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4. The Fall of the Angels

Other names for Satan (from the Hebrew, *the accuser*), who is the antagonist of the Archangel Michael, are the Church Slavonic word *Denytsia* (related to the word for *daylight*), and the Latin word *Lucifer* (meaning *light-bearer*). By his free decision, the former light within him was separated from its Divine Source and became darkness. Christ also warns humankind of this danger: “Therefore consider whether the light in you is not darkness” (*Lk* 11:35). (#144)