

The King James Version's "Authorized" Emoticons!

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The King James Version of the Bible may be 400 years old this year, but its quaint punctuation remains chock-full of modern emoticons! Here's the complete list. Blue highlights indicate two different emoticons in a single text; red highlights indicate emoticons appearing in some printings. Turn your Bible sideways, and be amazed; I was!

Smiley or Happy Face (40 Times), Printed as . . . :))			
Gen. 49:24	1 Ki. 11:16	Job 8:9	Jn. 6:23
Ex. 23:15	1 Ki. 11:32	Ps. 7:4	Acts 10:36
Ex. 30:13	2 Ki. 7:13	Ps. 49:8	Acts 18:2
Ex. 32:25	2 Ki. 25:4	Eccles. 8:16	Rom. 10:6
Lev. 24:11	1 Chron. 5:2	Jer. 42:2	2 Cor. 5:7
Num. 3:47	1 Chron. 6:10	Jer. 52:7	Gal. 2:6
Num. 34:2	2 Chron. 5:12	Mt. 6:32	Gal. 2:8
Deut. 29:17	2 Chron. 6:30	Mt. 24:15	Heb. 7:21
Judg. 1:10	2 Chron. 34:22	Mk. 6:14	Heb. 11:38
2 Sam. 14:26	Esther 1:1	Lk. 2:4	Heb. 12:21

Sad (15 Times), Printed as . . . :((
Ex. 23:15	2 Sam. 4:2	2 Chron. 11:21
Ex. 30:13	1 Ki. 8:14	Eccles. 8:16
Lev. 24:11	2 Ki. 25:4	Jn. 2:9
Num. 3:47	1 Chron. 7:14	Acts 10:36
Judg. 1:10	2 Chron. 5:11	1 Jn. 2:23 (var.)

Wink (51 Times), Printed as . . . ;))			
Gen. 14:8	1 Ki. 12:2	Job 32:16	2 Cor. 10:4
Lev. 18:27	2 Ki. 22:14	Jer. 29:2	2 Cor. 12:2
Num. 14:13	1 Chron. 7:15	Ezek. 16:23	2 Cor. 12:3
Num. 31:46	1 Chron. 18:10	Mk. 5:13	Gal. 1:1
Deut. 2:29	1 Chron. 26:10	Mk. 15:41	Eph. 2:5
Deut. 3:9	Neh. 6:1	Lk. 2:23	Eph. 5:9
Deut. 4:31	Neh. 8:5	Lk. 23:51	Col. 2:22
Deut. 5:5	Neh. 9:29	Jn. 2:9	Col. 4:10
Deut. 21:23	Esther 1:14	Jn. 7:22	1 Tim. 2:7
Judg. 9:18	Esther 2:12	Rom. 2:15	Heb. 10:23
1 Sam. 22:6	Esther 9:1	Rom. 9:11	2 Pet. 2:8
1 Ki. 8:14	Job 30:5	Rom. 11:8	1 Jn. 1:2
1 Ki. 8:39	Job 31:18	2 Cor. 9:10	

Angry, Mad (25 Times), Printed as . . . ; (
Gen. 38:16	2 Sam. 21:2	2 Chron. 34:22	Jer. 52:7	Acts 5:12
Gen. 49:24	1 Ki. 8:39	Neh. 6:1	Mk. 6:14	Acts 18:2
Ex. 32:25	2 Ki. 22:14	Neh. 8:5	Lk. 2:4	Eph. 3:3
Num. 34:2	1 Chron. 18:10	Ps. 7:4	Jn. 7:22	Eph. 6:2 (var.)
Deut. 21:23	2 Chron. 6:30	Jer. 42:2	Jn. 21:8	Heb. 10:23

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