

The Face of Eternal Light

"The angels in Heaven always behold the face of Eternal Light, and in it - as in an immense mirror before which everything passes - everything is present, everything remains as if carved in indelible characters: the past, the present and the future.

"Everything that exists and was created by God: Heaven and Hell, the Earth, the stars, the sun, the moon, worlds known and unknown, all animate and inanimate beings...absolutely everything, receives its being and life from the wish, the power, the knowledge and the wisdom of that Infinite Light which is God, the one and only Source from which is derived all life that exists, and of which every other light and life is no more than a tiny particle, a pale reflection, one of His sparks.

"The angels, in their role as messengers, are our guardians and protectors throughout our lifetime: Thus the angels in Heaven, gazing into this mirror of Light which is God, in Him, see all things, know all things, understand all things, through their complete union with God and their participation in His gifts."

- Sr. Lúcia, of Fatima