

## Lesson 15 - Spiritual Battle - It Is Raging

Daniel's Prayer - 9, 10	God and His Angels	Satan and His Angels
<p>Reading Jeremiah - felt a need to pray for his people as the captivity comes to an end</p> <p>Recognized the sinfulness of his people - rebelliousness - wouldn't listen</p> <p>Sought God in humility (fasted and mourned - sack cloth and ashes)</p> <p>In chapter 10 - Daniel had mourned and fasted 3 weeks - perseverance on his prayers</p> <p>Starts with contriteness - Praises God for who He is and contrasts His faithfulness with the people unfaithful</p> <p>Confession of sin</p> <p>Dan 10:12 - Daniel set his heart on understanding</p> <p>Daniel was heard!</p>	<p>Man dressed in linen - angelic being</p> <p>Gabriel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dan 8:16 - giving understanding of vision</li> <li>- Dan 9:21 - instruction and insight</li> <li>- Luke 1:19 - brought news of the birth of John</li> <li>- Luke 1:26 - brought news of the birth of Jesus</li> </ul> <p>Michael</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dan 10:13, 21 - withstanding the prince of Persia - chief prince</li> <li>- Dan 12:1 - great prince who stands guard over the Israelites</li> <li>- Jude 9 - archangel - disputed over the body of Moses</li> <li>- Rev 12:7 - waged war with the dragon</li> </ul> <p>Angels</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Mt 18:4-10 - continually with the "little" ones</li> <li>- He 1:4-14 - ministering spirits to believers</li> <li>- Ps 78:48-49 (II Chron 32:20-22) - did God's bidding of destroying the wicked</li> <li>- Ro 8:35-39 - Nothing can separate us from the Lord</li> <li>- I John 4:4 - greater is He in me</li> <li>- Ps 8:5 (I Cor 6:3) - man's position/angels</li> </ul>	<p>Satan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ez 28:11-19 - created being, seal of perfection, perfect in beauty, in Eden, anointed cherub who covers</li> <li>- Proudful and unrighteousness</li> <li>- Is 14:12-15 - I WILL! PRIDE</li> </ul> <p>Demons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Rev 12:3-4 - Satan swept away 1/3 of the "stars" (angels) with him</li> <li>- Rev 16:13-14 - do Satan's bidding</li> </ul> <p>Satan's plans</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Lk 22:31 - Satan asked permission to sift Peter</li> <li>- Job 1, 2 - Satan tested Job but within parameters set by God</li> <li>- I Peter 5:8 - prowls around seeking someone to devour</li> <li>- Satan is after our minds</li> <li>- He shoots his arrows at us - weakening us</li> </ul>

Spiritual Warfare	Power of Prayer
<p>Dan 10:12-13, 20 - Michael, angel against the prince of Persia</p> <p>Judges 5:19-20 - battles in the stars of heaven</p> <p>II Cor 10:2-6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- we are battling a powerful enemy in the spiritual realm</li> <li>- Destroy speculations and every lofty thing raised up against the knowledge of God</li> <li>- Take every thought captive to the obedience of Christ (Phil 4:8)</li> </ul> <p>Eph 6:10-17</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- strong in the Lord</li> <li>- Put on the full armor of God</li> <li>- Resist in the day of evil having done everything to stand firm</li> <li>- Gird loins with truth</li> <li>- Breastplate of righteousness</li> <li>- Feet shod with gospel of peace</li> <li>- Shield of faith</li> <li>- Helmet of salvation</li> <li>- Sword of the Spirit which is the word of God</li> </ul>	<p>II Cor 4:1-4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- stand in the truth of God's word</li> <li>- The word is veiled to those who are perishing (blinded to the light of the gospel)</li> </ul> <p>Eph 6:18-20</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- consistency of prayer</li> <li>- Be on the alert</li> <li>- Persevere in prayer</li> <li>- Proclaiming God's word boldly</li> </ul> <p>Col 1:9-14</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- filled with the knowledge of God's will</li> <li>- Walk in a manner worthy of the Lord</li> <li>- That we please Him in all respects</li> <li>- Bear fruit</li> <li>- Strengthened with His power</li> <li>- Giving thanks</li> <li>- Patience and steadfastness</li> </ul> <p>I Tim 2:1-4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Thanksgiving</li> <li>- For those who are in power so that we might live tranquil and quiet lives in godliness and dignity</li> <li>- God desires all men to be saved and know the truth</li> </ul> <p>James 5:16-18</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- confession of sins</li> <li>- Pray for one another to be healed</li> <li>- Effective prayer of a righteous man accomplishes much</li> </ul>