

## A Message From Clarence Odbody, AS2

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### What are angels?

- Angels are **spiritual servants created by God.**
- Angels are not **the departed, trying to earn their wings.**
- Angels are **guardians.**
- Angels can **appear in human form.**
- Angels are **messengers.**

### What's the message Clarence brings to me?

#### 1. God **hears me when I pray.**

*In my distress I screamed to the Lord for his help. And he heard me from heaven; my cry reached his ears...<sup>10</sup> Mounted on a mighty angel, he sped swiftly to my aid with wings of wind.*

**Psalm 18:6, 10 (TLB)**

*I will praise him for what he has done; may all who are oppressed listen and be glad!<sup>3</sup> Proclaim with me the LORD's greatness; let us praise his name together!<sup>4</sup> I prayed to the LORD, and he answered me; he freed me from all my fears.<sup>5</sup> The oppressed look to him and are glad; they will never be disappointed.<sup>6</sup> The helpless call to him, and he answers; he saves them from all their troubles.<sup>7</sup> His angel guards those who honor the LORD and rescues them from danger.*

**Psalm 34:2-7 (GNT)**

#### 2. I am **never alone.**

*The Lord is close to everyone who prays to him, to all who truly pray to him.*

**Psalm 145:18 (ICB)**

*“Do not be afraid—I am with you! I am your God—let nothing terrify you! I will make you strong and help you; I will protect you and save you.”*

**Isaiah 41:10 (GNT)**

*The angel of the Lord stays close around those who fear Him, and He takes them out of trouble.*

**Psalm 34:7 (NLV)**

*Last night an angel of the God to whom I belong and whom I serve stood beside me.<sup>24</sup> God's angel said, 'Paul, do not be afraid! You must stand before Caesar. And God has given you this promise: He will save the lives of all those men sailing with you.'<sup>25</sup> So men, be cheerful! I trust in God. Everything will happen as his angel told me.*

**Acts 27:23-25 (NIV)**

#### 3. God **wants me to trust him.**

*All the angels are spirits who serve God and are sent to help those who will receive salvation.*

**Hebrews 1:14 (ICB)**

*Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding;<sup>6</sup> in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.*

**Proverbs 3:5-6 (NIV)**

*The sacrifice that God wants is a humble spirit. God, you will not turn away someone who comes with a humble heart and is willing to obey you.*

**Psalm 51:17 (ERV)**

#### 4. My **attitude shapes my life.**

*Sunrise breaks through the darkness for good people...*

**Psalm 112:4 (MSG)**

*A joyful heart is good medicine, but a crushed spirit dries up the bones.*

**Proverbs 17:22 (ESV)**

*...fill your minds with those things that are good and that deserve praise: things that are true, noble, right, pure, lovely, and honorable.*

**Philippians 4:8 (GNT)**



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