

# MARK OF THE BEAST TECHNOLOGY

## "DIGITAL ANGEL EXPOSED"

Over the years that we've been teaching bible prophecy, and especially since we've been on the Internet, we have been **extremely** careful to try to interpret what is written as scripturally as possible. We are fully aware that a **lot** of people disagree with our views, the rapture being one, but that's okay. Bible prophecy is one of those areas of teaching that allows room for some interpretation. Whether the events written of are history, or are to happen in the future are discussed elsewhere on our site. What we want to focus on in this specific topic is **not** whether the new technology known as "*Digital Angel*" is **the** "Mark of the Beast", but rather the facts, as presented currently in the news and on the companies web site, that demonstrate a very real capability of one person, or persons, being able to track the movements of a large group of people simultaneously. We are **not** going to look at conspiracy theories, or attempt to scare people that read this article, but again, just present the facts as they are, and to allow room for some thoughts on future uses.

### What is "Digital Angel"

*"The idea behind the initial version of Digital Angel™ is to build a microchip that can be worn close to the body. This microchip will include biosensors that will measure the biological parameters of the body and store this information. It will also have an antenna that will receive signals from GPS satellites. The geographic location of the chip can be derived from these signals. The antenna also communicates with ground stations. It will receive commands from the stations and will send the biological information and location data to the ground station. This could take the form of a distress signal sent to a monitoring facility when the unit detects a medical emergency. The chip will be equipped with a micro battery. This battery will be self-rechargeable taking energy from the body or from its surroundings. All these components will be combined into a unit the size of a dime. Digital Angel™ will remain dormant most of the time. It will only be activated by the wearer or by commands from the ground station. The purpose is to save battery energy and to avoid interference with other devices, such as medical equipment or airplanes. The unit can be turned off by the wearer, thereby making the monitoring voluntary. It will not intrude on personal privacy except in applications applied to the tracking of criminals. Digital Angel™ measures bodily parameters. It does not interact with the body chemically or biologically. Designed to be completely harmless, Digital Angel will not interfere with bodily functions in any way."<sup>(1)</sup>*

Sounds like some "neat" and solid technology to assist mankind today, and it is. Such a useful system would save many lives, help the police find and return lost and kidnapped children, and so on. But a person **has** to ask a couple of questions regarding the system.

According to their own description and advertisement, as stated above, the system can be turned off by the wearer, and turned on by the system manager (or monitor), to what extent **is** the privacy allowed? Let's suppose that you were asleep in the middle of the night, and the monitor wanted to check on your whereabouts? Could they simply turn on the system and pinpoint you? What if, you decided to voluntarily leave home for an extended period, without a lot of notice, let's say, for an unplanned trip. Let's assume that you didn't want anyone to know (yes, it happens), but concerned family members begin to worry about you after a few days of absence. They could simply notify the monitoring station, who could turn on the device and boom... your personal little blip will appear on some computer screen, complete not only with your location, but also with your vital statistics.

### **Mark of the Beast?**

We at *ETIC* are **not** saying that *Digital Angel* is the "mark of the beast" referred to in the Book of the Revelation, chapter 13, since scripture is clear that the "mark" has to do with the *worship* of the Antichrist, his number, his image, and/or his name...

*And it was given to him to give breath to the image of the beast, so that the image of the beast would even speak and cause as many as do not worship the image of the beast to be killed. And he causes all, the small and the great, and the rich and the poor, and the free men and the slaves, to be given a mark on their right hand or on their forehead, and he provides that no one will be able to buy or to sell, except the one who has the mark, either the name of the beast or the number of his name. Here is wisdom. Let him who has understanding calculate the number of the beast, for the number is that of a man; and his number is six hundred and sixty-six. - Revelations 13: 15-18*

...but, in the case of *Digital Angel*, what we have is the very real system, that works today, that can be used for tracking not only individuals, but also large groups of people. Again, not wanting to get into any type of "conspiracy theory", one **has to** consider the possibilities of where a government could go with such information.

Is it possible that this technology can be used by the future Antichrist or his government to track believers? Sure! Just like it could be used to track down husbands who don't pay child support, or to track the predators who seek to harm your children, and 100 other types of people.

The key to *Digital Angel* is not the system itself, but rather, the hands and mind that choose to use it.

As we can additional insight into *Digital Angel*, we will add the links to this page, so feel free to check back frequently.

**References & Additional Links:**

<sup>(1)</sup>[Digital Angel web site.](#)

[The digital guardian angel](#)