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Dear Associates and Friends,

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The title of the article for September 2022 is “[Magnitude of the End Time Crisis, Part 2](#).” There is more to be told about the participation in the events of the End Time by every intelligent being created by God when Christ returns to earth. His return will begin the active process of “**nullifying all sovereignty and all authority and [all] power**” (1 Corinthians 15:24) that oppose God on earth and in the heavens.

Christ will reign “**until He should be placing all His enemies under His feet**” (verse 25). When that is accomplished Christ will “**be giving up the kingdom to His God and Father**” (verse 24).

That is the direction of events, all of which will occur

- **after** Christ returns,
- **after** He begins His 1,000-year reign,
- **after** every child of Adam is reconciled to God during the Great White Throne judgment to become a mature Child of God, and
- **after** every spirit being is reconciled to God.

The last enemy to be abolished will be death (1 Corinthians 15:26), which is truly good news. It means the end of the deaths of souls of physical human beings on earth, as well as the end of deaths of spirit beings. Then will come the consummation, the “end,” the *telos* (in Greek) of God’s creation that was planned from before the creation of the heavens and the earth, and even from before the eons began. The final goal of all creation is given in 1 Corinthians 15:24–28. For us humans, the next “crisis” will be Christ’s return to earth.

What Will Happen When Christ Returns?

For believers, we will meet Christ in the air and be with Him for a period. We will participate in “**For the premonition [expectation] of the creation is awaiting the unveiling of the sons of God**” (Romans 8:19). For us Christ’s return will be the most important post-creation event since Jesus became flesh on September 11, 3 BC.¹ He lived and died for your justification and for Christ’s righteousness imparted to you by God the Father. This all came about because of who God and Christ are, not because of anything special we are. The Creator of you personally may begin His personal interaction with you at the judgment seat of Christ. In the process of the eons, every human eventually will be glorified to be like Christ is now and you will be after your death.

Also, after Christ returns, the process of mankind becoming “deified” accelerates, as larger numbers of people than ever before learn the truths about God and Christ.² Christ will also begin the reconciliation process of all intelligent spirit beings other than human beings. As far as Scripture tells us, all other intelligent beings are composed of spirit and not flesh like human beings.

Spirit beings interacting with human beings is problematic for the spirits. Some of these beings control

¹ Read Dr. Ernest Martin’s book, [The Star of Bethlehem: The Star That Astonished the World](#), free online. The importance of that September 11, 3 BC has nothing to do with the Twin Towers, but it is a significant event in the biblical ritual calendar for that year.

² See Dr. Martin’s article, “[Salvation and the Biblical Doctrine of Deification](#)” and in his book [The Essentials of New Testament Doctrine](#) begin with Chapter 24 and read onward from there. The ideal way to read *Essentials* is in order from the beginning.

vast empires and possess great powers, both on earth and in the heavens. Being invisible and able to go through walls, allows these spirits to pose as being more powerful than they really are.

So why will human followers of the antichrist fight alongside evil spirits and their leaders? They were deceived to believe the Antichrist was the true Christ. They also had powerful supernatural entities fighting alongside them. **“Satan, Moloch, Abaddon (Apollyon, Revelation 9:11), and other spirit entities that will have real demonstrable power (compared to humans) on their side.”** After all, Christ has angels fighting alongside Him; they will not be there just to watch. (Dr. Martin, [“New Prophetic Discoveries”](#))

I wonder if humans are hated by spirits because believers will become Children of God? Is this why 33% of the angels fought alongside Satan (Revelation 12:4, 7–13)? Did the spirits wonder, **“Why were we not created and destined to become deity like humans were?”** Yet most remained content to serve God and Christ. But then the revelation of the Mystery was revealed to Paul and others. **ALL** the billions of humans from Adam were to become deity, unknown until that moment, each of them seated figuratively with Christ at the right hand of God the Father (Ephesians 1:20, 3:6, 9–11). Did the spirits think they had good reason to hate us? Scripture tells us it is not God’s will for spirits ever to become part of God’s family as Children of God.

The spirits will be reconciled to YHWH, that is certain (Colossians 1:20; Philippians 2:10–11). This month’s “Magnitude” article focuses on the operations of non-physical beings in preparation for the great confrontations that will happen when Christ returns to earth. That event will involve angels and other supernatural beings that do exist. After all, God is a non-physical being, yet He has a body. God’s glorious body is not composed of flesh and blood, but is composed entirely of Spirit (John 4:24). Christ’s resurrected body is flesh, bone, and spirit (instead of blood). We shall be like Christ in every way (1 John 3:2).

See Dr. Martin’s article [“The Bodily Composition of God”](#) for a different perspective on how we are created in the **“image and likeness”** of the God who created us all.

Interesting Verses About “The Entire Creation”

“For the premonition [expectation] of THE CREATION is awaiting the unveiling of the sons of God. For to vanity was THE CREATION subjected, not voluntarily, but because of Him Who subjects it, in expectation that THE CREATION itself, also, shall be freed from the slavery of corruption into the glorious freedom of the children of God. For we are aware that THE ENTIRE CREATION is groaning and travailing together until now.”

• **Romans 8:20–22**

“And He said to them, ‘Go into all the world; herald the evangel [Gospel] TO THE ENTIRE CREATION.’”

• **Mark 16:15**

“Since surely you are persisting in the faith, grounded and settled and are not being removed from the expectation of the evangel [Gospel] which you hear which is being heralded in THE ENTIRE CREATION which is under heaven of which I, Paul, became the dispenser.”

• **Colossians 1:23**

These verses indicate that the entire creation is suffering, not just us children of Adam. The Gospel somehow was taught to the realms of spirit beings, perhaps by Christ when he spoke to the spirits in prison after His resurrection (1 Peter 3:19) and by Paul **“the dispenser.”** It seems that message is still available to the spirits in our time.

Thank You

God blessed Dr. Martin in his studies of God’s Word, and he has blessed Ramona and I to continue Dr. Martin’s work. We hope to keep things going for a long time to come. Thank you for supporting ASK through contributions, your notes to us, and by your prayers. Thank you. We all have a glorious future together.

May God bless and keep you all. We all will meet rising in the sky to be with Christ.

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