

Why Are We Here?

We are confined to this earth. In the Book of Isaiah, we see 3 falls of Satan.

Why is mankind on this earth right now? Why were we born and confined to this earth? Why were we created in the 1st place? *ARE YOU CRAZY to ask this question? NO.* The Westminster Catechisms of the Presbyterian Church say we are here to glorify God. That is correct, but does not totally explain. The reason we are here is no accident; there is a great purpose: Glorify God? Yes, but How? There is an ongoing angelic conflict. We know that God is going to win in the long run. The conflict has to do with God and us. There is a revolt against God, caused by angels, the first being Lucifer. Something lower and weaker than the angels is created – MANKIND – which is to be the solution. It tears Satan up to see people be saved and to see us loving God and advancing in the Word of God.

Angels do exist.

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1. Satan, through the centuries of time, has had a *HEYDAY* hiding and concealing the true meaning of many great Biblical subjects. Examples include: Salvation, Election, Tongues, Sanctification, Hell, Heaven, Blood, Rapture, etc.
2. Jesus knew that when people did not have truth fixed, concentered in the soul, then Satan would cause great confusion, and these magnificent Biblical subjects would be diminished and obscured.
3. This has certainly happened with the Biblical subject of the *“Blood of Christ.”*
4. Satan desires to throw a dark blanket of confusion and frustration over the minds of individuals relative to the total work of Jesus Christ on our behalf.

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5. What Jesus Christ has done for us in grace is blasphemed by the works, efforts, and legalism of people today.
6. Satan always desires to diminish Christ's Work, and to magnify man's works.
7. Satan has been so successful in obscuring the importance of our Lord's Spiritual Death, bearing our sins in His own body on the tree." [1 Pet.2:24](#)
8. [John 19:34, 35](#) provide the proof that He possessed a true body, contrary to Gnosticism (John heard many of the docetic Gnostics talking about the blood with its mystic meanings). John is pointing out that Christ did not bleed to death, like the animal sacrifices of the Levitical offerings. Instead of slumping down or leaning to one side, the Lord, when he was dying, pushed his body forward on the Cross, a position which would be expedient for a clear demonstration of His humanity, and that His true humanity did not bleed to death.
9. There definitely was some external bleeding (crown of thorns, nails in hands and feet); but had he died bleeding to death at the hands of a cruel mob, it would have falsely indicated that He had no volition, no choice in the matter. [John 10:18](#) – *"No man taketh it from me, but I lay it down of myself; I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This commandment have I received of my Father"*.
[Luke 23:46](#); [Mark 15:37](#); [Matt. 27:50](#)