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Luke 5:15-16-¹⁵ But the news about Him was spreading even farther, and large **crowds** were gathering to hear *Him* and to be healed of their sicknesses. ¹⁶ But Jesus Himself would *often* **slip away** to the wilderness and **pray**.

Eph. 6:12 (KJV)-For we **wrestle** not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

Hos. 12:4-Yes, **he wrestled with the angel and prevailed; He wept and sought His favor**. He found Him at Bethel And there He spoke with us.

Col. 4:12-Epaphras, who is one of your number, a bonds slave of Jesus Christ, sends you his greetings, always **laboring earnestly [agōnizomai] for you in his prayers**, that you may stand perfect and fully assured in all the will of God.

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2 Peter 2:11-whereas **angels who are greater in might and power** do not bring a reviling judgment against them before the Lord.

Matt. 28:2-And behold, a severe earthquake had occurred, for an **angel of the Lord** descended from heaven and came and **rolled away the stone** and sat upon it.

Isa. 37:36-Then **the angel of the LORD** went out and **struck 185,000** in the camp of the Assyrians; and when men arose early in the morning, behold, all of these were dead.

Gen. 15:9-11-⁹ So He said to him, “Bring Me a three-year-old heifer, and a three-year-old female goat, and a three year old ram, and a turtledove, and a young pigeon.” ¹⁰ Then he brought all these to Him and cut them in two, and laid each half opposite the other; but he did not cut the birds. ¹¹ The birds of prey came down upon the carcasses, and Abram drove them away.

Gen. 15:17-21-¹⁷ It came about when the sun had set, that it was very dark, and behold, *there appeared* a smoking oven and a flaming torch which passed between these pieces. ¹⁸ On that day the LORD made a covenant with Abram, saying, “To your descendants I have given this land, From the river of Egypt as far as the great river, the river Euphrates: ¹⁹ the Kenite and the Kenizzite and the Kadmonite ²⁰ and the Hittite and the Perizzite and the Rephaim ²¹ and the Amorite and the Canaanite and the Girgashite and the Jebusite.”

John 1:14-And **the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us,** and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth.

Isa. 6:7-He **touched** my mouth *with it* and said, “Behold, this has touched your lips; and your iniquity is taken away and your sin is forgiven.”

2 Cor. 12:7-10-⁷ Because of the surpassing greatness of the revelations, for this reason, to keep me from exalting myself, there was given me a thorn in the flesh, a messenger of Satan

to torment me—to keep me from exalting myself! ⁸ Concerning this I implored the Lord three times that it might leave me. ⁹ And He has said to me, “**My grace is sufficient for you, for power is perfected in weakness.**” Most gladly, therefore, I will rather boast about my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me.

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Gen. 17:5-No longer shall your name be called Abram, But **your name shall be Abraham;** For I have made you the father of a multitude of nations.

Gen. 17:15-Then God said to Abraham, “As for Sarai your wife, you shall not call her name Sarai, but **Sarah shall be her name.**”

2 Cor. 5:17-Therefore if anyone is in Christ, *he is* a **new creature;** the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.

Rev. 3:12-He who overcomes, I will make him a pillar in the temple of My God, and he will not go out from it anymore; and I will write on him the **name of My God,** and the **name of the city of My God,** the new Jerusalem, which comes down out of heaven from My God, and **My new name.**

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Judges 13:17-18-¹⁷ Manoah said to the angel of the LORD, “**What is your name**, so that when your words come *to pass*, we may honor you?” ¹⁸ But the angel of the LORD said to him, “Why do you ask my name, seeing it is **wonderful**?”

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John 1:18-**No one has seen God at any time**; the only begotten God who is in the bosom of the Father, He has explained Him.

Judges 8:8- He went up from there to **Penuel** and spoke similarly to them; and the men of Penuel answered him just as the men of Succoth had answered.

Judges 8:17-He tore down the tower of **Penuel** and killed the men of the city.

1 Kgs. 12:25-Then Jeroboam built Shechem in the hill country of Ephraim, and lived there. And he went out from there and built **Penuel**.

Conclusion

Num. 6:24-26- ²⁴The LORD bless you and keep you;
²⁵The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you;
²⁶The LORD lift up His countenance on you and give you peace.'