

Equal to the Angels – Experiencing the Joy

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God the Only Source of Immortality

Who only hath immortality,
dwelling in the light which no
man can approach unto; whom
no man hath seen, nor can see: to
whom be honour and power
everlasting.

1 Timothy 6:16

No More... the relief

- No more hunger and thirst – Rev 7:16
- No more tears – Rev 7:17, Isa 30:19
- No more weariness or fainting - Isa 40:31
- No more sin – I Cor 15:54-57
- No more death – Luke 20:36

The Children of God

- The Spirit **itself** beareth witness with our spirit
- **We are the children of God.**
- Heirs of God – joint heirs with Christ
- Suffering of present not worthy to be compared to the glory revealed in us
- Whole of creation awaits the manifestation of God's sons
- Delivered into the glorious liberty of the children of God

Romans 8:16-21

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I bow my knees unto **the Father** of our Lord Jesus Christ, of whom **the whole family** in **heaven and earth** is named...

Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us, **unto him be glory** in the **ecclesia** by Christ Jesus **throughout all ages, world without end.**

Ephesians 3:14-15, 20-21

Equal to the Angels – Like an Angel

- Equal unto the angels = like an angel – From Gk2470 - similar, like, equal and Gk32 – Angelos.
- Parallel record in Matthew 22:30 – but are **as** the angels of God in heaven.
- Cp Genesis 1:26 - Let us make man in our image, after our likeness....so God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him.
- And **are the children of God**, being the children of the resurrection.

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Now that the dead are raised, even Moses shewed at the bush, when he called the Lord, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.

For he is not the God of the dead, but of the living: for **all live unto Him.**

Luke 20:37-38

The Mighty Ones of the Fathers

- The LORD God of your fathers = Yahweh Elohim of your fathers
- Which means "He who will be the Mighty Ones of your Fathers"
 - Abraham – the Father of the Faithful = God
 - Isaac – the promised seed = Christ
 - Jacob – be fruitful and multiply = the Ecclesia
- This is my name for ever – the name of the whole family in heaven and earth
- This is my memorial unto all generations

Exodus 3:15

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Rom 8	Eph 3	Luke 20	
Children of God	Whole family	Children of God	
Glory revealed in us	Riches of His glory, unto him be glory in the ecclesia		
		Angel like, Elohim of Fathers	
Creation earnestly awaits the sons of God			



Beyond anything we could imagine

What we will be doing

- Judges/Kings
- Priests
- Worship
- Teaching/Inspiring
- Counselling, trauma support
- Global statesmanship
- Care of cities, villages and families
- Providence
- Deep friendships with the saints



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Supremacy of Christ - Hebrews

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- Heb 1-3 –Supremacy of the Son over the angels
- Heb 4-7 – Melchizedekian High Priest
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We partake in the supremacy of Christ - Hebrews

Christ a revelation of God to us – in total supremacy to anything else, **yet we can share this with him**

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- Heb 4-7 – Melchizedekian High Priest – **HIGH Priest over the ORDER of Melchizedek**
- Heb 8-10 - Christ supreme over any earthly temple, is now in heaven for us as our intercessor. **We become the temple of God.**



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Hebrews 1-2

- Heb 1: Christ the Son of God – perfectly reveals Him. Supreme over the angels.
- Heb 1:14 – Angels are servants to us – as **heirs** of salvation
- Heb 2:1-4 – We must give earnest heed to our salvation
- Heb 2:5 - The angels don't have the world to come in subjection – implication they do now
- Heb 2:6-9 – Jesus, put under angels to accomplish salvation, now crowned with glory and honour
- Heb 2:10-18 – That this was done to create the brethren of Christ

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		Angel like, Elohim of Fathers	Set above the angels
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