

I [ji:] **арх.**, поэт. см. you II

seek and ye shall find - **библ.** ищите и обрятете
how d'ye do - здравствуйте
ye gods! - о боги!

II

[ði:,ji:] **арх.** = the

ye

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ye pronoun, determiner

pronoun BrE [jɪ] ; NAmE [jɪ] weak form [ji] ; weak form NAmE [ji] (old use or dialect) a word meaning 'you', used when talking to more than one person

- Gather ye rosebuds while ye may.

Word Origin:

pron. Old English gē Germanic Dutch **gij** German **ihr**

det. late Middle English **þorn** the ye

determiner BrE [jɪ] ; NAmE [jɪ] a word meaning 'the', used in the names of pubs, shops, etc. to make them seem old

- Ye Olde Starre Inn

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I. **ye**¹ /jɪ/ BrE AmE **pronoun old use**

[Language: Old English; Origin: ge]

you – used especially when speaking to more than one person:

Abandon hope all ye who enter here.

II. **ye**² BrE AmE **determiner**

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Old English; Origin: þe 'the']

the – used in the names of shops and **pubs** to make them seem old:

Ye Olde Antique Shoppe

ye

Freakuency Pack

12500 **4285** MCW

15000 **13** COCA

RANGE: **1k** YOU 3979454

you 3223856

your 696102

yourselves 1689

yourself 43857

yours 10500

ye 2601

yer 695

yerself 51

youz 103

COCA 500k Unlemmatized

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