

Overview Of Jehovah's Witnesses

Like so many people of various religious backgrounds, the Jehovah's witnesses are ignorant of the history of their belief system and their organization. Long before Charles Taze Russell came along with his "new light" on the Bible, there was a man named Arius. In the 3rd century AD he taught pretty much the same thing that the Watchtower Society teaches about the nature of Jesus Christ. Arius was pronounced a heretic by Christians of his day for his false teachings on the deity and nature of Christ. He taught that Jesus (God the Son) did not exist eternally with God the Father, thereby denying the Trinitarian nature of God. This heretical teaching of Arius became known as Arianism. Regarding salvation, Jehovahs Witnesses are often unaware that their organization teaches a brand of salvation referred to as Arminianism. This false gospel attributes greater goodness to fallen man than God attributes to him.