

# LESSON 4      The Rebellious Angel

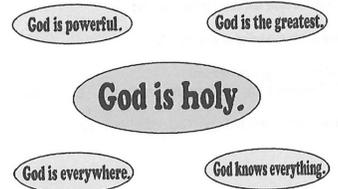
## Day 1

Check in with Uncle Peter, Jon and Carol  
Were some angels created evil?  
Who is the most powerful?  
Was Lucifer the first angel to do evil?  
What happened to Lucifer when he disobeyed God?  
What is the ultimate fate of Lucifer and all evil angels?



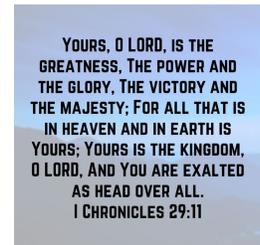
## Day 2

Isaiah 14:14  
It is really important that we keep in mind *who* and *what* God is. Look up the word *holy*. Look up the word *worship*. Everything God made was good because God is good and cannot create evil. Unfortunately, one of God's angels decided instead of worshiping God, the angel would like to be worshiped like God. Many of his fellow angels agreed with him and chose to be his followers, but we know that only God is holy and HE alone deserves to be worshiped.



## Day 3

1 Chronicles 29:11a  
Take some time to memorize the bible verse. It does not matter what version of God's word you memorize, but we use NKJV in class. (For younger kids: Yours, O LORD, is the greatness, the power and the glory,) Discuss what the verse means. Look up the word *glory*. Discuss things we do that glorify God (or acknowledge HIS glory)?



## Day 4

Isaiah 14:13-14  
Look up all of the word rebel (verb). How did Lucifer rebel against God? Do we ever rebel? Who do we rebel against? Did you know that when we rebel against our parents or teachers we are also rebelling against God? God said "Honor your father and your mother..."



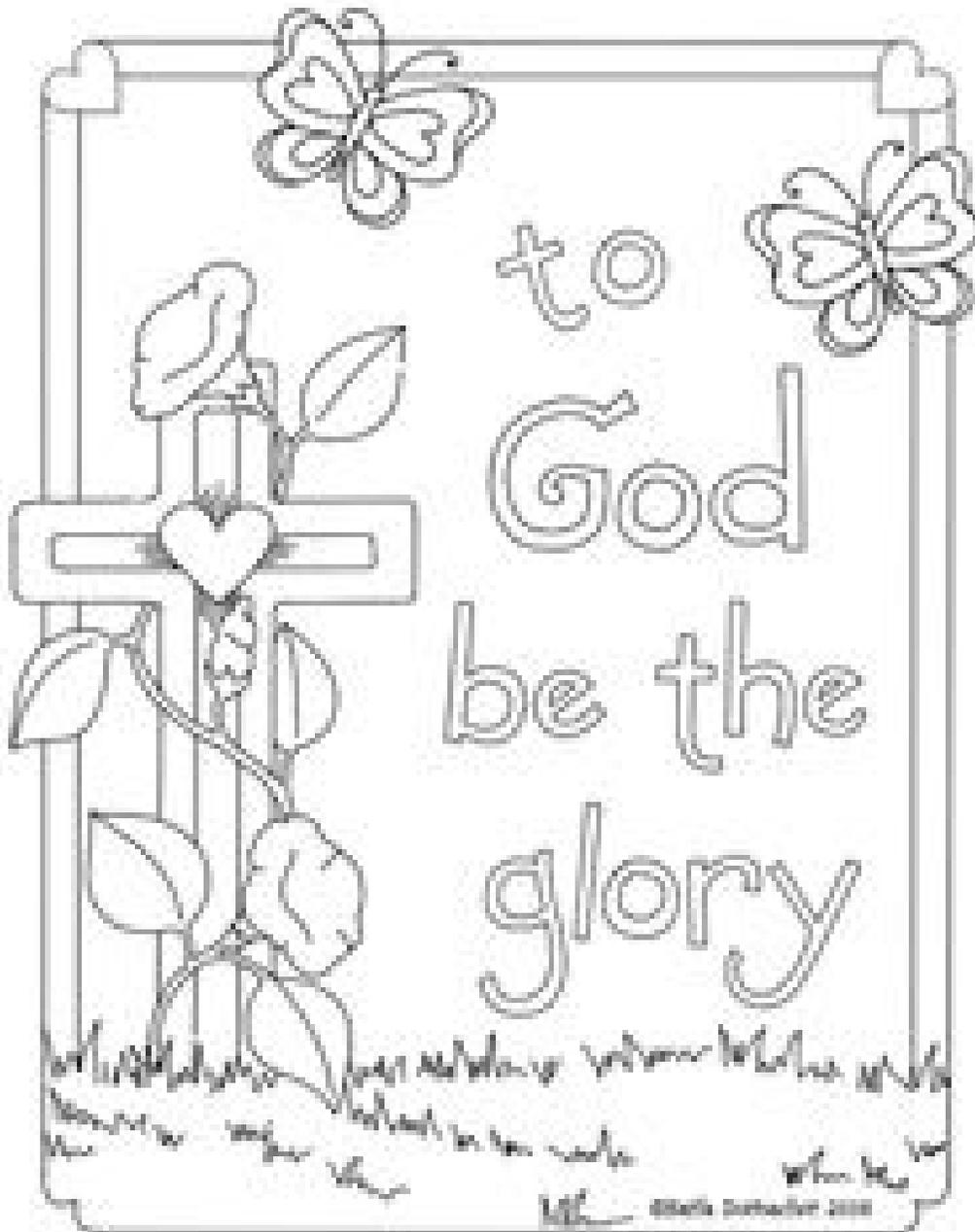
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Isaiah 14:13-14, Matthew 25:41, Revelation 20:10  
Take a closer look at the very beginning of verse 13. God knew what Lucifer was saying in his heart! There are no secrets kept from God, no secret villain takeover will ever be possible in heaven or on earth. HE will never let Lucifer win, in fact, HE has the situation well in hand. We have nothing to fear with God as our LORD!



Jeopardy Questions

1. Who is the greatest authority? (God.)
2. Who wanted to take over God's position of ruler of all things? (God's angel: Lucifer)
3. What is another name for Lucifer? (Satan or Devil)
4. What are the angels who followed Lucifer called? (Demons.)
5. What does God do to those who disobey or rebel against HIM? (God punishes them.)



Let us rejoice and be glad and give Him glory!  
Psalm 150:1

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## LARGE GROUP TIME REVIEW

*(Use to prepare for Small Group Time.)*

### STORY

"Hey, Jon, where are you going?" asked Carol.

"I'm going to hear more about the spirits," answered Jon.

Surprised, Carol said, "I thought you told Mom you wouldn't go back to hear those stories with your friends again."

"I am not going with my friends," said Jon. "I am going to hear about the special angel Uncle Peter was talking about last week. Do you want to come too?"

"Sure," replied Carol, "at least all the spirits in the Bible are good; nothing scary about them!"

"Hi, Uncle Peter," shouted Jon, as he ran up to Uncle Peter's house. "We came over to hear your story about the special angel in the Bible."

"O.K. Have a seat," suggested Uncle Peter. "You remember I told you that God gave some angels special jobs to do? God didn't create all the angels exactly the same; some were more beautiful, intelligent, and wise than others. God created one angel to be the most beautiful of all. He was very wise. His name was Lucifer. God put Lucifer in charge of the other angels."

"Lucifer must have loved God very much for giving him such an important position," stated Carol.

"You're right, Carol," agreed Uncle Peter. "Lucifer should have loved, obeyed, and served God more than any other angel. But after a time, Lucifer became very proud of his beauty. He decided that he wanted to take over God's position as the ruler of all things — Lucifer rebelled against God's authority over him."

"But I thought God created all the angels perfect," said Jon.

"God did create all the angels perfect," said Uncle Peter. "God loved them all, and treated them very, very well. No angel had any reason to turn against God, especially Lucifer, but Lucifer rebelled against God anyway. He was the first one to do evil."

"That's terrible," said Carol.

"Yes, it really was," agreed Uncle Peter. "Many of God's angels followed Lucifer and disobeyed God too. Lucifer became their leader."

"Did God know what Lucifer and his followers were doing?" asked Jon.

"God created all of the spirits," answered Uncle Peter, "and He knew everything they were thinking. Remember that God is everywhere and knows all things. He knew exactly what they were planning."

"God must have been very sad to see His angels turn against Him," said Carol, sadly. "What happened to them?"

"Carol," said Uncle Peter, picking up his Bible, "in the Bible, we read that God is the only true God. God would not allow Lucifer to take His place. He removed Lucifer from his important position of leadership over the angels. Lucifer and the angels that followed him could no longer live in heaven, nor could they be God's servants. Lucifer had become God's enemy, so God changed Lucifer's name to Satan. Satan means 'enemy.' God prepared a terrible place of everlasting punishment for them called the lake of fire, and someday He will send Lucifer and all the evil angels there."

"God must be powerful, Uncle Peter," said Jon, amazed. "Is that the end of Lucifer's story?"

"No, Jon," replied Uncle Peter. "The Bible has much more to say about Lucifer, but first, there are some other important stories in the Bible I want to tell you about."

"OK," said Jon. "We'll be back."

