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Secrets of the Holy Place, by Perry Stone (begin DVD #6 at 00:00:00)

Who is Lucifer?:

- We've been pointing out that the boards, the furniture, the pins, the ropes are images, types, and shadows and pictures of Christ in some form, and God's plan of redemption.
- The idea of knowing that the priesthood started with Aaron and his sons (Leviticus 8), and also knowing that before Aaron there was a priest by the name of Melchizedek (Genesis 14:18-20). Knowing that the book of Hebrews talks about Melchizedek being a type of Christ's priesthood (Hebrews 7), it's befitting for us to talk about the Melchizedek priesthood being fulfilled through Christ, what happened, and also dealing with the precious blood of Jesus.

Hebrews 8:1-2

¹ Now of the things which we have spoken this is the sum: We have such an high priest, who is set on the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in the heavens;

² A minister of the sanctuary, and of the true tabernacle, which the Lord pitched, and not man.

Revelation 12:11

¹¹ And they overcame him [satan] by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death.

- If you know anything about history, you know there's ages past, ages present, and ages to come.
 - Ages past is quite mysterious. There are only a few verses and prophets in the Bible that deal with ages past. It would be the time prior to God creating man on the earth (Genesis 1:1-3), when God begins to create all things, the creation process.
 - Everything before Genesis 1:1 (In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.) – so who was there, what was going on, angels were created long before man was so angels had to be there.
 - Proof angels were at the creation:

Job 38:1-7

¹ Then the LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind, and said,

² Who is this that darkeneth counsel by words without knowledge?

³ Gird up now thy loins like a man; for I will demand of thee, and answer thou me.

⁴ Where wast thou when I laid the foundations of the earth? declare, if thou hast understanding.

⁵ Who hath laid the measures thereof, if thou knowest? or who hath stretched the line upon it?

⁶ Whereupon are the foundations thereof fastened? or who laid the corner stone thereof;

⁷ When the morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy?

- So here we see that angels were there at the early part of creation.
- Brief history of the Bible: (Isaiah 14; Ezekiel 28)
 - Satan said he would exalt himself above the throne of God (Isaiah 14:13-14).
 - Ezekiel describes this anointed cherub almost using terms of a high priest, talking about how he had a breastplate with 9 stones on it, how it was his covering, and how the pipes were created in him so he could sing and he was the anointed cherub (Ezekiel 28:13-14).
 - Before the creation of Adam, Heaven was created. Angels were created before man.
 - Angels were called sons of God, or bene Elohim (Ezekiel 1:1-28). They were sons of God before Adam became the son of God.

- Among the angels were:
 - ***Cherubim***: the guardians of God's presence
 - ***Seraphim***: comes from the Hebrew word ***seraph***, which means ***to burn***. They are known by their bronze burning color. These are the angels that have six wings and cry "*Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord God almighty...*" Two wings cover their face, two cover their feet, and with two they fly (Isaiah 6:1-3).
 - ***Archangel***: there's only one mentioned by name in the Bible – Michael (Jude 9), who it says wrestled with the satan over the body of Moses.
 - ***Ministering Spirits***: the common angels of God who are simply sent to minister to the people of God for their personal needs (Psalms 104:4).
 - **[Book: Chronicles of the Sacred Mountain]**
- In the beginning of time Heaven had a temple. There was a golden candlestick [menorah] in Heaven (Revelation 1:12-16). There was a golden altar in Heaven (Revelation 8:1-5). The Ark of the Covenant exists in Heaven (Revelation 11:19).
- What is odd is that if you look at the book of Revelation there are some things you do not see in Heaven.
 - The Outer Court area of the Tabernacle:
 - You find out you have no record of a brass altar anywhere in Heaven. The reason is there's no need for any sacrifice. Jesus made the final sacrifice. So when we get to Heaven, we will not see anything that looks like the brass altar.
 - There's not a laver in Heaven. There's nothing to cleanse or sanctify up there. Everybody up there's been washed in the blood of the Lamb. They've made it to Heaven because of the blood of the Lamb.
 - Water is clear. If you look at still water through the laver you could see your reflection in it. In Heaven, John saw the floor of the throne room, and he described it as a sea of glass (Revelation 4:6; 15:2). That's a picture of the laver. It's not water that you have to wash in, but the entire floor has glass.
 - The Inner Court area of the Tabernacle:
 - There is a 7 branch candlestick [menorah] (Revelation 1:12-16).
 - There is a golden altar (Revelation 8:1-5)
 - What is missing in Heaven is the table of showbread. The Bible tells us we are going to eat of the hidden manna (Revelation 2:17). So Jesus being our bread, being the eternal bread – He's the bread Himself, so there's not a necessity of having a table of showbread that represents Him.
 - The Holy of Holies area of the Tabernacle:
 - There is an Ark of the Covenant in Heaven (Revelation 11:19).
- Satan was an anointed cherub. He had a host of angels under him. The cherub was an angel that guarded the presence of God. He had a breastplate of 9 stones. He had vials that created him, pipes that created him, tabrics (cymbals on tambourine). This creature known as Lucifer, that we call satan, could produce music. He could produce singing. (Ezekiel 28:13-14)
- There are three chief angels in Heaven:
 - ***Archangel Michael***: and his angels are always ***warring*** (Daniel 10:12-13; Daniel 10:20-21; Daniel 12:1; Jude 9; Revelation 12:7).
 - ***Gabriel***: every time you see him he's ***working***; he's bringing a revelation, he's coming down. He came down to Daniel with a revelation. He does the work of bringing God's messages (Daniel 8:16; Daniel 9:21); Luke 1:19; Luke 1:26).
 - ^ One wars, one works
 - ***Lucifer***: was a ***worshipper***. All creation worships God. All angels worship God. But consider this – the angels were divided 1/3, 1/3, and 1/3. 1/3 were warriors; 1/3 that were workers; 1/3 that were worshippers.
 - When Lucifer was cast out of Heaven, he was like a high priest in God's presence. He was the one that brought the worshipping angels to God, and he led the worship of Heaven, and the music and singing of Heaven. When satan fell, he took some worshippers with him.

- God said He was going to replace Heaven with some new worshippers. That's where you and I come in. In order for God to do this it was going to take a very detailed process of history. **A process that would be known as the process of redemption.**

(end DVD #6 at: 00:08:37)

Manna-Fest #1009, by Perry Stone (begin 00:40)

Manna-Fest: How You Can Do What Angels Can't:

(Parts of this can be found in greater detail in the book "Chronicles of the Sacred Mountain", by Perry Stone)

- There is one thing they can do, but there is no record of them doing it except one time at creation.
- In the Old Testament there are only several specific references to someone called satan or Lucifer (Isaiah 14:12).
 - He is called the anointed cherub that covereth (Ezekiel 28:13-16)
 - He was in the Garden of Eden (Ezekiel 28)
 - He walked up and down in the midst of the stones of fire (Ezekiel 28)
 - All the gem stones had to come out of fire, and he fell when the ninth floor of heaven was finished – he never finished the top three floors.
 - To get this revelation, you have to compare the stones of the breastplate of the priests – which were 12 (Exodus 28:15-21) – with the 9 the anointed cherub had (Ezekiel 28:13). Three were missing – they were for the three top floors of the New Jerusalem.
 - The Bible says he was enamored by his beauty and it says every precious stone was his covering (Ezekiel 28:13-15).
 - Every time he completed a floor, God covered him with that gem stone. When he got in the glory of God he radiated, and the Bible says he was lifted up because of his beauty (Ezekiel 28:12-18)
- Ezekiel 28 is a discourse on the anointed cherub:
 - Satan's position is a cherub.
 - He is the only one who was mentioned in the Bible as having an anointing with him (before he fell, not after).
 - Satan came before the throne of God and asked to attack Job (Job 1 and 2)
 - Satan does not show up again until chapters 41 and 42, when God gives a picture of him as a creature known as Behemoth and another known as Leviathan.
 - Leviathan is a serpent, and satan is identified as a dragon with 7 heads (Revelation 12:3-4). The Greek word for dragon there is actually the Greek word for **a serpent**.
 - 5,000 years ago someone did a fresco carved into a rock in Iraq and it was recently found. It has a picture of a even headed snake. In Greek mythology there was a serpent with many heads.
 - A third main reference to satan is when he hindered Yeshua the high priest (Zechariah 3:1-2).
- There's another phrase found in the Old Testament that refers to angels. It's the creation of the earth.

Job 38:4-5, 7 (AMP)

⁴ "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell Me, if you know *and* have understanding. ⁵ "Who determined the measurements [of the earth], if you know? Or who stretched the [measuring] line on it? ⁷ When the **morning stars sang** together and all the **sons of God (angels) shouted** for joy?

- This is before the creation of Adam. God is saying the morning stars sang and sons of God shouted.
 - **Morning stars** is a phrase that is used here. Lucifer is called "son of the morning" (Isaiah 14:12)
 - **Sons of God** refers to **angels**. God created the heavens and the earth, created in six days everything including man, so this account is pre-Adam.
 - Sons of God – bene Elohim – is found 4 times in the Old Testament:
 - The sons of God came into the daughters of men and bore giants which were mighty men of old (Genesis 5:1-4).

- Three was a day when the sons of God came before God and Satan came with them (Job 1:6 and 2:1).
 - The sons of God are actually the angels in the creation, because they came out of God, they were created by God, therefore they are sons of God.
 - Adam is called the son of God (Luke 3:38).
 - Israel is called God's son (Exodus 4:22).
 - Jesus came out from the father and He is the son of God.
 - When we are born again, we are sons of God (1 John 3:1-2) – why? Because we are born out of Him.
 - This is why the sons of God was used for angels, because God created angels as spirits in the beginning of time before Adam was created.
- **Lucifer** was called **son of the morning** (Isaiah 14:12)
 - **morning** here is the same Hebrew word used in **morning stars**
 - “The anointed cherub that **covereth**” – the word **covereth** in Hebrew implies a **protective covering of God's presence**, meaning he was a protector of the presence; he was a guardian of the presence of God (Ezekiel 28:14).
 - He had pipes and timbrels (Ezekiel 28:13), and vials that were created (Isaiah 14:11). These are all types of instruments.
 - In this passage it describes Lucifer as being a worship leader in Heaven. He was the angel that was on the mountain of God walking in the midst of the stones of fire and he was leading angels into worship (Ezekiel 28:13-14).
 - Lucifer is very beautiful.
 - Lucifer would open his mouth and instruments would come out. You could hear the words, but in the words was the music – there was no one playing an actual instrument. In him was the ability to create singing, or songs and praise.
- In the beginning of time, the angels are there when God creates the Heavens and the Earth. They are the morning stars singing and the sons of God shouting for joy (Job 38:6-7).
- Luke 10:18
- ¹⁸ And he [Jesus] said unto them, I beheld Satan as lightning fall from heaven.
- Satan has his angels, but Michael the Archangel had his angels and they will come into a cosmic clash in the future. Satan and his angels will be cast out of the upper atmospheric heaven and onto the earth (Revelation 12).
- When you read in the Old Testament (a span of about 4,000 years of time) you find only about five direct references to Satan: Job 1 and 2, Ezekiel 28:13-14, Isaiah 14:11-12, Zechariah 3:1-2.
- When you come into the New Testament you find thirty something references to demons, devils, and Satan.
- Why is it you come into the New Testament and you have all these levels of satanic activity – you have principalities, power, rulers of the darkness of this world, spiritual wickedness in heavenly places (Ephesians 6:12). In Daniel 10 we do see that the Prince of Persia is hindering Daniel's prayer. So where are principalities mentioned and alluded to. But in the New Testament you have the revelation of it in Ephesians 6:12.
- The reason is because under the Old Covenant there was never enough light to expose it. But Jesus shows up. He is the light of the world (John 8:12). When Jesus showed up He had so much light no devil had anywhere to hide.
 - He would go into a synagogue just to preach and they would scream out that they knew who He was, the son of God (Luke 4:40-41)
 - He went to Gadara and met a guy that had 2,000 demons, and when the man ran toward Him to hurt Jesus, he fell to his face to worship Him (Mark 5).
 - Jesus had so much of the glory, so much of the presence of God that any time there was a spirit around or darkness around that light would show up (Mark 5:6).

John 1:5

⁵ And the light shineth in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not.

- That word **comprehend** means **it couldn't hold Him down**.

- When Lucifer fell, that worship leader fell, he took 1/3 of the angels with him (Isaiah 14:12-14).
 - 1/3 were connected with Lucifer (worshippers) (Revelation 12:3-4)
 - 1/3 were connected with Gabriel (ministering/messengers) (Daniel 7:16)
 - 1/3 were connected with Michael (warriors) (Revelation 12:7-9)
 - It says the tail of the dragon drew 1/3 of the stars of heaven to the earth (Revelation 12:3-4).
 - Satan took 1/3 of the angels with him – he took the worshippers.
 - That is why on earth today music is so powerful. When Lucifer fell he corrupted the music on the earth and he took the singers with him.
- **When satan fell Heaven lost its song.**
 - At the birth of Jesus they were not singing, they were saying it:
Luke 2:13-14
¹³ And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, **and saying,**
¹⁴ Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.
 - Angels (around the throne) are crying not singing:
Revelation 4:8
⁸ And the four beasts had each of them six wings about him; and they were full of eyes within: and they rest not day and night, **saying,** Holy, holy, holy, LORD God Almighty, which was, and is, and is to come.
Revelation 5:11-12
¹¹ And I beheld, and I heard the voice of many angels round about the throne and the beasts and the elders: and the number of them was ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands;
¹² **Saying with a loud voice,** Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing.
Revelation 7:11-12
¹¹ And all the angels stood round about the throne, and about the elders and the four beasts, and fell before the throne on their faces, and worshipped God,
¹² **Saying,** Amen: Blessing, and glory, and wisdom, and thanksgiving, and honour, and power, and might, be unto our God for ever and ever. Amen.
 - **WORSHIP** exists in Heaven. **WORSHIP** exists on the earth. But **worship is your words.**
 - When Lucifer took 1/3 of the angels and the choir fell, **Heaven lost its song.**
- One of the reasons God loved David was because David was a man after God's own heart (I Samuel 13:14; Acts 13:22).
- You will find that when they crossed the Red Sea Miriam sang a song (Exodus 15:20-21)
- You will find the song of Moses when he was prophesying over Israel before his death (Deuteronomy 32).
- Other than those references, you will find almost no singing in the Old Covenant except/until when a man came along named David.
 - He was playing a harp and could play the devil out of King Saul (I Samuel 16:23)
- Then David established the Tabernacle of nothing but praise and worship (I Chronicles 16)
- When David committed adultery the law said he should have been stoned (II Samuel 11).
- When David set up Uriah to be killed they could have had a tribunal and had him stoned to death for murdering the man.
- God did not justify what David did.
- What got God's attention was David: when David repented he was not just saying it, he is singing his repentance (Psalms 51).
- There's something about when you sing you get the attention of God.
- When Paul and Silas were in a Roman prison, beaten with stripes, one looked at the other and asked if he wanted to sing. As they got to singing, I imagine God in Heaven got to patting His foot, and the big toe of God brushed up against the jail and knocked that jailhouse loose. ***Their music set every prisoner free*** (Acts 16:17-34).

- **God loved David so much because David restored what Heaven had lost.**
 - He set up a choir
 - He set up worship
 - He set up music
 - He set up praise
- These are what God didn't have. That's what was missing.
 - When you get to Heaven it's the 144,000 [humans] singing a song (Revelation 14:1-5)
 - It's the 24 elders, who were men on earth, singing the song (Revelation 14:1-5).
 - When God wants to hear a song He has to look to earth.
 - How do we know that? Because the 144,000 are not there yet. The 24 elders (12 sons of Jacob and 12 apostles) have not been resurrected yet. When John saw them the resurrection had happened because 12 of those men are the apostles to the Lamb and they have to be resurrected from the dead at the dead in Christ, and that happens at the rapture (Revelation 14:1-5).
 - When God wants to hear a song, He doesn't look to the angels who are SAYING "Holy, holy holy..." He looks to the earth where people are singing, "Holy, holy, holy..."
- **Your song is important to God!**

John 7:38

³⁸He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.

Proverbs 20:27

²⁷The spirit of man is the candle of the LORD, searching all the inward parts of the belly.

- Your diaphragm is right where you rib cage meets. If you press in there when you SAY your praise, it stays soft. When you do no other change than SINGING your praise, your diaphragm tightens. When you SING your song you are opening the well of your spirit.
- Anybody can fake saying a praise and it not be real, but something shifts when you sing.
- You can say a praise and not mean it – the Pharisees did it all the time.
- You can't sing from your spirit unless you mean it.
- When the Jews were in Babylonian captivity they were told by the Babylonians to sing one of the Lord's songs because they had heard they were good singers. The Jews said they hung their hearts on the willows because they couldn't sing the Lord's song in a strange land (Psalms 137:1-4).
- Yet, Paul and Silas were in a miserable position and when they sang Heaven heard their song (Acts 16:25-26).
- You may not be able to carry a tune in a suit case; you may be the greatest soloist and winner of award in the shower every morning; you might be a legend in your own mind driving the car to work while you're singing, knowing that you're totally tone deaf and your kids know it and the dog howls every time you sing a praise to God. But there's power in the song.

Ephesians 5:18-19

¹⁸And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be [continually] filled with the Spirit; ¹⁹Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord;

- When you begin to sing a song from your heart, and you begin to sing a song that you've made up, you open up a well from your spirit and out of your belly will flow the rivers of living water.
- Satan hates music and he hates the song. That's why in churches a lot of the difficulty comes out of the music department. As the saying goes: "When satan fell from Heaven he landed in the choir."
- There's power in your song. Don't ever let the enemy take your song, because if he can't take your joy he can't hang on to your stuff, he has to let it go (Hebrews 2:14-15).