# The Nephilim [Fallen Angels & their sons(demons)]

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The rebellion that began with Cain's descendants steadily increased. It got to the point where the principles of Romans 1:24 happened for the first time. Verses 18 to 32 also apply. God gave them over to the fallen angels. This was when Noah was 480 years old.

So what was going on in the spiritual realm? Revelation 12:4 indicates that when Satan rebelled against God, one third of the angels rebelled at the same time, & they were cast to the earth. The Bible doesn't say anything more about this event, but you could surmise that at one point the evil one decided that if he were to defeat The LORD's angels, he would have to increase his numbers, because at that stage, he was out numbered two to one.

Did the fallen Angels really marry women? Or was this the descendants of Cain marrying the descendants of Seth? Let's start with the Hebrew Text:

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The 2<sup>nd</sup> thing that is obvious when this passage is translated directly from the Hebrew is that the 'sons of Elohim' are angels. [Job 1:6 & 2:1]. The only other human that would qualify to be a 'son of God' at this point in history is Adam. Jesus wasn't born yet, so it doesn't refer to Him. Adam is God's son because God made him; God was his Parent. Adam's wife bore him sons. They are called the sons of Adam (Genesis 5: 3-4, Luke 3: 38, Jude 14), not the sons of God. Therefore, this passage of scripture is not talking about Adam's sons. [Besides that, if it did, it would apply to both Cain's descendants & Seth's descendants.] The only other ones that would fit into the category during this time of history would be the angels, both good and bad: They were directly created by God instead of being born. That would gualify them for being His sons. Job 1:6 and 2:1 calls them exactly that. Job1:6 says, "Now there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan also came among them". Job 2:1 says, "Again there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan also came among them to present himself before the LORD."



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The word is translated 'wives' instead of 'women' because of the meaning in context used here of the word 'theytook'. In this context it would mean 'to take a wife' as used in other places in scripture. However, this cannot be a legitimate marriage because angels & man are classified as 2 different kinds of flesh. Jude puts this in the same category as Sodom & Gomorrah (**Jude 6-7**). **Jude 7** says they indulged in gross immorality and went after strange flesh.

We are raised with the notion that angels are our unseen body guards. If that is true, the ones that rebelled against God went to the ultimate extreme, violating and defiling the very ones that they were assigned to protect, using them to accomplish their own purposes. When they broke themselves loose from God, what had been absolute purity and under God's control, now turned to utter corruption.

What does the New Testament say about **Genesis 6:1-4**? There are 2 passages of scripture in particular that deal specifically about this incident. They are **Jude 6-7** and **2 Peter 2:4-11**. The word 'angels' used in each one of those passages is the Greek word 'aggelos'. The Lord Jesus uses this same word 28 times in the Gospels to refer to angels. The other 52 times that 'aggelos' is used in the New Testament (from Acts to Revelation) also refers to angels.

#### These 2 passages have at least 4 basic things to say about Genesis 6...

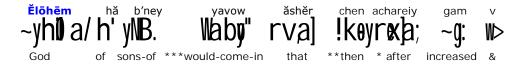
- #1 They were angels, and they copulated with women, and they had sons by them.
- #2 This was the same category as homosexuality.
- #3 The punishment is fire. The fallen angels who committed this sin are in pits of darkness in Hell. The inhabitants of Sodom and Gomorrah are in Hell.
- #4 God is going to cleanse the earth and the heavens with fervent heat before He comes back to reign upon the earth. Sodom and Gomorrah was just a taste of what He is going to do. [Apparently Pompeii was destroyed because of sexual sins too.]

What do the ancient people say about such things? Josephus says that they were angels, and that the tradition in his day was that their offspring did what resembled what the Grecians call giants (as in Greek Mythology). The translator of Josephus says that this notion was the constant opinion of antiquity. (See Josephus on the subject, page 28 'Josephus, Complete Works' <u>http://www.creationism.org/books/index.htm</u>)

#### THE BIG QUESTION: Can angels procreate? Well...the Bible says they did.

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So what about the scripture verse that says, "For in the resurrection they neither marry, nor are given in marriage, but are like angels in heaven." (Matthew 22:30) First of all, this passage of scripture is referring to those angels who will be in Heaven at that time, namely, the holy angels, and they neither marry, nor are they given in marriage. They never have, and they never will. They have never abandoned their post! My old pastor says that this doesn't necessarily negate the possibility that they could procreate if they wanted too. The other thing to consider is that Genesis 3:15 says that Satan has a seed. Since this verse refers to a literal descendant of the woman, then it also has to refer to a literal descendant of Satan

HOW DID THEY DO IT? I don't know! I can only share with you my theories. The thing that is hard to deal with is that angels don't procreate. There are no such things as baby angels in Heaven, and there is no such thing as female angels. They are always referred to as 'male' in the Bible, so how did they pull this one off, and for what reason? And the other question is, "Do angels have any kind of flesh of their own?" Jude says they do, because they went after strange 'flesh', meaning 'flesh that wasn't of their own type'. It's my notion that 'flesh' is something that the angels have the ability to change on their own person. There are some animals that have the ability to change the color of their skin in order to camouflage themselves. Maybe angels' flesh works on similar principals. Maybe they only 'wear flesh' when necessary because it gets in the way. Think about the logistics from a scientific aspect. You could travel through space a lot faster if you didn't have flesh to slow you down. Somehow they have the ability to control the molecular structure of their flesh and other things around them. Although Christ is not an angel, after He rose from the dead, He was able to enter a room even though the doors were closed! (See John 20:19-29). During another time, before He was crucified, He walked on water as if it were solid ground! (Matt 14:25, Mark 6:48, Jn 6:19). When the angel let Peter out of prison in Acts 12, his chains fell off and the iron gates opened without the angel even touching them. Many times in the Bible when angels appeared, they looked like men, and acted like men. In Genesis they ate the food Abraham gave to them (Gen 18:8), and grabbed Lot and his family by the arms and dragged them out of Sodom (Gen 19:16). You have to have nerve sensations to move body parts. If you don't have a sense of feeling, as in leprosy, your body parts

get damaged, or, as in the case of somebody who is paralyzed from the waist down, you can't move your legs, or wiggle your toes. You have to have nerves that feel things in order to move body parts. It's my notion that even though angels are ministering winds, and flames of fire (Hebrews 1:14), when they clothe themselves in flesh, the flesh has to have nerves. With that in mind, they can't 'indulge' as the scriptures indicate (Jude 7), if they don't have some kind of nerves. They wouldn't be able to 'indulge' if they were using somebody else's flesh. Nowhere in Genesis 6, or 2 Peter, or Jude, or anywhere else in the Bible does it ever say that the fallen angels possessed men's bodies to go into the daughters of men. That idea is assumed by many, but it contradicts the notion of the sin being a co-habitation of strange flesh. The Bible says that they did it themselves. It was a heinous crime, and the Bible puts it in the same category as **Sodom and Gomorrah** (2 Peter 2:4-9, Jude 6-7) and it was on a global wide scale. If the evil angels borrowed male human bodies, then why are the demon possessed men today who sleep with women, not producing giants? And why didn't the good angels ever borrow male human bodies when they appeared? Jude 7 says that the evil angels went after 'strange flesh'. They couldn't have gone after strange flesh unless they had some flesh of their own! If Satan has the ability to turn himself into anything he wants to, for example, an angel of light in 2 Cor 11:14, and a snake in God's garden in Gen 3:1-4, then it would stand to reason that his fallen angels also have the same ability. They can do things with their flesh that we can't. Consider this: If there are angels all around us, how is it that we can't see them? It's because they have the ability to make themselves invisible and 'unfeelable'. (2 Kings 6:16-17) If they are in the room, you don't feel yourself bump into them!

**Psalm 78:25** indicates that **Angels eat real food**. It reads in the NASB, beginning at verse 24, 'And He rained down manna upon them to eat, and gave them food from Heaven. **Man did eat the food of angels**;' That says it all right there! The logical reasoning here is that it takes a physical body to consume food. Does a spiritual body need food? [Apparently, even 'beings' outside the flesh have sensations of pain and thirst. Consider Luke 16:19-31. Here Jesus is talking about a rich man in Hades across the chasm from **Abraham's bosom** before Jesus empties Abraham's Bosom. Even though the rich man is outside his flesh, he is still in agonizing pain! He wanted **Lazarus** to dip the tip of his finger in water and then come over to him and cool off his tongue. Can a person outside their flesh transfer water? How is it that they are seeable? (1 Sam 28:12-14; Luke 16:27-28; Matthew 17:3) There is much that we don't understand!]

If angels weren't suppose to procreate, then the logical reasoning would be that they weren't given male seed. So the next question would be, **"How were they able to reproduce?"** In a physical body, every cell has a master blue print in its DNA. Angel's physical bodies are made of a substance that never dies. Its elements consist of eternal physical life. Angels never die (Luke 20:36). The same angels are still around that were created about 6000 years ago. Maybe they took their own cells (male) and combined them with the female egg to produce sons. Maybe the only thing that had to happen was for one of their cells to join itself with a woman's egg. The answer could be a lot simpler than we think. In any case, we now have 'Dolly the sheep', accomplished by men who have genetically inferior minds compared to what Adam had. If some inferior brains can accomplish

that, how much more do you think an angel can accomplish if he sets his mind to it? Remember, these fallen ones were at war against God, and they were very determined to win! To add to that, what about the science of stem cell research? If they weren't created with the ability to produce sperm, that may be how they were able to reproduce.

Keep in mind that demons & angels are two different types of beings. In the New Testament demons have no legitimate authority. You never see anybody in the New Testament casting out an angel. You only read about them casting out demons. The demons were the result of the angels copulating with women. They are the sons of that union. Later when their bodies drowned in The Flood, these half human-half angel beings became the demons. Their fathers are locked up in pits of darkness, but apparently they're not. Before the Flood, demons didn't exist, & people weren't 'demon possessed' as we understand the concept. {There's more information below on this in #c.}

These angels over stepped their boundaries. Jude 6 says, "Angels who did not keep their own domain, but abandoned their proper abode." Why did God allow them to do what they did to people? Romans 1:21 says that "For even though they (people) knew God, they did not honor Him as God, or give thanks". Verse 24 says "Therefore God gave them over in the lusts of their hearts to impurity, that their bodies might be dishonored among them." In Noah's day God gave the descendants of Adam over to the fallen angels because of their sin. [... May God spit in our eyes and cause us to see our unrighteousness before it's too late!] Apparently, prior to the 120 years just before The Flood, the general population had already rebelled enough against God, that He gave them over to the Nephilim. Apparently they had taken on the ways of Cain, and had followed into the rebellion of Lemek. If you choose not to walk with God, the evil rebellious fallen ones will eventually walk with you, and drag you along with them! The time from the first day of Creation until The Flood happened was 1656 years. That may seem like a tremendous amount of time to us, but back then, that was less than two life times! Enoch lived between 622 A.C. [After Creation] and 987 A.C. We can assume that he was already preaching by the time he was 65, because that's when his son Methuselah was born. Methuselah means "He-dies-&-it-is-let-loose!" (referring to the Flood). So Enoch could have preached for approximately 350 years. He was born when Adam was 622 years old, and Adam died when he was 308 years old. Enoch was taken 57 years later, which was 669 years before The Flood. His son Methuselah died right before The Flood. Enoch's preaching covered the first generation that ever lived, and the oldest generation to die at the time of The Flood. The Nephilim began to take over about 549 or 550 years after he was taken, so apparently the general population had not repented at his preaching.

Genesis 6:2 says 'They saw that the daughters of men were beautiful,' They lusted after them! 'And they took wives for themselves, whomever they chose.' Scary thought! The snake has always been intrigued by beauty. See Ezekiel 28:17. Not only that, he also preaches it! He says the beautiful people can have it all! And he uses it as a lure to trap people.

## Why did the fallen angels decide to produce sons? I can think of a few reasons:

a) The first reason was that they were competing with The Seed of the woman. The Seed of the woman was going to crush their head, but if they could wipe out Adam's descendants first, then He wouldn't be able to. Their plan was twofold. First, they would kill as many of Adam's descendants as they possibly could through their own sons. Secondly, they would turn man so completely against God, that God would have to destroy man for his wickedness! In the end YAHVEH confounded their plans with a wooden box and eight people! He allowed His heart to be severely grieved so that He could put an end to this area of the battle once for all time. That He would allow the battle to go to the extent that He did is because of His infinite wisdom. He chose the foolish and the simple things to confound the wise who think they are so smart! God is equal to the occasion no matter what gets thrown at Him!

**b)**Another reason is that **they wanted to be worshiped**! (Isaiah 14:14 and Ezekiel 28) Angels are supposed to be ministering servants. Every being in YAHVEH'S economy is supposed to serve, whether they are angels or people. Even YAHVEH serves. (John 5:17). If YAHVEH created beings to worship Him, why couldn't they create sons to worship them? That in itself was an act of rebellion! '

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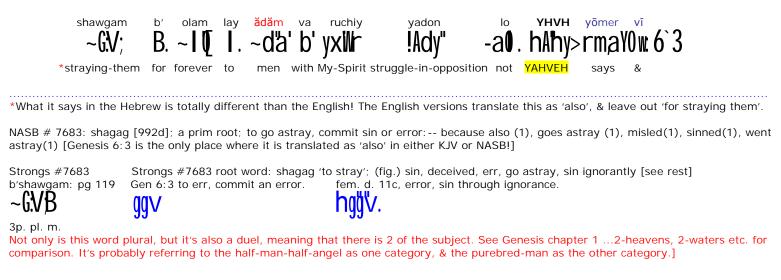
\*'Ha Shem' means 'The Name' & it generally refers to God's Name. In the way that it's used here, it means more than just 'heroes of old'. It is an indication that these Nephilim were worshipped as deity instead of the Creator. It's a pre-Flood parallel with the Anti-Christ. If they were just men of renown, it would be 'ahnshay-shem', not 'ahnshay-ha-shem'. [When Jewish people say 'HaShem', they are referring to the name of God which is YAHVEH. They consider His name so sacred that they won't even pronounce it, but instead say 'HaShem' (The Name). The term 'HaShem' is generally reserved for God's Name alone!!]

Apparently some of Noah's preaching had to do with speaking out against the hero worship of the Nephilim. The three son of Noah who survived The Flood were 'Shem, Cham and Yafet' (Shem, Ham & Japheth). Cham was the youngest and there is a controversy as to whether Shem, or Yafet was the oldest. I'm convinced that it was Shem. In any case, whenever you see the 3 of them mentioned together in scripture, Shem is always first, then Cham, and then Yafet. It is always in this order. Why? And why would Noah give them such strange names to begin with? Shem didn't even have his own identity! He was just called 'Name'. Can you imagine... "Name, come here and feed the dog! Name, quit harassing your brothers! Name, go feed the chickens!" His identity would have to come from The One he was to represent. I think Noah gave them their names as a reminder of his preaching, just as Enoch had named Methuselah, 'When he dies, judgment!' Yafet means 'Extensive or vast'. Cham means 'heat'. When a person is alive, they have body heat. When they are dead, they do not produce any more body heat. (Adam at that time was already both spiritually and physically dead.) Heat also has to do with

the presence of God. When God made His presence known in the Tabernacle in the wilderness, it was through a pillar of fire. God made Himself first known to Moses through a fire in a bush that didn't burn the bush. When The Holy Spirit first came upon the disciples at the day of Pentecost, it was demonstrated through tongues of fire resting on each one of the disciples (Acts 2:3). Our God is a consuming fire (Hebrews 12:29). Those who rebel against Him will be dropped into the lake of fire (Matt 25:41). My guess is that Noah was saying that the real Hero of Name, and the only One Who should be worshiped, was YAHVEH. He would give 'heat' as in the heat of everlasting life (a heat that would never grow cold and die) to those who put their trust in Him, and 'heat' as in the heat of eternal fiery judgment to those who rebelled against Him. And although the Nephilim were trying to take over the earth, through their seed, The Seed of the woman, The Real Hero of Name, would bring this 'heat', and His kingdom rule would be vast from horizon to horizon & from one end of the sky to the other!

c) They were trying to increase their numbers: If the fallen angels were cast down to the realm of the earth, reasoning says that they would have looked for a way to fight back! Revelation 12:4 indicates that one third of the angels, along with Satan, rebelled against The LORD. Satan was cast out of Heaven (See Ezekiel 28:11-19). Another reference is found in Isaiah 14:12. It says 'How you have fallen from Heaven, O star of the morning, son of the dawn!' In Luke 10:18 (NKJV) Jesus says, "I saw Satan fall like lightening from Heaven". [This is where the terminology 'Fallen ones' came from. They were literally cast out of Heaven. In the NASB concordance that is the meaning of the word 'Nephilim'. It means 'to fall' as if falling down or breaking. Some say that the word 'Nephilim' means 'to fall upon'. That's not hard to figure out either. If Satan goes around like a roaring lion seeking someone to devour (1 Pet 5:8), doesn't a lion have to fall upon its prey before it devours it? Isn't that what Satan's hosts seek to do to all of us?] In their war against God, they were outnumbered two to one. When lust gave way to copulation, and then the discovery of the ability to produce offspring, it could have been at that point that there was a mass exodus into this kind of sin by the fallen ones, and they would have sought to produce as many sons as possible. And to go with that, there is the question of what happened to these half man, half angel beings when they were drowned in The Flood. Apparently, when their human bodies died, they weren't chained up in pits of darkness like their fathers. They became the demons. Demons always seek to possess people or animals because apparently they don't have bodies of their own. Angels on the other hand have their own bodies. Chuck Missler has some good information on this that makes sense. http://www.khouse.org/topical\_bible\_study/nephilim/ He thinks that demons are the children that were born to the fallen angels that co-habited with women in Genesis 6:4. When their bodies drowned during The Flood, they became bodiless. Demons in the New Testament are always looking for a body to possess. He says back in Genesis 3:15 God said, "And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your seed and her seed." According to this, Satan has a seed. Nowhere in scripture are demons ever referred to as 'Sons of God', where as angels are. When I first heard this, it was mind blowing, and I wasn't sure if he was right or not. My first question was, 'Why would God allow that to happen?' Well, His ultimate goal is to crush evil forever, so that it never crops up in the New Heavens and New Earth. If that be the case, then He has to allow it to breed here so that He can inoculate us against it for all time.

### THERE WAS A TIME LIMIT OF 120 YEARS:



# Man was suppose to subdue the earth, but instead he had let himself become subdued by the Nephilim!



When the fallen angels took women and they bore sons to them, God set a time limit of 120 years. (Genesis 6:3.) That verse is right in the middle of the verses that talk about the fallen angels 'marrying' women. Verse 2 says that "the sons of God (angels) saw that the daughters of men were beautiful". They lusted after them (See Jude) and they took wives for themselves, whomever they chose. They did this without any restraints! They indulged in it (Jude 7). Genesis 6:3 says "Then the LORD said, 'My Spirit shall not strive with man forever, because he also is flesh, nevertheless his days shall be one hundred and twenty years". The very next verse (6:4) says the Nephilim (The Fallen Ones) were on the earth in those days, and also afterwards when the sons of God (fallen angels) came into the daughters of men, and they bore children to them. Those were the mighty men who were of old, men of renown (or men of name). Apparently, the fallen angels were only allowed to produce offspring for 120 years. If Lemek (Cain's descendant) in his rebellion led the way by taking two wives, these fallen angels probably had a multitude of wives which in turn produced whole armies of sons who were in total rebellion against the LORD. The Bible says that one third of the angels fell with Satan (Revelation 12:4). How many of that one third committed the sin of co-habiting with women? All that did are now chained up in pits of darkness (2 Peter 2:4 and Jude 6) in Hell. So who replaces those chained up angels in Satan's army? Apparently a bunch of bodiless demons looking for somebody to possess. Its mind boggling! Nowhere in the New Testament do you ever see the disciples casting out angels; in fact, Jude talks about Michael, the archangel saying to the devil, "The LORD rebuke you" instead of bringing a railing accusation against him, and he speaks out, as does also Peter (2 Peter 2:10) against those who revile angelic majesties. In fact, they were never even allowed to rebuke earthly authority over them. For example, **Paul** said in Acts 23:5 "I was not aware, brethren, that he was high priest: for it is written, 'You shall not speak evil of a ruler of your people.' Yet **Yeshua/Jesus** gives them authority to cast out demons. (Mark 3:15;16:17) Therefore demons must be illegitimate, and their authority must be illegitimate.

Consider this: The dude that was dethroned in Iraq was violent beyond description, and so were his two dead sons. His commands were carried out because his people were terrified of him. Take that scenario and apply it to every one of the fallen angels and their sons during the last 120 years of the pre-flood world. It's an absolute wonder that Noah and his sons even succeeded in building an ark, much less living to tell about it! It was truly by God's grace and intense protection alone!

I don't think the 120 years has anything to do with how long it took Noah to build the ark. It's my understanding that Noah started building the ark after Shem, Cham, and Yafet were born, and even after they were married, because the scriptures mention only these three sons and their wives that went on the ark. If there were any other sons alive at that time, God would have been telling something that wasn't true. God said to Noah "*you shall* go into the ark, **you, your sons**, **your wife** and **your sons' wives** with you." This was a promise to Noah from God!

Another thought to add here is that at the time that Shem, Cham and Yafet were born, the offspring of the Nephilim were just coming into power and their numbers were small. (Shem was born 22 years after God declared that mankind only had 120 years left. Genesis 11:10.) During the last days before The Flood, their numbers could have been huge, and the sons of Adam could have been a lot fewer.

**Can the Nephilim produce offspring now?** Here's the conclusion that I have come to: The fallen angels who originally produced offspring through human women are all locked up in pits of darkness in the deepest parts of Hell. That in itself should be a deterrent to anyone of the fallen angels who are still roaming around. The demons, if they are the spirits of these offspring, are bodiless. They don't have anyway to appear in a flesh form as angels do. Because they don't have their own 'accessible flesh', they don't have any angelic DNA to work from. [Chuck Missler discusses how the demonic deception (demons) who are disguised as 'aliens' are trying to produce children. It's my understanding that the reason that they haven't been successful up to this point is that they don't have any flesh of their own from which to obtain a 'DNA Code', and it is doubtful whether any of the other fallen angels will share theirs with them because they don't want to join their brothers in the pits of darkness!] **Demons before The Flood:** There weren't any. They are the dead offspring of the Nephilim. (& they are also ghosts etc., & space aliens etc., & any other sort of evil apparition.) Before The Flood, people were harassed by fallen angels and their offspring in the flesh. They could see what they were being influenced by. We, on the other hand can't see the demons that influence or harass us. When The Messiah returns, He will lock up the remaining fallen angels and the offspring of those already locked up. At the end of the Millennium, He will let Satan loose for a short period of time [Rev 20:3].

Were the blood lines of mankind corrupted? When a horse and a donkey breed together, their male offspring are sterile. The critter that is born unto such a union is called a mule or a hinny, and it usually grows to be bigger and sturdier that both of them. My own personal notion is that the offspring of the Nephilim in the same way were also sterile. There are many other people who think that the offspring of the Nephilim were able to have children & that this in itself corrupted the bloodlines of mankind. My answer to that would be [assuming that demons are the offspring of the Nephilim, and their bodies drowned in The Flood] that demons do not produce physical offspring. Whatever it was that gave their fathers the ability to produce offspring, they don't have. Nothing else in God's Creation has ever evolved into another totally new species, and reasoning would say that the same principle applies here. So, could they have produced offspring in the flesh? I doubt it. But, supposing they were able to, would this corrupt the blood lines of mankind? The Nephilim were only given 120 years. If the lifetimes of men is those days were somewhere between 900 & 1000 years, 120 years is not enough time to corrupt all human blood lines. The only way they could do that is if they continually slaughtered all the sons of men who came from uncorrupt lines. Maybe that was something that they were in the process of doing. In Genesis 6:13 God says to Noah, "The end of all flesh has come before Me; for the earth is filled with violence because of them." However, God puts the reason for His judgment and subsequent destruction of mankind squarely on Mankind's shoulders in Genesis 6:3, before the possible corruption of the blood lines even became full blown: He says, "My Spirit shall not strive with man forever, because he also is flesh; nevertheless his days shall be one hundred and twenty years." The 'angel co-habiting with daughters of men' thing was a final symptom of a deadly ailment in its final stages that mankind already had. Man was without excuse. The oldest people living in the last day before The Flood were also alive during the final days of Adam. Some of them might have even been his youngest sons and daughters! His youngest daughters may have been taken by the Nephilim & produced offspring to them. (It would all depend on how old Eve was when she stopped bearing children.)