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Questioner: Can people see the angels?

Shaykh al-Albaanee (رَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ)¹: In the form Allaah created them in, no. In forms which they may imitate, then of course.

And 'Aishah² (رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهَا)³ and others saw Jibreel in the form of Dihyah al-Kalbee. As for seeing Jibreel in his original form, then that was not granted to anyone except the Prophet (صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ)⁴.

Al-Hudaa wan-Noor, 322.

¹ (رَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ) (rahimahullaah) May Allaah the Most High have mercy on him

² 'Aaishah, the Mother of The Believers

³ (رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهَا) (rad iyallaahu `anhaa) May Allaah the Most High be pleased with her

⁴ (صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ) (sallallaahu `alayhi wa sallam) May the peace and blessings of Allaah the Most High be upon him

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