

SATAN

"I WILLS" OF SATAN (Is. 14:13-14)

- "I will ascend to heaven"
- "I will raise my throne above the stars of God"
- "I will sit on the mount of assembly"
- "I will ascend above the heights of the clouds"
- "I will make myself like the Most High"

SATAN CAST OUT OF HEAVEN

- Jesus sees Satan cast out of heaven like lightning (Lk.10:18)
- Satan cast to the earth which becomes his domain

GOD CREATES SATAN (Ek.28:15)

- Belonged to the order of angels called Cherubim (Ek.28:14)
- Considered the highest created being (Ek.28:12)
- Satan goes into the very presence of God (Ek.28:16)

FALLEN ANGELS

"Sons of God" co-habit with the "daughters of men" resulting in Nephilim (Ge.6:1-4)

The spirit that is now working in the sons of disobedience (Ep.2:2)
The ruler of this world [Gr. kosmos] (Jn.12:31)

BELIEVERS ATTITUDE TOWARD COSMOS

- Keep unstained from the world (Ja.1:27)
 - Friendship with the world is hostility toward God (Ja.4:4)
 - All that is in the world is not from the Father (1Jn.2:16)
 - The believer has to live in the world, thus we should:
 1. Use the world, but do NOT abuse it (1Co.7:31)
 2. Enjoy the world, but do NOT love it (1Ti.6:17-19; 1Jn.2:15)
- The believer can live in this world in victory through faith in Christ Who triumphed over Satan (1Jn.5:4-5)



UNBELIEVERS' RELATIONSHIP TO THE COSMOS

Satan blinds their minds to NOT accept the Gospel (2Co.4:4; Col.1:13; 1Jn.2: 15-17). He counterfeits the way to God by saying, "There are many roads to God and heaven." Only the power of God can remove this blindness.

"CATCHING AWAY" OF THE CHURCH

- Satan will deceive the nations into receiving the Antichrist as their savior (Re.13:2-4).
- Counterfeit peace apart from Christ

RETURN OF CHRIST TO THE EARTH

SATAN FREED

Satan is set free for a short time and attempts an unsuccessful revolt against Christ (Re.20:3,7-9)

1,000 year reign of Christ on the earth

Christ takes over as the ruler of this world as predicted by Daniel by the stone that strikes the statue and fills the earth (Da.2:34-35,44)

ORIGINAL CREATION

All the angels of God shouted for joy (Job 38:4-7)



Fall of Man into sin (Adam) (Ge.3)

GE.1-2 Adam and Eve

GE.1:2



OLD TESTAMENT

NEW TESTAMENT

70TH WEEK

KINGDOM

ACTIVITY OF SATAN AGAINST BELIEVERS

TEMPTER

Satan tempts us to do evil which may result in us feeling defeated, discouraged, or weak in faith. God sometimes uses these tests to prove us in overcoming the tests (1Pe. 1:6-7); to teach us (1Pe.4: 12-13), and to increase our faith and love for Him (Ja.1:12).

SATAN TEMPTS US TO:

1. Conforms to pressures of society (1Th.3:5)
2. Cover-up selfishness (Ac. 5:1-11)
3. Immorality (1Co.7:5)

ADVERSARY

(1) Satan opposes our witness to the Gospel by confusing us as he plants tares among the wheat (Mt. 13:38-39), taking away the Word that has been sown (Mk.4:15), arranging governmental authorities against believers (1Th.2:18), imprisoning believers to stop their testimony from spreading (Re.2:10).

(2) Bringing pressure on a believer he may not be able to bear (1Co.5). He needs to know he was forgiven (2Co.2:5-11).

ACCUSER

(1) Satan accuses us by spotlighting our sins (Re.12:10). He points out our sins to God. Thankfully, Christ, our advocate, takes our case in our defense for He paid for all our sin on the cross (1Jn.2:1-2).

(2) Satan accuses God of protecting a believer too much (Job).

Satan bound for 1,000 years (Re.20:1-3)
BOTTOMLESS PIT ABYSS

Satan is cast into the Lake of Fire to be tormented day and night forever and ever (Re.20:10)

The Beast and the False Prophet are present (Re.19:20)

LAKE OF FIRE AND BRIMSTONE