will spend the night in the open square'." 2 Peter 2:11, "whereas angels, who are greater in power and might, do not bring a reviling accusation against them before the Lord." Daniel 10:13 "But the prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me twentyone days; and behold, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, for I had been left alone there with the kings of Persia." Ephesians 1:21, "far above all principality and power and might and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in that which is to come." Colossians 1:16, "For by Him all things were created that are in Heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him." Revelation 5:11, "Then I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels around the throne, the living creatures, and the elders; and the number of them was ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands," Job 38:4, "Where were you when I laid the foundations of the earth? Tell *Me*, if you have understanding..."

Job 38:7, "When the morning stars [all the angels united] sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy?" John 12:31, "Now is the judgment of this world; now the ruler of this world [kosmos] will be cast out."

[also John 14:30; 16:31]

2 Corinthians 4:4, "whose minds the god of this age [aion] has blinded, who do not believe, lest the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine on them." Ephesians 2:2, "in which you once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience," Romans 6:6, "knowing this, that our old man was crucified with *Him*, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin." [also vss 16–23] Romans 6:17, "But God be thanked that though you were slaves of sin, yet you obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine to which you were delivered." Acts 26:17, "I will deliver you from the *Jewish* people, as well as *from* the Gentiles, to whom I now send you,

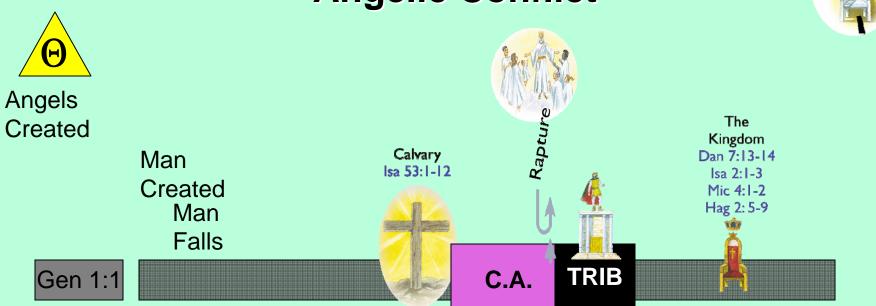
Acts 26:18, "to open their eyes, *in order* to turn *them* from darkness to light, and *from* the power [*exousia*] of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who are sanctified by faith in Me." Colossians 1:13, "He has delivered us from the power [exousia] of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love." John 8:44, "You are of your father the devil, and the desires of your father you want to do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and *does not* stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own resources, for he is a liar and the father of it."

2 Corinthians 11:14, "And no wonder! For Satan himself transforms himself into an angel of light.

2 Corinthians 11:15, "Therefore *it is* no great thing if his ministers also transform themselves into ministers of righteousness, whose end will be according to their works." Matthew 25:41, "Then He will also say to those on the left hand, 'Depart from Me, you cursed, into the everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels':"

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Ezk 28:12-19 Satan Job 16; Lk 10:16 Devil Mt 4:1-11 Principalities & Powers Eph 6:12

Accuser-Slanderer Beelzebub-Serpent Tempter-Wicked One Prince of This World Isa 14:12-17



Mt 25:41; Rev 19:20;



Christ

Arrogant Humble (Phil. 2:8)

Self-centered "I will" God's will (Matt. 6:10; 26:42; Heb. 10:7)

Self glory

Glory of the Father (Matt 5:16; John 17:4; John 14:13; John 12:28)

Anti authority; disobedient

Tyrannical

Obedient (Phil 2:8)

Non coercive (Matt 11:29-30)

Satan

Self-serving ethic

Works

Distorts reality (2 Cor. 11:14ff)

Overreaching

Destructive

Christ

Absolute righteousness (Isa 9:6, 7)

Grace (John 1:16, 17)

Defines reality (John 14:6; John 8:32)

Not grasping (Phil. 2:6)

Creator, Redeemer, Healer (Col 1:16, 17; Rom 8:20–23)

Satan

Hateful

Hostile to Truth & God's Word

Christ

True Love (John 13:1, 34, 35)

The embodiment of God's Word, glorifies God's Word (John 1:1, 14)