

Angel of the Lord Appearances in the Old Testament

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Genesis 16:7–10	Hagar	Deliverance & Blessing The Angel of the Lord delivered Hagar from Sarai's wrath. We are not told how Abram and Sarai got the message. The Angel of the Lord named Hagar's child Ishmael "for the Lord has heard your affliction." God naming a child gives special significance to it, a blessing.
Genesis 21:8-20	Hagar	Deliverance & Blessing The Angel of the Lord delivered Hagar and Ishmael from thirst. The Angel of the Lord says of Ishmael, "I will make him into a great nation."
Genesis 22:11–13	Abraham	Deliverance & Blessing The Angel of the Lord delivered Isaac from being sacrificed and provided a substitute (verses 12-13). Then he blesses Abraham (verses 17-18)
Genesis 32:24–30	Jacob	Blessing The Angel of the Lord changed Jacob's name to "Israel" (verse 28) and "blessed him there." (verse 29)
Exodus 3:1–8	Moses	Deliverance The Angel of the Lord promised deliverance for His people (verse 8).
Exodus 14:19–20	Israelites	Deliverance The Angel of God delivered Israel from the Egyptian army (verse 30)
Exodus 23:2–23	Israelites	Deliverance & Blessing The Angel (of the Lord) will bring you into the land (blessing) and destroy the indigenous population (deliverance) (verse 23).

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Numbers 22:22–35	Balaam	Deliverance & Blessing The Angel of the Lord delivered Balaam from death (verse 33) and caused him to bless Israel (verse 35)
Judges 2:1–3	Israelites	Judgment
Judges 6:11–24	Gideon	Deliverance The Angel of the Lord commands Gideon to deliver Israel.
1Chron. 21:16–22	David	Deliverance Deliverance of Jerusalem from The Angel of the Lord
1Kings 19:1–8	Elijah	Deliverance & Blessing Delivered from his fear of Jezebel. Blessing, Elisha ministered to Elijah.
Isaiah 37:1-38	Residents of Jerusalem	Deliverance & Blessing Delivers Jerusalem from Sennacherib king of Assyria (v36). Prospers (v31)
Daniel 3:13-30	Three Hebrew Men	Deliverance & Blessing Delivers from the fiery furnace (v27) and caused to prosper (v30)