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# Angels and Demons

## Part 3b

### I. What do angels do?

- A. They assisted in the life and ministry of **Jesus**.  
(Lk. 2:8-15, 22:42-44; Matt. 4:11, 26:53, 28:2-4; Acts 1:9-11; Matt. 16:27)
- B. They may be specifically assigned to **children**.  
(Matt. 18:10)
- C. Are they meant to **protect** us all?  
(Ps. 91:11-12; Acts 7:23-25; Ps. 34:7)
- D. Is one assigned to each **church**? (Rev. 1:20)
- E. They **celebrate** when someone repents and becomes a follower of Christ. (Lk. 15:10)
- F. They **battle** against the **Enemy** to our benefit.  
(Daniel 10)
- G. They sometimes **call** God's people into service. (Ex. 3:2)

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- H. They may provide:
  - 1. Emergency **food**. (I Kgs. 19:8)
  - 2. **Correction** of a wrong decision. (Matt. 1:20),
  - 3. **Incentive** to believe. (Lk. 1:19-20)
- I. They were used to **liberate** Paul and Silas. (Acts 12:7)
- J. They sometimes **fight** our battles on our behalf.  
(2 Kings 6:17)
- K. They are God's agents of **judgment**.  
(II Kgs. 19:35, I Chron. 21:16; Acts 12:23; II Thess. 1:6-8)
- L. They assist in spreading the **Gospel**. (Acts 8:26)
- M. They assist us in successful accomplishment of our **tasks**.  
(Gen. 24:7)
- N. They are **watching** us. (I Cor. 4:9; I Tim. 5:21)
- O. They **escort** us to heaven when we die. (Lk. 16:22)
- P. They **worship** God. (Is. 6:3; Rev. 5:11-12)

#### AT HOME THIS WEEK:

- #1. Share any experiences you have had where angels have intervened in some way in your life.  
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- #2. What impact does (should?) the concept of "angels watching us" have on our pursuit of holiness?  
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- #3. Share how the idea of an angelic escort at the moment of death could bring peace to those who fear death.