

They Are Here

Divine Council

Ps 82:1 - Divine counsel

¹God presides in the great assembly; he gives judgment among the “gods”:

1 Kings 22:22 - lying spirit

²²“ ‘By what means?’ the LORD asked. “ ‘I will go out and be a lying spirit in the mouths of all his prophets,’ he said. “ ‘You will succeed in enticing him,’ said the LORD. ‘Go and do it.’

Isaiah 6:8 - send me

⁸Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I. Send me!”

Likeness

Genesis 1:26 - our image

²⁶Then God said, “Let us make man in our image, in our likeness, and let them rule over the fish of the sea and the birds of the air, over the livestock, over all the earth, and over all the creatures that move along the ground

Job 38:4-7 – sons of God at creation

⁴“Where were you at my laying the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you possess understanding. ⁵Who determined its measurement? Yes, you do know. Or who stretched the measuring line upon it? ⁶On what were its bases sunk? Or who laid its cornerstone, ⁷when the morning stars were singing together and all the sons of God shouted for joy?

Genesis 18:2 - 3 men & Abraham

²Abraham looked up and saw three men standing nearby. When he saw them, he hurried from the entrance of his tent to meet them and bowed low to the ground.

Hebrews 13:2 - entertaining angels

²Do not forget to entertain strangers, for by so doing some people have entertained angels without knowing it.

Sin of the Watchers

Genesis 2:18

¹⁸ The LORD God said, “It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suitable for him.”

Genesis 1:28

²⁸ God blessed them and said to them, “Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish of the sea and the birds of the air and over every living creature that moves on the ground.”

Genesis 6:2 - sons of God

² the sons of God saw that the daughters of men were beautiful, and they married any of them they chose.

Genesis 6:4

⁴ “The Nephilim were on the earth in those days—and also afterward—when the sons of God went to the daughters of men and had children by them. They were the heroes of old, men of renown.”

2 Peter 2:4 - angels who sinned

⁴ For if God did not spare angels when they sinned, but sent them to hell, putting them into gloomy dungeons to be held for judgment

Jude 1:6 - angels who did not keep their assignment

⁶ And the angels who did not keep their positions of authority but abandoned their own home—these he has kept in darkness, bound with everlasting chains for judgment on the great Day

Genesis 6:4 – Nephilim – those days and after

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Giants

Numbers 13:33 - giants' grasshoppers

³³ We saw the Nephilim there (the descendants of Anak come from the Nephilim). We seemed like grasshoppers in our own eyes, and we looked the same to them.”

1 Sam 15:3 - men, women, children

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³ Now go, attack the Amalekites and totally destroy everything that belongs to them. Do not spare them; put to death men and women, children and infants, cattle and sheep, camels and donkeys.’ ”

1 Sam 17:4 – Goliath

⁴ A champion named Goliath, who was from Gath, came out of the Philistine camp. He was over nine feet tall.

1 Sam 17:50 - David kills giant

⁵⁰ So David triumphed over the Philistine with a sling and a stone; without a sword in his hand he struck down the Philistine and killed him.

Flood

Genesis 6:11-13

¹¹ Now the earth was corrupt in God’s sight and was full of violence. ¹² God saw how corrupt the earth had become, for all the people on earth had corrupted their ways. ¹³ So God said to Noah, “I am going to put an end to all people, for the earth is filled with violence because of them. I am surely going to destroy both them and the earth.

Genesis 6:4 says, “The Nephilim were on the earth in those days—and also afterward—”

Demons

Revelation 12:4-5

“⁴ His tail swept a third of the stars out of the sky and flung them to the earth. The dragon stood in front of the woman who was about to give birth, so that he might devour her child the moment it was born. ⁵ She gave birth to a son, a male child, who will rule all the nations with an iron scepter. And her child was snatched up to God and to his throne.”

Now Isaiah 14:12

“¹²How you have fallen from heaven, O morning star, son of the dawn! You have been cast down to the earth, you who once laid low the nations!

Mark 5:2-4

“When Jesus got out of the boat, a man with an evil spirit came from the tombs to meet him.

³ This man lived in the tombs, and no one could bind him anymore, not even with a chain. ⁴

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For he had often been chained hand and foot, but he tore the chains apart and broke the irons on his feet. No one was strong enough to subdue him.

Mark 5:6-8

⁶When he saw Jesus from a distance, he ran and fell on his knees in front of him. ⁷He shouted at the top of his voice, “What do you want with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? Swear to God that you won’t torture me!” ⁸For Jesus had said to him, “Come out of this man, you evil spirit!”

Mark 5:9

⁹Then Jesus asked him, “What is your name?” “My name is Legion,” he replied, “for we are many.” ¹⁰And he begged Jesus again and again not to send them out of the area.

Battle against

Eph 6:12 - not flesh and blood

¹²For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.

Daniel 10:12-13

“Do not be afraid, Daniel. Since the first day that you set your mind to gain understanding and to humble yourself before your God, your words were heard, and I have come in response to them. ¹³ But the prince of the Persian kingdom resisted me twenty-one days. Then Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, because I was detained there with the king of Persia.

Luke 4:5-7

⁵The devil led him up to a high place and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. ⁶ And he said to him, “I will give you all their authority and splendor, for it has been given to me, and I can give it to anyone I want to. ⁷ So if you worship me, it will all be yours.”

Matt 24:37 - days of Noah

As it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man.

All humans can be saved

Revelation 19:16

“¹⁶On his robe and on his thigh, he has this name written: KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS.”

1 Corinthians 2:7,8

“⁷No, we speak of God’s secret wisdom, a wisdom that has been hidden and that God destined for our glory before time began. ⁸None of the rulers of this age understood it, for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory.”

2 Peter 3:9 - none to perish

⁹The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. He is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance.

Matt 24:24 - the elect

²⁴For false Christs and false prophets will appear and perform great signs and miracles to deceive even the elect—if that were possible.

Authority given back to mankind

Isaiah 61:1,2 - Spirit is on me anointed

The Spirit of the Sovereign LORD is on me, because the LORD has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners,²to proclaim the year of the LORD’s favor and the day of vengeance of our God, to comfort all who mourn,

John 15:19 - not of this world

¹⁹If you belonged to the world, it would love you as its own. As it is, you do not belong to the world, but I have chosen you out of the world. That is why the world hates you.

Matthew 10:7,8 - authority heal drive out demons

⁷As you go, preach this message: ‘The kingdom of heaven is near.’ ⁸Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those who have leprosy, drive out demons. Freely you have received, freely give.

Luke 10:17-20 – Demons submit

¹⁷The seventy-two returned with joy and said, “Lord, even the demons submit to us in your name.” ¹⁸He replied, “I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. ¹⁹I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you. ²⁰However, do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.”

Job description

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Jesus is speaking with his disciples and he tells them, ¹⁹ If you belonged to the world, it would love you as its own. As it is, you do not belong to the world, but I have chosen you out of the world. That is why the world hates you.

Matthew 28:19,20 – Go make disciples

¹⁹ Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

Eph 6:13 - stand your ground against evil

¹³ Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand.

Matthew 22:37, 39 - love God love people

³⁷ Jesus replied: “ ‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ ³⁸ This is the first and greatest commandment. ³⁹ And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’

1 Cor 10:31 - glorify God

³¹ So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.
