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— “Was Jesus Always Called ‘Jesus’?” —

There was no letter "J" or "j" in Bible times. Christ was never called "Jesus." God was never called "Jehovah." There was no "J" or "j" in any language until it was added to the English language in the Fourteenth-Century.

The "J" and "j" first became widely used at some point in the 17th Century. The name, "Jesus," first appeared in the 4th edition of the KJV. That was around 1630 A.D. In the original 1611 edition of the KJV, our Lord's name was spelled, "Iesus" and "Iesvs," from the Latin, "Iesous." It was pronounced, ee-ay-soo-ee. Still, today, it is pronounced something like that in Latin (i.e.: Spanish-speaking) countries.

Yes, I still call Him Jesus when I write and speak of Him and when I pray. Why, then, should this little-known Bible fact matter at all? Because, multiple scriptures (O.T. and N.T.) tell us that we should seek KNOWLEDGE as if it were a rare treasure.

You doing that?

Great! Most believers seek only "The Warm Fuzzies!"



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