

# The SUPREMACY of JESUS as lived out thru the Three Angels' Messages

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## The First Angel's Message

**The Everlasting Gospel:** Today I thank God for His everlasting covenant, the intention of His heart before the world began to save me through the sacrifice of His Son, Jesus Christ. I hereby declare that because of Christ's redemption, I am a new creation of infinite worth. I am deeply loved, I am completely forgiven, I am fully pleasing, I am totally accepted by God. I am absolutely complete in Christ.

**As a child of God, fully acquitted and adopted into His family, I will...**

**Fear God:** The power of the fear of God overcomes all other fears – fear of failure, fear of punishment, fear of the judgment, and fear of the future. I reject the lies of Satan that I must by my own good works earn salvation to avoid punishment. I accept the truth that Christ's atoning death for me is sufficient to save from all sin.

**Give glory to Him for the hour of His judgment is come.** Because of Christ's gift of salvation, I need not fear the judgment. Therefore, I give glory to God because He has provided an Advocate who took my place and who presents me faultless before God's throne. I repent of detracting from God's glory by my own attempts to earn salvation, which is His free gift to me. I acknowledge that legalism can be the adherence to standards for the purpose of exalting myself. With Paul I declare "God forbid that I should glory save in the cross of Christ my Lord" (Gal. 6:14). I will also seek to give Him glory through unity with and love for fellow Christians (John 17:20-26). I believe that God is most glorified when I am most satisfied in Him.

**Worship Him who made heaven and earth** as I rest on the Sabbath-day as His sign of the security of Christ's gift of completed salvation for me – a true celebration that I am not saved by my own works, but by His work. I accept the truth that worship is the God-ordained way whereby the fullness of heaven's resources flows into my life to fill me to overflowing. When I worship I give a deposition (testimony) to declare my agreement with the witnesses in heaven's courtroom that...*Worthy is the Lamb who was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honor and glory and blessing.*

Jesus Christ can only receive these as I give them to Him. Thus worship is God's appointed path for the de-centralization of self, and for the fullest realization of a solid self-worth that comes from 'Christ-worth.' To worship is to serve God with my praises and the needs of people with His sufficiency. I will daily come before Him to receive the fullness of the benefits of His covenant, His 'last will and testament.'

## The Second Angel's Message

Because Christ so loved me that He gave Himself for me, I no longer fear rejection. Because I am fully accepted in Christ, I renounce Babylon's seductions of spiritual adultery, evidenced by looking for love in all the wrong places, trying to fill my cup from fountains that do not satisfy.

To "come out" of Babylon means that...

- I repent of the spiritual adultery of idolatry,
- I recognize that Babylon is not only confusion but also bondage, an addictive intoxication to the idols that have programmed my life.
- through the power of the everlasting gospel Jesus sets me free from the bondage of pride and self-sufficiency.
- I come out of bondage to all god-replacements, idols, to walk in freedom in Christ.

- I believe that Jesus Christ came to "heal the brokenhearted and set the captives free" (Luke 4:18,19), and I ask Him to heal all my hurts and fix all my broken places (Luke 4:18,19).
- I come out of the bondage of bitterness and unforgiveness by forgiving others as God has forgiven me. I give up my right to hurt those who have hurt me. Through the power of Christ, I break all strongholds of Satan over me as I escape the prison-like cycle of resentment, resistance, and rejection, which leads to rebellion, to experience genuine freedom.
- I reject Satan's lies about God and about myself, and I replace these lies with God's truths that set me free.
- I give up my dependence (addiction) on possessions, people, places, position, and power to satisfy my deepest needs.
- As I receive the gift of the Holy Spirit by faith, God pours His love into my heart. Because I experience the security and joy of being His special treasure, I will, therefore, not need to look for love in the wrong places.

## The Third Angel's Message

I accept the truth that only the Messiah, Jesus Christ, God's Son is qualified to save me. I, therefore, reject all false christs, impostors masquerading their authority and ability to save. I will worship Jesus Christ as my only Savior and Lord. I believe that the genuine worship of the Lamb (Jesus) is the best protection against the beast. I choose not to seek personal significance and identity through substitutes (idols) that do not satisfy. This means that...

- No longer will I seek to control others, nor will I use the methods of the beast (force, fear, threat, coercion, intimidation, manipulation etc.) to do the work of the Lamb.
- I will let go of all forms of self-justification, that I may experience the joys of justification by faith in verity in Jesus Christ alone.
- To prevent Satan from gaining a foothold in my life, I will let go of anger and forsake wrath, lest his footholds become strongholds that hold me captive.
- I will worship the Lamb as all-sufficient Provider and all-powerful King, and trust Him for everything, relinquishing control through daily surrender to Him. When I worship the beast, I become beast-like. Any idol (substitute or replacement for Jesus Christ) will eventually become a 'beast' that will destroy me and damage the lives of others.

**I will express my dependence on God's covenant by...**

- **the patience of the saints** as well as patience *with* the saints, as I accept difficult situations without giving God a deadline to remove them. I will cling with perseverance to Jesus Christ no matter what, because I trust that God works all together for good to those who love Him (Romans 8:28).
- **keeping the commandments of God**, not to earn salvation, but to protect the free gift of salvation already provided through His covenant. I will not take pride in my law-keeping, but I will use the law a diagnostic tool to daily show me my need of a Savior.
- **the faith of Jesus** as I confess that my salvation does not rest on my performance of the terms of a contract, but it is based on fully trusting in Christ's covenant faithfulness.

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