



SUPERNATURAL: ANGELS AND DEMONS

Series Text: “My fellow believers, I don’t want you to be confused about spiritual realities. For you know full well that when you were unbelievers you were often led astray in one way or another by your worship of idols, which are incapable of talking with you. Therefore, I want to impart to you an understanding of the following: No one speaking by the Spirit of God would ever say, “Jesus is the accursed one.” No one can say, “Jesus is the Lord Yahweh,” unless the Holy Spirit is speaking through him.”

1 Corinthians 12:1-3 TPT

In this series we will look at:

1. The power of the supernatural
2. The ministry of angels
3. The opposition of demons
4. The reality of curses

Text: Psalm 8: 3-9 NLT

When I look at the night sky and see the work of your fingers - the moon and the stars you set in place - what are mere mortals that you should think about them, human beings that you should care for them? Yet you made them only a little lower than God and crowned them with glory and honor. You gave them charge of everything you made, putting all things under their authority - the flocks and the herds and all the wild animals, the birds in the sky, the fish in the sea, and everything that swims the ocean currents. O Lord, our Lord, your majestic name fills the earth!

Introduction

- Man is uniquely designed. He was created to live in two worlds simultaneously.
- This is because man has a unique assignment. He is supposed to represent God and the earth.
- God gave man authority on earth.
- This explains why things are not perfect and there is evil in the world.

Natural World

Physical
Visible
Tangible
Temporal
Inferior
Accessed by Senses

Supernatural World

Spiritual
Invisible
Intangible
Eternal
Superior
Accessed by Faith

I) Supernatural God, Supernatural People

1. God is Supernatural and intervenes in the natural world
 - God in the Old Testament - Jericho walls fell down, the Red Sea split, an Axe Head swam, the mouth of lions were shut.
 - Jesus in the New Testament - blind eyes open, deaf ears opened, demon possessed set free, five loaves two fish multiplied, dead raised.
 - God is unlimited, extraordinary, powerful, mighty.
 - Purpose of Miracles:
 1. Reveal God
 2. Meet the Needs of People

2. You were designed for the Supernatural

A. Acts 1:1 NLT - In my first book I told you, Theophilus, about everything Jesus began to do and teach...

- **What Jesus began was not just for him to walk in. We are to continue it!**

B. Mathew 10:1 NLT - Jesus called his twelve disciples together and gave them authority to cast out evil spirits and to heal every kind of disease and illness.

- **Jesus trained his disciples in the supernatural.**

C. John 14:12-14 NLT - "I tell you the truth, anyone who believes in me will do the same works I have done, and even greater works, because I am going to be with the father. You can ask for anything in my name, and I will do it, so that the son can bring glory to the father. Yes, ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it!

- **By Faith you can move in the Supernatural.**

D. Mark 16:15-18 NLT - And then he told them, "Go into all the world and preach the Good News to everyone. Anyone who believes and is baptized will be saved. But anyone who refuses to believe will be condemned. These miraculous signs will accompany those who believe: They will cast out demons in my name, and they will speak in new languages. They will be able to handle snakes with safety, and if they drink anything poisonous, it won't hurt them. They will be able to place their hands on the sick, and they will be healed."

- **All believers are mandated to advance the Kingdom of God with supernatural power.**

II) God Works Through People

I Corinthians 12:4-11

4 There are different kinds of spiritual gifts, but the same Spirit is the source of them all. 5 There are different kinds of service, but we serve the same Lord. 6 God works in different ways, but it is the same God who does the work in all of us.

7 A spiritual gift is given to each of us so we can help each other. 8 To one person the Spirit gives the ability to give wise advice[b]; to another the same Spirit gives a message of special knowledge.[c] 9 The same Spirit gives great faith to another, and to someone else the one Spirit gives the gift of healing. 10 He gives one person the power to perform miracles, and another the ability to prophesy. He gives someone else the ability to discern whether a message is from the Spirit of God or from another spirit. Still another person is given the ability to speak in unknown languages,[d] while another is given the ability to interpret what is being said. 11 It is the one and only Spirit who distributes all these gifts. He alone decides which gift each person should have.

- **God wants to give each of you the ability to move supernaturally so you can help meet the needs of others.**
- Your gift is not for you.
- We are conduits of the power of God!!
- Notice it's by the same Spirit! The Spirit of God!

III) No Fear, No Excuses

Jeremiah 1:4-8 NLT - The Lord gave me this message: "I knew you before I formed you in your mother's womb. Before you were born I set you apart and appointed you as my prophet to the nations." "O Sovereign Lord," I said, "I can't speak for you! I'm too young!" The Lord replied, "Don't say, 'I'm too young,' for you must go wherever I send you and say whatever I tell you. 8 And don't be afraid of the people, for I will be with you and will protect you. I, the Lord, have spoken!"

A. Three Steps to Moving Supernaturally :

1. **Surrender** - Give God your Yes
 - Let the power of the Holy Spirit fill your life
 - Acts 1:8
2. **Available** - Be ready for God to use you
 - "Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying: "Whom shall I send, And who will go for Us?" Then I said, "Here am I! Send me." Isaiah 6:8 NKJV
 - God wants to show himself through You
 - God wants to use you to meet the needs of others
3. **Commit** - Step out by Faith
 - "But Jesus looked at them and said to them, "With men this is impossible, but with God all things are possible.'" Matthew 19:26 NKJV

