

# Things Which Angels Desire To Look Into

*(1 Peter 1:12)*

Angels marveled at the message  
They were bringing down to earth,  
As they published the announcement  
Of our Savior's humble birth;  
For God did not offer angels  
Who forsook their proper place  
Any options for repentance  
Through the riches of His grace.<sup>1</sup>

Though they saw the types and shadows  
In the Scriptures long before,  
It would simply have amazed them  
That God's Son could be so poor.  
And when Satan tried to tempt Him  
In the deserts burning sun  
They came down to bring Him kindness  
When the struggle was all done.<sup>2</sup>

How they would have watched in wonder  
As they scrutinized His life  
While He suffered men's reproaches  
And endured their hateful strife.  
How it must have moved the angels  
When they heard the Savior's plea,  
Empathizing with His anguish  
There in dark Gethsemane.<sup>3</sup>

Angels stood in shocked amazement  
Waiting for the Savior's call,  
While Golgotha's ground was hallowed  
By the strangest sight of all;  
When God gave the dearest object  
Of His heart to bear our sin  
So the worst of human beings  
Could commune with Him again.<sup>4</sup>

And they still look down in wonder  
When repentant Christians meet  
To remember what He suffered  
As they gather at His feet;  
And they see God's awesome wisdom  
As our voices rise as one  
To express our adoration  
To the Father and the Son.<sup>5</sup>

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1-Jude 1:6 2-Matthew 4:11 3-Luke 22:43 4-Matthew 26:53 5-Ephesians 3:10

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## Addendum

But the pits of their perplexion  
Must be when we are so bold  
We decide we won't obey Him,  
Or behave the way we're told;  
So our actions don't contribute  
To the scene His body paints,  
And the angels looking downward  
Simply see rebellious saints.<sup>6</sup>

6-I Corinthians 10:10