

Angels in Luke's Gospel

There are a number of instances in Luke where angels are mentioned, and more occurrences of the word than in any other Gospel:

- An angel appeared to Zacharias in the temple (1:11)
- The Angel Gabriel appeared to Mary (v. 26)
- An angel appeared to the shepherds, and a multitude of angels praised God (2:9,13)
- The devil's quotation of Psalm 91:11,12 refers to angels (4:10)
- Jesus says he will return with the angels (9:26)
- Jesus confesses or denies men before the angels (12:8,9)
- The angels rejoice when a sinner repents (15:10)
- In the parable Lazarus is carried by angels to Abraham's bosom (16:22)
- The resurrected saints are equal to the angels (20:36)
- An angel strengthens Jesus in Gethsemane (22:43)
- Two angels appear to the women at the tomb (24:4).