

Re: Why wont this statement work

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In your table use 'srtName' for the field name ('str' is a memory jogger which will tell you at a glance that the field contains string data) ... by using a filed naming convention like this you overcome forever the danger that you'll use a word reserved by Access/VB/JET ... Cheers ...

"fredg" wrote:

> On 28 Jul 2005 20:27:28 -0700, dgrdinh@xxxxxxxxxx wrote:
>
>> Hello, building reports in access for the first time. I'm putting
>> expressions into Text Boxes but get odd results. I have a field in a
>> table for a name of a person, its called "NAME".
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>> when I put
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>> NAME
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>> into the textbox I get the persons name: Andy
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>> when I put
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>> ="Hi There " + [NAME]
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>> I want "Hi There Andy" but get "Hi There Reports By Class",
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>> where Reports by Class is the name of my report. Why is it sometimes
>> getting the "name" property from the table in some cases and the "name"
>> of the report in others? whats the rule? How do I specify to use the
>> "name" of the table and not the "name" of the report?
>
> Name is a reserved Access/VBA/Jet word and should not be used as a
> field name.
> See the Microsoft KnowledgeBase article for your version of Access:
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> 109312 'Reserved Words in Microsoft Access' for Access 97
> 209187 'ACC2000: Reserved Words in Microsoft Access'
> 286335 'ACC2002: Reserved Words in Microsoft Access'
> 321266 'ACC2002: Microsoft Jet 4.0 Reserved Words'

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> After you change the [Name] field to something else,
> ="Hi there " & [AField]
> will work. Make sure the name of the control is not "AField"
> --
> Fred
> Please only reply to this newsgroup.
> I do not reply to personal email.
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• **References:**

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