

Is There
A Really
Difference?



A Closer Look At The Jehovah's Witnesses

AT A GLANCE

1. Background

- Founded by Charles Taze Russell in the _____
- Russell prophesied that Jesus would return in _____ and then in _____
- The leaders at the headquarters in Brooklyn, New York have absolute _____ over Jehovah's Witnesses
- JW's claim to be the one _____ church in the world

2. Some Statistics

- Almost _____ million JW's in 236 countries and territories worldwide
- Added 298,000 new _____ last year
- The *Watchtower* magazine is the most widely read magazine in the _____

3. Some Compliments

A CLOSER LOOK AT THE DIFFERENCES

1. They Differ In Their Beliefs About _____

- Jehovah's Witnesses deny the doctrine of the _____
- Christianity teaches that God is _____ in _____
- Jehovah's Witnesses teach that there is only _____ God and Jehovah is his name

2. They Differ In Their Beliefs About _____

- Jehovah's Witnesses believe that Jesus is _____ being but _____ God
- The Bible teaches that Jesus was God in the _____ - Matt 1:22-23; John 8:53-59
- Jehovah's Witnesses believe that Jesus resurrected only _____
- The Bible teaches that Jesus resurrected _____, _____ - John 20:17-18; John 20:26-29

3. They Differ In Their Beliefs About The _____

- Jehovah's Witnesses teach the Holy Spirit is a _____ *not* _____
- The Bible teaches that the Holy Spirit is _____

(Ephesians 4:30-31) "grieve" = *lupeo* – to cause _____

(John 14:26-27) "Helper" – *parakleetos* – _____ called along side

4. They Differ In Their Beliefs About _____ And _____

- Jehovah's Witnesses believe that only _____,000 faithful JW's will go to heaven
- The Bible teaches that heaven is a place available to _____ those who put their faith in Jesus – John 14:1-4
- Jehovah's Witnesses don't believe in a _____ hell of eternal punishment
- The Bible teaches that there is a _____ place of eternal separation from God called hell – Matthew 25:41-46; Luke 16:19-31

5. They Differ In Their Beliefs About _____

- Jehovah's Witnesses believe that salvation comes through faith in Jesus _____
- The Bible teaches that salvation is by _____ through _____ alone – Titus 3:5-8; 1 John 5:13-14

REACHING YOUR JEHOVAH WITNESS FRIENDS

1. Don't _____
2. Express Your _____ And God's _____ For Them
3. If Possible Share How _____ Became A Follower Of Jesus