

WHO IS THE POWERFUL ANGEL OF THE OLD TESTAMENT? WHO IS THE ANGEL MICHAEL FROM REVELATION?

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- “I saw that Moses passed through death, but Michael came down and gave him life before he saw corruption. Satan claimed the body as his, but **Michael resurrected Moses, and took him to heaven**. The Devil tried to hold his body, and railed out bitterly against God, denounced him as unjust, in taking from him his prey. But **Michael did not rebuke the Devil**, although it was through his temptation and power that God’s servant had fallen. **Christ meekly referred him to his Father**, saying, The Lord (the Father) rebuke thee.” {Ellen White: Spiritual Gifts, Vol. 1, p. 43.1 1858}
- “Israel had been preserved by a miracle of God’s mercy during every day of their travels in the wilderness. **The mighty Angel who went before them was** (even then!) **the Son of God.**” {Ellen White: Spirit of Prophecy, Vol. 1, p. 318.1 1870}
- “And did all drink the same spiritual drink: **for they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them: and that Rock was Christ.**” {1 Corinthians 10:4}
- “**Christ** was not only the leader of the Hebrews in the wilderness—the **Angel** in Whom was the name of Jehovah, and who, veiled in the cloudy pillar, went before the host—but it was He who gave the law to Israel.” {Ellen White: Patriarchs and Prophets, p. 366.2, 1890}
- “Behold, I send an **Angel** before thee, to keep thee in the way, and to bring thee into the place which I have prepared.” {Exodus 23:20}
- “Behold, I (God the Father) **will send my messenger** (Jesus), and he shall prepare the way before me: and the Lord, Whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to His temple, even the messenger of the covenant, Whom ye delight in: behold, he shall come, saith the Lord of hosts. But who may abide the day of His coming? and who shall stand when he appeareth? for he is like a refiner’s fire, and like fullers’ soap.” {Malachi 3:1-2}
- “For he said, Surely they are my people, children that will not lie: so he was their **Saviour**. In all their affliction he was afflicted, and the **angel** (Jesus) of His **presence saved them**: in His love and in his pity he redeemed them; and he bare them, and carried them all the days of old. But they rebelled, and **vexed His holy Spirit**: therefore he was turned to be their enemy, and he fought against them.” {Isaiah 63:8-10}