



Class Newsletter

Brainercise Riddle

What five-letter word becomes shorter when you add two letters to it?



Who Am I?



Fun Bible Facts Nazareth

Population: The village area of Nazareth was populated mostly by Jews, but also with some diversity of Syrians, Greeks, and Romans

James Strange, an American archaeologist, notes: "Nazareth is not mentioned in ancient Jewish sources earlier than the third century AD. This likely reflects its lack of prominence both in Galilee and in Judaea." Strange originally speculated that the population of Nazareth at the time of Christ to be "roughly 1,600 to 2,000 people", but later, in a subsequent publication, at "a maximum of about 480."

In English translations of the New Testament, one reads the phrase "Jesus of Nazareth" seventeen times where the Greek means literally "Jesus the Nazarene" or "Jesus the Nazoraean."

Fun
Facts



Jump start your week

Memory Verse: Isaiah 9:6

"For to us a Child is born, to us a Son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders and He will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."



Story of the Week:

Matthew 1:18-25
Luke 2:1-20

Hints for "Who am I?"

They are often mentioned along with Pharisees

They did not believe in the resurrection

preaching the Gospel

They attempted to prevent Peter and John from

They were jealous and fearful of the Apostles

They took part in the arrest of Jesus Christ