

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: 2 Corinthians 5:17
"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come!"



Story of the Week: Through the Roof
Luke 5: 17 - 26

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