

LifeGroup Questions for the week of December 10, 2017

“The Miracles of Christmas: Angels from the Realms of Glory”

Note: This is the last week LifeGroup questions will be posted in 2017. LifeGroup question will again be posted the week of January 7, 2018. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

1. How are angels commonly depicted in our culture? How does this differ with the biblical record?
2. What are some biblical stories involving angels? Which is your favorite and why?
3. Why do you think angels are such a prominent feature in the story of Christ's birth? What seems to be their function or role in these accounts?
4. The angels in these accounts gave signs: Zacharias would be speechless, Mary's aged cousin Elizabeth was six months pregnant, and the shepherds would find the Christ-child lying in a manger. What was the purpose of these signs and why were they important?
5. Why is the truth of Luke 1:37 that nothing is impossible with God so important? What does that mean for our lives? Why are we so hesitant to believe it?
6. What do we learn about Jesus in these angelic announcements? What does that mean for us? How do angels view the gospel and how should we?