Caught up in the Clouds to Meet the Lord:

Christian doctrine teaches that we are saved by the grace of God through our faith in Jesus Christ, the Son of God; who is God that came to earth in the flesh, and gave his life for the remission of our sins. We have a hope, grounded in Scripture, that we will one day go to be with the Lord in heaven for eternity. We learn from the Bible that there will be a resurrection of the body at the end of time. However, it is not the body as we know it in a physical sense, but a spiritual body.

But some man will say, How are the dead raised up? and with what body do they come? 1Corinthians 15:35. All flesh is not the same flesh: but there is one kind of flesh of men, another flesh of beasts, another of fishes, and another of birds. There are also celestial bodies, and bodies terrestrial: but the glory of the celestial is one, and the glory of the terrestrial is another. There is one glory of the sun, and another glory of the moon, and another glory of the stars: for one star differeth from another star in glory. So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown in corruption; it is raised in incorruption: it is sown in dishonour; it is raised in glory: it is sown in weakness; it is raised in power: it is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. There is a natural body, and there is a spiritual body. Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption. Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality. 1Corinthians 15:39-44, 50-53.

It is not only the dead which will be raised, in the end. The faithful who are alive and remain at the second coming of Christ will be taken up to be with him, in what is commonly referred to as the "rapture." But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him. For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep. For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. 1Thessalonians 4:13-17.

Of whom was Paul speaking in his letter to the Thessalonian church when he said, "the dead in Christ shall rise first: then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds"? Throughout the OT of the Bible, the Jewish people are referred to as "the elect," the chosen people of God. In the NT, those who have accepted Jesus Christ as Savior are referred to as "the elect." The words of Jesus tell us who will be caught up in the clouds upon his return: But in those days, after that tribulation, the sun shall be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars of heaven shall fall, and the powers that are in heaven shall be

shaken. And then shall they see the Son of man coming in the clouds with great power and glory. And then shall he send his angels, and shall **gather together his elect** from the four winds, from the uttermost part of the earth to the uttermost part of heaven. Mark 13:24-27. It is the elect of God who will be caught up in the clouds when Christ returns.

Through the use of gematria, by which the numerical value of words in Hebrew and Greek are determined, it is possible to discover the truth according to the Bible concerning what will happen when Jesus Christ returns to gather his elect. The method of gematria that is used in this article involves using the Hebrew root word spelling, and not the proper grammatical spelling, for each word in a sentence that is consistent with what is written in Scripture. The gematria value of the sentence determined in this way is then shown to have direct correlation with a Greek word or words from the Bible which have the same numerical value as the sentence. In the gematria evidence to follow, each Hebrew root word that is used in a sentence is identified by its reference number according to *Strong's Concordance*. Associated Greek words, which may be alternate spellings of the words which change according to rules of grammar, are also identified by their *Strong's* reference numbers.

The passage of Scripture from 1Thessalonians 4:17, is the basis for the doctrine of an end time "rapture" of God's elect. The Greek word that is used in this verse for "caught up," which is harpazo (G726) ($\dot{\alpha}\rho\pi\dot{\alpha}\zeta\omega$), has the meaning of: catch, seize, catch away, carry off by force. A Hebrew word (H270) which has the same meaning, is used in the following gematria associations. In addition, the Hebrew root word with the meaning of "meet," is H7122 ($\mathbf{R} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{P}$), but *Strong's Concordance* lists H7125, which has \mathbf{T} as a suffix to the root word, in 99 instances where it is translated as "to meet." Therefore, in the sentences for which I have determined the gematria value, I have used H7125 instead of H7122, in the evidence to be shown.

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

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בּחִיר אחז ענן 170+16+220= 406 CATCH UP (G726) = \mathring{\eta}ρπάσθη = 406 ARISE /ASCEND UP (G305) = \mathring{\alpha}ναβάντα = 406
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The first Greek word shown above with a gematria value of 406 is an alternate spelling, according to grammatical rules, of the root word, harpazo, that is used for "caught up" in 1Thessalonians 4:17. As will be demonstrated in gematria evidence to follow, several different spellings of this word will be found in association with sentences of scriptural truth regarding the elect being caught up at the end of time.

In the end, (H7093) the LORD (H3068) will come (H935) again, (H5750) and the elect (H972) will be caught up. (H270)

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קץ יהוה בוא עוד בחיר אחז 16 + 220 + 80 + 9 + 26 + 190 = 541
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CATCH UP (G726) = $\stackrel{?}{\alpha}$ ρπαγέντα = **541**

The elect will be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord.

Caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

אחז ענן קראה יהוה

26 + 306 + 170 + 16 = 518

CATCH UP (G726) = ἀρπαγησόμε θ α = **518**

The LORD (H3068) will come (H935) again, (H5750) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

יהוה בוא עוד בחיר אחז ענן

170 + 16 + 220 + 80 + 9 + 26 = 521

This Greek word which has a gematria value of 521, is the place to which the elect will be caught up. Paradise, which means a garden of pleasure, is a word that is used for heaven. And he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom. And Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, To day shalt thou be with me in paradise. Luke 23:42-43. He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God. Revelation 2:7.

PARADISE (G3857) = παράδεισον = **521**

The gematria value of the next two sentences reveals who will be caught up at the coming of the Lord. It will be the saints of God. In the NT, all those who have accepted Christ are called saints.

We that are alive (H2416) and remain (H3499) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

חָי יתר אחז ענן

170 + 16 + 610 + 18 =**814**

At the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the dead (H4191) will rise (H6965) first, (H259) then (H176) we that are alive (H2416) will be caught up (H270) together (H3162) with (H5973) them.

בוא יהוה מות קום אחד אז חי אחז יחד עם

110 + 22 + 16 + 16 + 8 + 13 + 146 + 446 + 26 + 9 = 814

CATCH AWAY / CATCH UP (G726) = ἀρπάζοντες = 814

TAKE UP / RECEIVE UP (G353) = ἀναληθεὶς = 814

HOLY / SAINTS (G40) = $\dot{\alpha}\gamma\dot{\imath}\omega$ = 814

One additional Greek word which has a gematria value of 814, is quite significant. The early Christian church referred to the day on which Jesus arose from the tomb as the eighth day; the

day after the Sabbath, which is the seventh day. In eschatology, the time of the end is viewed as the end of the seventh day. Therefore, the eighth day, is associated with the resurrection, or new beginnings. On the eighth day the elect will be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord, there will be a new beginning after the resurrection.

THE EIGHTH DAY (G3637) (root word spelling) = ἀκταήμερος = 814

At the end (H7093) of time (H6256) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the Lord (H3068) in the air. (H7307)

קץ עת בחיר אחז ענן קראה יהוה רוּח

$$214 + 26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 470 + 190 =$$
1612

ARISE / TO RAISE UP (G450) = $\dot{\alpha}$ v α o τ $\dot{\omega}$ o τ v = 1612

At the appointed time (H4150) in the end, (H7093) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

מועד קץ בחיר אחז ענן

$$170 + 16 + 220 + 190 + 120 = 716$$

A Greek word with the gematria value of 716, might be overlooked as having an association with the elect being caught up in the clouds. However, after considering the expanded meaning of the word, it is then apparent that there is, indeed, a numerical word association.

RECEIVE / TO TAKE UP AND CARRY AWAY TO PRESERVE / TO CARRY OFF WHAT IS ONE'S OWN (G2865) = ἐκομίσατο = 716

Jesus promised that when he returned, he would send his angels to gather the elect. The dead in Christ will arise first.

The dead (H4191) in (H5921) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will arise. (H6965)

מות על משיח קום

$$146 + 358 + 100 + 446 = 1050$$

The Son (H1121) of man (H120) will be seen (H7200) coming (H935) in the clouds, (H6051) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בן אדם ראה בוא ענן בחיר אחז קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 16 + 220 + 170 + 9 + 206 + 45 + 52 = 1050$$

The Son (H1121) of man (H120) will be seen (H7200) coming (H935) in the clouds, (H6051) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H8064)

בן אדם ראה בוא ענן בחיר אחז קראה יהוה שמים

$$390 + 26 + 306 + 16 + 220 + 170 + 9 + 206 + 45 + 52 =$$
1440

COME (G4334) = προσερχόμενον = **1440**

CLOUD (G3507) = νεφελων = 1440

At the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the dead (H4191) will rise (H6965) first, (H259) then (H176) we that are alive (H2416) will be caught up (H270) together (H3162) with (H5973) them in the clouds. (H6051)

בוא יהוה מות קום אחד אז חי אחז יחד עם ענן

$$170 + 110 + 22 + 16 + 16 + 8 + 13 + 146 + 446 + 26 + 9 = 984$$

GATHER TOGETHER / GATHER UP (G4816) = συλλέγεται = **984**

The elect (H972) will be raised up (H6965) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H8064)

בחיר קום קראה יהוה שמים

$$390 + 26 + 306 + 146 + 220 =$$
1088

A Greek word which has the gematria value of 1088 is the word used in the following verse for "risen with." *Buried with him in baptism, wherein also ye are risen with him through the faith of the operation of God, who hath raised him from the dead.* Colossians 2:12. Those who are caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air are risen together with Christ through faith.

In the end, when Jesus Christ returns, the elect, both the living and the dead, will be caught up together to be with the Lord forever.

In the end, (H7093) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) together (H3162) in the clouds, (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air, (H7307) and will ever (H5769) be (H1961) with (H5973) the LORD. (H3068)

קץ בּחִיר אחז יחד ענן קראה יהוה שמִים עוֹלם הִיה עם יהוה

$$26 + 110 + 20 + 146 + 390 + 26 + 306 + 170 + 22 + 16 + 220 + 190 =$$
1642

CAUGHT UP (G726) **IN** (G1722) **THE CLOUDS** (G3507) = ἀρπάζω ἐν νεφέλη = 989 + 55 + 598 = **1642**

The elect will be caught up in the resurrection of believers.

In that (H1931) great (H1419) day (H3117) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up. (H270)

הוא גדול יהוה בחיר אחז

$$16 + 220 + 26 + 56 + 43 + 12 = 373$$

RESURRECTION (G1454) = "eggsup" = 373

In the end, (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

קץ בוא יהוה בחיר אחז ענן קראה יהוה
$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 + 190 = 963$$

RESURRECTION (G386) (root word spelling) = ἀνάστασις = **963**

The prophecies (H5016) of Scripture (H3791) will be fulfilled, (H4390) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

RESURRECTION (G386) (root word spelling) = ἀνάστασις = **963**

The elect will be caught up to meet Jesus, as the next numerical word association confirms.

The elect (H972) will be raised up (H6965) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בחיר קום קראה יהוה
$$26 + 306 + 146 + 220 = 698$$

$$MEET (G528) = ἀπήντησαν = 698$$

Hebrew root words that are used in the following restatement of what is written in the Bible further confirm that those who are caught up in the clouds will go to meet Jesus Christ at the resurrection.

The dead (H4194) in (H413) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will rise (H6965) first, (H259) then, (H227) we which are alive (H2416) and remain (H3498) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7122) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H8064)

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מוּת אל חַשִּׁיח קוּם אחד אז חִי יתר אחז קראה יהוה שׁמִים מוּת אל חַשִּׁיח קוּם אחד אז חִי יתר אחז קראה יהוה שׁמִים 390+26+306+16+610+18+8+13+146+358+31+446=\mathbf{2368} JESUS (G2424) CHRIST (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 888+1480=\mathbf{2368}
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The great question that has persisted since Jesus was first asked by his disciples is: when will the resurrection take place, and what are the signs of the end? And as he sat upon the mount of Olives, the disciples came unto him privately, saying, Tell us, when shall these things be? and what shall be the sign of thy coming, and of the end of the world? Matthew 24:3. And ye shall hear of wars and rumours of wars: see that ye be not troubled: for all these things must come to pass, but the end is not yet. For nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom: and there shall be famines, and pestilences, and earthquakes, in divers places. All these are the beginning of sorrows. Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, and shall kill you: and ye shall be hated of all nations for my name's sake. And then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another. And many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many. And because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold. But he that

shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved. And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come. Matthew 24:6-14. For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be. And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened. Immediately after the tribulation of those days shall the sun be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken: and then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. And he shall send his angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they shall gather together his elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other. But of that day and hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels of heaven, but my Father only. Matthew 24:21-22, 29-31, 36. These same words which Jesus spoke are also recorded in Mark, Chapter 13.

There are certainly signs to observe which will indicate when Jesus might return, but the exact time is unknowable. But of the times and the seasons, brethren, ye have no need that I write unto you. For yourselves know perfectly that the day of the Lord so cometh as a thief in the night. For when they shall say, Peace and safety; then sudden destruction cometh upon them, as travail upon a woman with child; and they shall not escape. But ye, brethren, are not in darkness, that that day should overtake you as a thief. Ye are all the children of light, and the children of the day: we are not of the night, nor of darkness. Therefore let us not sleep, as do others; but let us watch and be sober. For they that sleep sleep in the night; and they that be drunken are drunken in the night. But let us, who are of the day, be sober, putting on the breastplate of faith and love; and for an helmet, the hope of salvation. For God hath not appointed us to wrath, but to obtain salvation by our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, that, whether we wake or sleep, we should live together with him. 1Thessalonians 5:1-10.

Prior to the words of Jesus that are recorded in the NT, the OT prophet Daniel also prophesied that there would be a time of great tribulation in the end. In addition, he wrote that it would be during the time of tribulation that the people of God, everyone found written in the book, would be delivered, and awake to everlasting life. And at that time shall Michael stand up, the great prince which standeth for the children of thy people: and there shall be a time of trouble, such as never was since there was a nation even to that same time: and at that time thy people shall be delivered, every one that shall be found written in the book. And many of them that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever. Daniel 12:1-3.

Daniel wrote that "they that be wise" would turn many to righteousness in the end times. In Revelation, John described a vision in which he saw those who had come out of the great tribulation who had "washed their robes, and made them white, in the blood of the Lamb." These are the ones which Daniel wrote about, the elect of God, who are found written in the book. And one of the elders answered, saying unto me, What are these which are arrayed in white robes? and whence came they? And I said unto him, Sir, thou knowest. And he said to me, These are

they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. Therefore are they before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple: and he that sitteth on the throne shall dwell among them. They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; neither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat. For the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed them, and shall lead them unto living fountains of waters: and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes. Revelation 7:13-17.

And so, it seems apparent from Scripture that the elect of God will be taken up after they have suffered persecution and great tribulation in the last days, and have overcome the trial. My personal opinion is that the elect will not be taken up at such a time as to avoid all tribulation, but at the time set by God to shorten their days of affliction. Those that remain on earth once the elect has been caught up, will be subject to the judgment of God. And I saw a great white throne, and him that sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away; and there was found no place for them. And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and the books were opened: and another book was opened, which is the book of life: and the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works. And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and hell delivered up the dead which were in them: and they were judged every man according to their works. And death and hell were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death. And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire. Revelation 20:11-15.

After the final judgement, a new heaven and new earth will be created. The redeemed will dwell upon the new earth with the Lord. And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea. And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God. Revelation 21:1-3. With the preceding as an introduction, consider the gematria findings to follow.

Jesus Christ will return to deliver the elect from the great tribulation that will encompass the earth.

In the day (H3117) of tribulation, (H6869) the LORD (H3068) will come. (H935)

יום צרה יהוה בוא

9 + 26 + 295 + 56 = 386

The gematria value for this sentence, 386, is equal to that for the Hebrew name of Jesus; i.e. Yeshua.

YESHUA (JESUS) (H3442) = ישוע = 386

There are two Greek words from the Bible with a gematria value of 386, which also have an association with the coming of the Lord in the day of tribulation. The first of the two is related to the following verse: For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice

of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: 1Thessalonians 4:16.

COME DOWN / DESCEND (G2597) =
$$\kappa \alpha \tau \epsilon \beta \eta v = 386$$

The Lord will come at the **end** of days.

END (G4009) (root word spelling) =
$$\pi \acute{\epsilon} \rho \alpha \varsigma = 386$$

In the day (H3117) of tribulation, (H6869) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

יום צרה בחיר אחז קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 16 + 220 + 295 + 56 = 919$$

This gematria value is the same as that for the Greek word that is used in the Bible for "caught up," (not the root word spelling.) A Greek word with the same gematria value as the next sentence is derived from the word that is used in 1Thessalonians for 'caught up."

In the last (H319) days, (H3117) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) from (H4480) the earth, (H776) and escape (H4422) the tribulation. (H6869)

$$295 + 79 + 291 + 90 + 16 + 220 + 56 + 619 =$$
1666

SNATCH TOGETHER / CATCH (G4884) =
$$\sigma u v \alpha \rho \pi \alpha \sigma \theta \acute{\epsilon} v \tau \sigma \varsigma = 1666$$

The words of Jesus recorded in the Gospel of Matthew and also the Gospel of Mark, prophesy that the days of great tribulation would be shortened for the elect's sake: For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be. And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened. Matthew 24:21-22. The time of the great tribulation will be shortened for the elect's sake on the great day of the Lord, when they are caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord.

In that (H1931) great (H1419) day (H3117) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H8064)

הוא גדול יום יהוה בחיר אחז ענן ענן קראה שמים

$$390 + 26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 56 + 43 + 12 =$$
1265

The resurrection will occur on the great day of the Lord.

In that (H1931) great (H1419) day (H3117) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up. (H270)

הוא גדול יום יהוה בחיר אחז

$$16 + 220 + 26 + 56 + 43 + 12 = 373$$

RESURRECTION (G1454) =
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On the great day of the Lord, the elect will be caught up to meet the Lord, but the wicked will face judgement.

In the great (H1419) day (H3117) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up. (H270) but (H3588) the wicked (H7451) will be judged. (H8199)

גדול יום יהוה בחיר אחז כִּי רע שׁפט

$$389 + 270 + 30 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 56 + 43 =$$
1050

In that (H1931) great (H1419) day (H3117) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) but (H3588) the wicked (H7451) will be judged. (H8199)

הוא גדול יום יהוה בחיר אחז ענן כי רע שפט

$$389 + 270 + 30 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 56 + 43 + 12 =$$
1232

CONDEMN / GIVE JUDGEMENT AGAINST (G2632) = κατακρινοῦσιν = 1232

At the resurrection, we will be caught up in the clouds instantly, and we will be raised incorruptible. *In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.* 1Corinthians 15:52-53.

In the day (H3117) of tribulation, (H6869) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H5645) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H8064)

יום צרה בחיר אחז עב קראה יהוה שמים

$$390 + 26 + 306 + 72 + 16 + 220 + 295 + 56 =$$
1381

If the days of tribulation were not shortened, no one would survive: *And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened.* Matthew 24:22. The Lord will deliver his elect, and they will be caught up to escape the persecution and tribulation of the end times.

The following two sentences have the same gematria value as three Greek words that are found in the Bible which confirm what each sentence states. The **Lord** will provide an **escape** for the elect, who will be caught up and changed from **corruptible to incorruptible**.

In the end (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD, (H3068) and escape (H4422) the great (H1419) tribulation. (H6869)

קץ בוא יהוה בחיר אחז ענן קראה יהוה מלט גדול צרה

$$295 + 43 + 79 + 26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 + 190 =$$
1380

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air, (H7307) and delivered (H5337) from (H4480) the great (H1419) tribulation. (H6869)

בחיר אחז קראה יהוה רוח נצל מן גדול צרה

$$295 + 43 + 90 + 170 + 214 + 26 + 306 + 16 + 220 =$$
1380

LORD (G2962) = κυρίων = **1380**

ESCAPE (G1295) = διασωθέντα = **1380**

CORRUPTIBLE (G862) = $\varphi\theta\alpha\rho\tau\tilde{\upsilon}$ = **1380**

The days (H3117) of tribulation, (H6869) will be shortened (H7114) for the elect's (H972) sake, (H4616) and they will escape (H4422) from (H4480) persecution. (H7291)

יום צרה קצר בחיר למען מלט מן רדף

$$284 + 90 + 79 + 190 + 220 + 390 + 295 + 56 =$$
1604

TRIBULATION (G2347) = θλίψεων = 1604

DELIVER / TO RESCUE (G4506) = ρυσθώμεν = **1604**

PERSECUTE (G1377) = δ ιώξουσιν = **1604**

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) and escape (H4422) the tribulation (H6869) upon (H5921) the earth. (H776)

בחיר אחז מלט צרה על ארץ

$$291 + 100 + 295 + 79 + 16 + 220 = 1001$$

END (G4930) (root word spelling) = συντέλεια = 1001

TROUBLE (G3926) = $\pi\alpha\rho\epsilon\nu\alpha\lambda\epsilon\tilde{\imath}\nu = 1001$

PERSECUTE / SUFFER PERSECUTION (G1377) = δ ε δ ιωγμένοι = 1001

ENDURE HARDNESS / SUFFER TROUBLE (G2553) = $\kappa \alpha \kappa o \pi \alpha \theta \tilde{\omega} = 1001$

In the end (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) and escape (H4422) the tribulation (H6869) upon (H5921) the earth. (H776)

קץ בוא יהוה בחיר אחז מלט צרה על ארץ

$$291 + 100 + 295 + 79 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 + 190 = 1226$$

LAST / THE END (G2078) = ξ_{00} (G2070) = 1226

ESCAPE / BRING SAFE / SAVE (G1295) = $\delta_1 \alpha \sigma \tilde{\omega} \sigma \alpha \iota = 1226$

After suffering persecution and affliction during the time of tribulation, the elect will be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord.

In that (H1931) day (H3117) of tribulation, (H6869) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

הוא יום צרה בחיר אחז ענן קראה יהוה

26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 295 + 56 + 12 = 1101

AFFLICTION / ILL TREATMENT (G2561) = κάκωσιν = 1101

MEET (G5221) = $\dot{\nu}$ πήντησεν = **1101**

For the elect's sake, the Lord will shorten the days of tribulation, and the resurrection of the redeemed will occur.

In the end (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up, (H270) and escape (H4422) the great (H1419) tribulation. (H6869)

קץ בוא יהוה בחיר אחז מלט גדול צרה

295 + 43 + 79 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 + 190 = 878

RESURRECTION (G1815) = ἐξανάστασιν = 878

The resurrection will occur suddenly and unexpectedly. In a moment, the elect will be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord. *In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.* 1Corinthians 15:52.

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) suddenly. (H4118)

בחיר אחז מהר

245 + 16 + 220 = 481

LIFT UP / TAKE UP (G1869) = ἐπαιρόμενον = **481**

The elect will be taken up to meet the Lord.

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) suddenly (H4118) in the clouds. (H6051)

בחיר אחז מהר ענן

170 + 245 + 16 + 220 = 651

MEET (G528) = ἀπαντῆ σαι = 651

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) and delivered (H5337) from (H4480) the great (H1419) tribulation. (H6869)

בחיר אחז נצל מן גדול צרה

295 + 43 + 90 + 170 + 16 + 220 = 834

SUDDENLY / UNEXPECTEDLY (G1810) (root word spelling) = $\frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{2}{5}$

In that (H1931) day (H3117) of tribulation, (H6869) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

הוא יום צרה בחיר אחז קראה יהוה

26 + 306 + 16 + 220 + 295 + 56 + 12 = 931

IMMEDIATELY / INSTANTLY (G3916) (root word spelling) = $\pi\alpha\rho\alpha\gamma\rho\tilde{\eta}\mu\alpha = 931$

TAKE UNTO / RECEIVE (G3880) = παραλαυβάνοντες = 931

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) suddenly (H4118) and escape (H4422) the tribulation. (H6869)

בחיר אחז מהר מלט צרה

295 + 79 + 245 + 16 + 220 = 855

UNAWARES / SUDDEN / UNEXPECTED (G160) (root word spelling) = $\alpha i \phi v i \delta \iota \phi c = 855$

In a moment, (H7281) the dead (H4194) will be raised (H6965) incorruptible (without decay), (H3808) (H4131) and we (H587) will all (H3605) be changed. (H2015)

רגע מות קום לא מוט אנחנו כל הפך

105 + 50 + 115 + 55 + 31 + 146 + 446 + 273 = 1221

DEAD BODY (G4430) (root word spelling) = $\pi \tau \tilde{\omega} \mu \alpha = 1221$

MOMENT (G823) = ἀτόμωι = **1221**

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) suddenly (H4118) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בחיר אחז מהר קראה יהוה

26 + 306 + 245 + 16 + 220 = 813

RESURRECTION (G386) = ἀνάστασιν = 813

CIRCUMCISION (G4061) = περιτομής = **813**

The second Greek word with this gematria value may, at first, seem unassociated with being caught up to meet the Lord. In the OT, circumcision, which involves the removal of flesh to signify devotion to God, occurred on the eighth day of a male child's life. In the NT, Jews are referred to as "the circumcision" and Gentiles as the "uncircumcision." Also, in the NT, it speaks

of another type of circumcision, the "circumcision of the heart;" which is to worship God in spirit. For we are the circumcision, which worship God in the spirit, and rejoice in Christ Jesus, and have no confidence in the flesh. Philippians 3:3. Circumcision has been viewed as a putting off of the flesh, and thus, is representative of the resurrection of Christ on the eighth day, where he arose in the flesh and received a glorified spiritual body. Likewise, those that are raised on the eighth day of God's creation are "circumcised," and changed from corruptible flesh, to incorruptible spirit.

The time of tribulation will be shortened for the elect's sake, and God will rescue them from persecution and affliction.

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) suddenly (H4118) to meet (H7125) the LORD, (H3068) and escape (H4422) the great (H1419) tribulation. (H6869)

Another name which can be used in place of "the elect," is "the church," or "the church of God," meaning the congregation of believers. The next two sentences demonstrate the direct relationship between "the elect" and "the church."

The elect (H972) will be persecuted. (H7291)

בחיר רדף 284 + 220 = **504**

CHURCH (G1577) = ἐκκλησίαις = **504**

In the last (H319) days, (H3117) the church (congregation) (H5712) will be persecuted. (H7291)

אחרית יום עדה רדף 284 + 79 + 56 + 619 = **1038**

ELECTED TOGETHER WITH (G4299) = συνεκλεκτ $\hat{\bf h}$ = 1038

At the time of tribulation, the elect, the church, will be caught up in the clouds.

In the end, (H7093) the church (congregation) (H5712) of God (H430) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

קץ עדה אלהִים אחז ענן 170 + 16 + 86 + 79 + 190 = **541**

CATCH UP (G726) = ἀρπαγέντα = **541**

The tribulation will be a time in which the elect will be persecuted before they are caught up in the clouds.

The elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) the day (H3117) they are caught up. (H270)

$$16 + 56 + 249 + 284 + 220 = 825$$

ARISE / RAISE UP (G450) =
$$\dot{\alpha}$$
v α o τ $\dot{\eta}$ σ ϵ i ν = 825

CLOUD (G3509) (root word spelling) =
$$v \in \varphi \circ \zeta = 825$$

The following two sentences which have the same gematria value state essentially the same truth, with one sentence using "the elect" and the other using "the church."

The elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) until (H5704) they are caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

$$170 + 16 + 74 + 284 + 220 = 764$$

764

The church (congregation) (H6951) will be persecuted (H7291) until (H5704) the coming (H935) of the LORD (H3068) and the elect (H972) are caught up. (H270)

$$16 + 220 + 26 + 9 + 74 + 284 + 135 = 764$$

TRIBULATION (G2347) =
$$\theta$$
λιψει = **764**

GATHER TOGETHER (G1996) = $\varepsilon \pi \iota \sigma \iota \nu \alpha \gamma \varepsilon \iota = 764$

During a time of great persecution in the last days, the church of God will be caught up to meet the Lord.

The church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) and delivered (H5337) from (H4480) persecution. (H7291)

$$284 + 90 + 170 + 170 + 16 + 79 = 809$$

TRIBULATION (G2347) =
$$\theta$$
λίψιν = **809**

In the last (H319) days, (H3117) the church (congregation) (H5712) of God (H430) will be persecuted. (H7291)

$$284 + 86 + 79 + 56 + 619 = 1124$$

LAST / LATTER END $(G2078) = \dot{\epsilon} \sigma \chi \dot{\alpha} \tau \eta \iota = 1124$

In the last (H319) days, (H3117) the elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) they are caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

אחרית יום בחיר רדף טרם אחז קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 16 + 249 + 284 + 220 + 56 + 619 =$$
1776

LAST / LATTER END / THE END (G2078) = $\dot{\epsilon}\sigma\chi\dot{\alpha}\tau\pi\nu\varsigma = 1776$

In the last (H319) days, (H3117) the elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) they are caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H7307)

אחרית יום בחיר רדף טרם אחז קראה יהוה רוח

$$214 + 26 + 306 + 16 + 249 + 284 + 220 + 56 + 619 = 1990$$

END / BRING TO AN END (G4931) = συντελέσω = 1990

The next two sentences have an equal gematria value which confirms that the elect will be persecuted until they are caught up to meet the Lord.

The elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) until (H5704) that (H1931) day (H3117) of the LORD (H3068) comes, (H935) and they are all (H3605) caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בחיר רדף עד הוא יום יהוה בוא כל אחז קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 50 + 9 + 26 + 56 + 12 + 74 + 284 + 220 =$$
1079

The elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) they are caught up (H270) at the appointed time (H4150) in the end. (H7093)

בחיר רדף טרם אחז מועד קץ

$$190 + 120 + 16 + 249 + 284 + 220 = 1079$$

PERSECUTE (H1377) =
$$διωκόμενοι = 1079$$

Additional numerical values confirm the same truth.

The church (congregation) (H5712) will be persecuted (H7291) until (H5704) they are caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

עדה רדף עד בּוֹא אחז ענן קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 74 + 284 + 79 = 955$$

PERSECUTE (G1377) =
$$\delta$$
ιώκομαι = **955**

The elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) the day (H3117) they are caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בחיר רדף טרם יום אחז ענן קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 16 + 56 + 249 + 284 + 220 =$$
1327

PERSECUTION (G1375) = δ ιωγμοῦ = **1327**

The elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) they are caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בחיר רדף טרם אחז קראה יהוה

26 + 306 + 16 + 249 + 284 + 220 =**1101**

AFFLICTION / ILL TREATMENT (G2561) = κάκωσιν = 1101

MEET (G5221) = $\dot{0}$ πήντηωεν = **1101**

In the last (H319) days (H3117) the elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) until (H5704) they are caught up. (H270)

אחרית יום בחיר רדף עד אחז

16 + 74 + 284 + 220 + 56 + 619 =**1269**

TO MEET (G4877) = συνάντησιν = 1269

The elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) they are caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בחיר רדף טרם אחז ענן קראה יהוה

26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 249 + 284 + 220 =**1271**

MEET (G4876) = συνήντησεν = **1271**

In the last (H319) days, (H3117) the church (congregation) (H5712) will be persecuted (H7291) until (H5704) they are caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

אחרית יום עדה רדף עד אחז ענן קראה יהוה

26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 74 + 284 + 79 + 56 + 619 =**1630**

MEET (G4876) = συναντήσοντ $\hat{\alpha}$ = **1630**

God will rescue the elect and provide an escape from persecution, and the time of tribulation will be shortened.

The elect (H972) will be raised up (H6965) to meet (H7125) the LORD, (H3068) and escape (H4422) the great (H1419) tribulation. (H6869)

בחיר קום קראה יהוה מלט גדול צרה

295 + 43 + 79 + 26 + 306 + 146 + 220 = 1115

ESCAPE (G1628) = ἐκφευξόμε $\theta\alpha$ = **1115**

In the end, (H7093) the church (H5712) will be delivered (H5337) from (H4480) persecution. (H7291)

קץ עדה נצל מן רדף

$$284 + 90 + 170 + 79 + 190 = 813$$

RESURRECTION (G386) = ἀνάστασιν = **813**

CIRCUMCISION (G4061) = περιτομῆς = **813** (See earlier discussion of "circumcision" in relation to being caught up)

The elect will be caught up at the second coming of Christ.

The church (H6951) will be persecuted (H7291) until (H5704) the coming (H935) of the LORD (H3068) and the elect (H972) are caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

$$170 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 + 74 + 284 + 135 = 934$$

The following sentence confirms that Jesus Christ is the Lord whom the elect will meet when they are caught up in the last days.

It is written, (H3789) that in the last (H319) days, (H3117) the elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) they are caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

כתב אחרית יום בחיר רדף טרם אחז ענן קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 249 + 284 + 220 + 56 + 619 + 422 = 2368$$

Those who are caught up in the clouds will meet the Lord in heaven.

In that (H1931) day (H3117) of tribulation, (H6869) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 190 + 295 + 56 + 12 =$$
1291

The elect (H972) will be persecuted (H7291) before (H2962) they are caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the end. (H7093)

בחיר רדף טרם אחז קראה יהוה קץ

$$190 + 26 + 306 + 16 + 249 + 284 + 220 =$$
1291

The elect who will be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air are Christians, believers in Christ, as the gematria value of the next sentence confirms.

In the last (H319) days, (H3117) the church (H6951) will be persecuted (H7291) until (H5704) the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) and the elect (H972) are caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

The Bible informs us that both Jews and Gentiles are heirs to the promise that God gave to Abraham. Blessed is the man to whom the Lord will not impute sin. Cometh this blessedness then upon the circumcision only, or upon the uncircumcision also? for we say that faith was reckoned to Abraham for righteousness. How was it then reckoned? when he was in circumcision, or in uncircumcision? Not in circumcision, but in uncircumcision. And he received the sign of circumcision, a seal of the righteousness of the faith which he had yet being uncircumcised: that he might be the father of all them that believe, though they be not circumcised; that righteousness might be imputed unto them also: and the father of circumcision to them who are not of the circumcision only, but who also walk in the steps of that faith of our father Abraham, which he had being yet uncircumcised. For the promise, that he should be the heir of the world, was not to Abraham, or to his seed, through the law, but through the righteousness of faith. Romans 4:8-13.

There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus. And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise. Galatians 3:28-29.

The elect of God consists of both Jews and Gentiles who are counted as righteous through faith in Jesus Christ. The elect is considered to be one family.

The Jews (H3064) are the children (H1121) of Abraham (H85) by (H4480) birth, (H3205) and the Gentiles (H1471) by (H4480) faith. (H529)

יהוּדִי בּן אברהם מן ילד גּוִי מן אמן
$$91 + 90 + 19 + 44 + 90 + 248 + 52 + 35 = 669$$

KINSMAN (G4773) = συγγεν
$$\tilde{\eta}$$
 = 669

The elect, (H972) both Jews (H3064) and Gentiles, (H1471) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

בחיר יהודי גוֹי אחז ענן
$$170 + 16 + 19 + 35 + 220 = 460$$
ELECT (G1588) = ἐκλεκτοὶ = 460

The children of Abraham by faith will be caught up in the clouds suddenly, and at a time unknown.

The children (H1121) of Abraham, (H85) the Jews (H3064) by (H4480) birth, (H3205) and the Gentiles (H1471) by (H4480) faith, (H529) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

בן אברחם יהוּדִי מן ילד גּוִי מן אמן אחז ענן

$$170 + 16 + 91 + 90 + 19 + 44 + 90 + 35 + 248 + 52 = 855$$

UNAWARES / SUDDEN / UNEXPECTED (G160) (root word spelling) = αίφνιδιος = 855

Both Jews and Gentiles who confess belief in Jesus Christ will be caught up to meet the Lord.

The children (H1121) of Abraham, (H85) the Jews (H3064) by (H4480) birth, (H3205) and the Gentiles (H1471) by (H4480) faith, (H529) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בן אברחם יהודי מן ילד גוי מן אמן אחז קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 16 + 91 + 90 + 19 + 44 + 90 + 35 + 248 + 52 = 1187$$

BOTH (G297) = αμφοτερα = 1187

BELIEVE / **BELIEVER** (G4100) = επιστευθη = **1187**

The children (H1121) of Abraham (H85) by (H4480) birth, (H3205) and by (H4480) faith, (H529) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

בן אברחם מן ילד מן אמן אחז ענן

$$170 + 16 + 91 + 90 + 44 + 90 + 248 + 52 = 801$$

CLOUD (G3507) = vegélaic = 801

The children (H1121) of Abraham (H85) by (H4480) birth, (H3205) and by (H4480) faith, (H529) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בן אברחם מן ילד מן אמן אחז קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 16 + 91 + 90 + 44 + 90 + 248 + 52 =$$
963

RESURRECTION (G386) (root word spelling) = ἀνάστασις = **963**

The children (H1121) of Abraham (H85) by (H4480) birth, (H3205) and by (H4480) faith, (H529) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

בן אברחם מן ילד מן אמן אחז ענן קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 91 + 90 + 44 + 90 + 248 + 52 = 1133$$

ASSEMBLED TOGETHER (G4871) = συναλιζόμενος = 1133

In the end, (H7093) the elect, (H972) both Jews (H3064) and Gentiles, (H1471) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

קץ בחיר יהודי גוי אחז ענן

$$170 + 16 + 19 + 35 + 220 + 190 = 650$$

ELECT (G1588) (root word spelling) = ἐκλεκτός = **650**

FAITH / THEM THAT BELIEVE (G4102) = $\pi i \sigma \tau i v = 650$

In the end, (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) Jews (H3064) and also (H1571) Gentiles, (H1471) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H8064)

$$390 + 26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 19 + 43 + 35 + 26 + 9 + 190 =$$
1230

ELECT (G1588) =
$$\dot{\epsilon}$$
κλεκτ $\tilde{\omega}$ ν = **1230**

Gentiles are heirs to the promise given to Abraham along with the Jews by faith.

In the end, (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) Jews (H3064) and also (H1571) Gentiles, (H1471) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

$$170 + 16 + 19 + 43 + 35 + 26 + 9 + 190 = 508$$

HEIR (G2818) =
$$κληρονόμον = 508$$

It is only by faith in Jesus that both Jews and Gentiles will be caught up to be with the Lord.

In the end, (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) faithful (H529) Jews (H3064) and Gentiles, (H1471) will be caught up. (H270)

$$16 + 19 + 35 + 91 + 26 + 9 + 190 = 386$$

END (G4009) (root word spelling) =
$$\pi \acute{\epsilon} \rho \alpha \varsigma = 386$$

In the end, (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) faithful (H529) Jews (H3064) and Gentiles, (H1471) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 19 + 35 + 91 + 26 + 9 + 190 = 888$$

No man knows the day or hour that the end will come. But of that day and that hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels which are in heaven, neither the Son, but the Father. Take ye heed, watch and pray: for ye know not when the time is. Mark 13:32-33.

When the day of the Lord comes as a thief in the night, the elect will be caught up in the clouds.

That (H1931) day (H3117) will come (H935) as a thief (H1590) in the night, (H3915) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

הוא יום בוא גנב לִיל בחיר אחז ענן
$$170+16+220+70+55+9+56+12=\textbf{608}$$
 CLOUD (G3507) = $vepehene 2$

In the end, (H7093) that (H1931) day (H3117) will come (H935) as a thief (H1590) in the night, (H3915) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

קץ הוא יום בוא גנב ליל בחיר אחז ענן
$$170 + 16 + 220 + 70 + 55 + 9 + 56 + 12 + 190 = 798$$
 CLOUD (G3507) = v ε ϕ έλης = **798**

Another Greek word with a gematria value of 798 is related to the warning that the day of the Lord will come as a thief. But of the times and the seasons, brethren, ye have no need that I write unto you. For yourselves know perfectly that the day of the Lord so cometh as a thief in the night. For when they shall say, Peace and safety; then sudden destruction cometh upon them, as travail upon a woman with child; and they shall not escape. But ye, brethren, are not in darkness, that that day should overtake you as a thief. Ye are all the children of light, and the children of the day: we are not of the night, nor of darkness. Therefore let us not sleep, as do others; but let us watch and be sober. 1Thessalonians 5:1-6.

WATCH / BE VIGILANT (G1127) =
$$γρηγορήσατε = 798$$

In the Gospel of Luke, the same warning is given. And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring; men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth: for the powers of heaven shall be shaken. And then shall they see the Son of man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh. Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man. Luke 21:25-28, 36. A different Greek word with the same gematria value as the next sentence is also associated with the statement of truth from Scripture.

The day (H3117) of the LORD (H3068) will come (H935) as a thief (H1590) in the night, (H3915) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

יוֹם יהוה בּוֹא גּנּב לִיל בּחיר אחז ענן קראה יהוה יוֹם יהוה בּוֹא גּנּב לִיל בּחיר אחז ענן קראה יהוה
$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 70 + 55 + 9 + 26 + 56 = \mathbf{954}$$

$$\mathbf{WATCH} (G69) = ἀγρυπνεῖτε = \mathbf{954}$$

In addition to this Greek word which is associated with the above sentence, two Greek root words together confirm the stated truth regarding the day of the Lord.

DAY (G2250) **OF THE LORD** (G2962) = ημέρα Κύριος =
$$154 + 800 = 954$$

The next sentence is identical, except that a different Hebrew root word for "Lord," instead of the proper name of God, is used in relation to whom the elect will meet.

The day (H3117) of the LORD (H3068) will come (H935) as a thief (H1590) in the night, (H3915) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the Lord. (H113)

יוֹם יהוה בּוֹא גּנּב לִיל בּחיר אחז ענן קראה אדוֹן

$$61 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 70 + 55 + 9 + 26 + 56 = 989$$

CATCH UP (G726) (root word spelling) = $\dot{\alpha}\rho\pi\dot{\alpha}\zeta\omega$ = **989**

Now, in the next sentence, only "day" is written instead of "day of the LORD," along with the same Hebrew word which was used in the last sentence for "Lord."

The day (H3117) will come (H935) as a thief (H1590) in the night, (H3915) and the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the Lord. (H113)

יוֹם יהוה בּוֹא גּנב לִיל בּחיר אחז ענן קראה אדוֹן

$$61 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 70 + 55 + 9 + 26 + 56 =$$
963

The elect will be "caught up in the clouds," and raised up from the earth. A sentence which states such also has a gematria value of 963.

The day (H3117) of the LORD (H3068) will come (H935) as a thief (H1590) in the night, (H3915) and the elect (H972) will be raised up (H6965) from (H4480) the earth. (H776)

יום יהוה בוא גנב ליל בחיר קום מן ארץ

$$291 + 90 + 146 + 220 + 70 + 55 + 9 + 26 + 56 =$$
963

RESURRECTION (G386) (root word spelling) = ἀνάστασις = **963**

Those who are resurrected when the day of the Lord comes as a thief in the night, will be changed from corruptible to incorruptible.

The dead (H4191) in (H5921) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will arise, (H6965) then, (H176) we which are alive (H2416) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

מות על משיח קום אז חי אחז ענן

$$170 + 16 + 18 + 8 + 146 + 358 + 100 + 446 = 1262$$

CHANGE (G236) (root word spelling) = $\dot{\alpha}\lambda\lambda\dot{\alpha}\sigma\sigma\omega$ = **1262**

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) suddenly (H4118) in the clouds, (H6051) and will be changed. (H2015)

בחיר אחז מהר ענן הפך

$$105 + 170 + 245 + 16 + 220 = 756$$

ROBBER / THEIF (G3027) = $\lambda \eta \iota \sigma \tau \dot{\eta} \varsigma = 756$

UNCORRUPTNESS / INCORRUPTIBLENESS (G90) = ἀδιάφθορίαν = 756

No man knows when the resurrection will take place, for it will come as a thief in the night.

No (H3808) man (H376) knows (H3045) that day (H3117) the **LORD** (H3068) will come (H935) to gather (H622) the elect. (H972)

לא אָישׁ ידע יום יהוה בוא אסף בחיר

220 + 141 + 9 + 26 + 56 + 84 + 311 + 31 = 878

RESURRECTION (G1815) = ἐξανάστασιν = 878

No (H3808) man (H376) knows (H3045) that day (H3117) the **LORD** (H3068) will come (H935) to gather (H622) the elect (H972) to meet (H7125) him in the air. (H7307)

לא אִישׁ ידע יוֹם יהוה בּוֹא אסף בּחיר קראה רוּח

214 + 306 + 220 + 141 + 9 + 26 + 56 + 84 + 311 + 31 =**1398**

GATHER TOGETHER (G4816) = συλλέγουσιν = **1398**

THIEF (G3027) = ληιστων = 1398

The day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night serves as a warning that we must all be prepared and watch for the signs of Christ's return. For those who have accepted Christ, his return is viewed with anticipation, but for those who have not, the prospect of God's judgement upon the wicked should be of concern.

Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man. Luke 21:36. The elect will be delivered, but the wicked will face the judgment of God and be punished. The Lord knoweth how to deliver the godly out of temptations, and to reserve the unjust unto the day of judgment to be punished: 2Peter 2:9.

John's vision of the end times in Revelation speaks of the wrath of God that will come upon the earth in the end. And I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people, saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters. And there followed another angel, saying, Babylon is fallen, is fallen, that great city, because she made all nations drink of the wine of the wrath of her fornication. And the third angel followed them, saying with a loud voice, If any man worship the beast and his image, and receive his mark in his forehead, or in his hand, the same shall drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is poured out without mixture into the cup of his indignation; and he shall be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels, and in the presence of the Lamb: Revelation 14:6-10.

In 2Peter, the day of the Lord is spoken of in relation to God's judgement upon the earth. But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day. The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up. Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness, looking for and hasting unto the coming of the day of God, wherein the heavens being on fire shall be dissolved, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat? Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness. 2Peter 3:8-13.

The elect will endure a time of great tribulation, but the time will be shortened; and in the end, they will be delivered. The wicked, however, will face judgement and the wrath of God.

After (H310) the elect (H972) are caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) the LORD (H3068) will judge. (H8199)

אחר בחיר אחז ענן יהוה שפט

$$389 + 26 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 209 = 1030$$

The elect (H972) will be caught up, (H270) and escape (H4422) from (H4480) the wrath (H639) of God (H430) against (H5921) the earth. (H776)

בחיר אחז מלט מן אף אלהים על ארץ

$$291 + 100 + 86 + 81 + 90 + 79 + 16 + 220 =$$
963

RESURRECTION (G386) (root word spelling) = ἀνάστασις = **963**

PUNISH (G2849) = κολαζομένους = **963**

WORLDLY / EARTHLY THINGS (G2032) = $\dot{\epsilon}$ πιγείων = 963

When the day of the Lord comes as a thief in the night, while the elect will be gathered together to be with the Lord; the wicked, those who have rejected God and his Son, Jesus, will face judgement and be punished.

The day (H3117) of the LORD (H3068) will come (H935) as a thief (H1590) in the night, (H3915) and the elect (H972) will be raised up (H6965) to meet (H7125) the LORD; (H3068) but (H3588) the wicked (H7451) will be punished. (H6485)

יוֹם יהוה בּוֹא גּנב לִיל בחיר קוּם קראה יהוה כִּי רע פּקד

$$184 + 270 + 30 + 26 + 306 + 146 + 220 + 70 + 55 + 9 + 26 + 56 =$$
1398

GATHER TOGETHER (G4816) = συλλέγουσιν = **1398**

THIEF $(G3027) = \lambda \eta \iota \sigma \tau \tilde{\omega} v = 1398$

God has not appointed his elect to wrath, and will deliver them in the end. For God hath not appointed us to wrath, but to obtain salvation by our Lord Jesus Christ, 1Thessalonians 5:9.

The elect (H972) will be caught up, (H270) and escape (H4422) from (H4480) the wrath (H639) of the LORD (H3068) God (H430) against (H5921) the earth. (H776)

בחיר אחז מלט מן אף יהוה אלהִים על ארץ

$$291 + 100 + 86 + 26 + 81 + 90 + 79 + 16 + 220 = 989$$

CATCH UP (G726) (root word spelling) = $\dot{\alpha}\rho\pi\dot{\alpha}\zeta\omega$ = **989**

At the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) and escape (H4422) from (H4480) the wrath (H639) of God (H430) against (H5921) the earth. (H776)

בוא יהוה בחיר אחז ענן מלט מן אף אלהים על ארץ

$$291 + 100 + 86 + 81 + 90 + 79 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 = 1168$$

INIQUITY / WICKEDNESS (G4189) = π ov η ρι $\tilde{\omega}$ v = 1168

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) and escape (H4422) from (H4480) the wrath (H639) of God (H430) against (H5921) the wickedness (H7451) of earth. (H776)

בחיר אחז מלט מן אף אלהים על רע ארץ

$$291 + 270 + 100 + 86 + 81 + 90 + 79 + 16 + 220 =$$
1233

ESCAPE / SAVE (G1295) =
$$\delta$$
ιασώσηι = 1233

Another Greek word with a gematria value of 1233, is related to what the Lord will do when he returns. The Lord will come in the end to judge and make war in his wrath against the wicked. And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat upon him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he doth judge and make war. Revelation 19:11.

The church is the assembly of the elect, that will escape the day of judgment.

At the end (H7093) of days, (H3117) the church (congregation) (H5712) will escape (H4422) God's (H430) judgement. (H4941)

קץ יום עדה מלט אלהים משפט

$$429 + 86 + 79 + 79 + 56 + 190 = 919$$

CATCH UP (G726) = $\stackrel{?}{\alpha}\rho\pi\acute{\alpha}\zeta$ ou $\sigma\imath\nu$ = 919

WRATH (G2372) =
$$\theta$$
υμοῦ = **919**

The elect (H972) will be caught up, (H270) but (H3588) the wicked (H7451) will not (H3808) escape (H4422) the wrath (H639) of the God. (H430)

בחיר אחז כִּי רע לא מלט אף אלהִים

$$86 + 81 + 79 + 31 + 270 + 30 + 16 + 220 = 813$$

RESURRECTION (G386) = ἀνάστασιν = **813**

Whether the enemy in the end times is a single person, the antichrist, or the spirit of evil, antichrists; after the elect are caught up in the clouds, the Lord will make war against the enemy.

After (H310) the elect (H972) are caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) the LORD (H3068) will judge (H8199) and make (H6213) war (H4421) against (H5973) the enemy. (H341)

אחר בחיר אחז ענן יהוה שפט עשה מלחמה עם אִיב

$$13 + 110 + 123 + 375 + 389 + 26 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 209 =$$
1651

ANTICHRIST (G500) = ἀντίχριστοι = **1651**

The Lord will prevail in the battle against the antichrist, and another Greek word with a gematria value of 1651 confirms this.

PREVAIL (G2729) = κατίσχυον = **1651**

The enemy, the antichrist, will be destroyed.

After (H310) the elect (H972) are caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD, (H3068) God (H430) will destroy (H7843) the wicked one. (H7451)

אחר בּחִיר אחז קראה יהוה אלהִים שחת רע

$$270 + 708 + 86 + 26 + 306 + 16 + 220 + 209 =$$
1841

ANTICHRIST (G500) = ἀντίχριστος = **1841**

The days of persecution of the elect by the enemy will be shortened, and then God will destroy the wicked one, and his followers, with fire, as prophesied in 2Peter, and in Revelation. But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up. 2Peter 3:10. And the fourth angel poured out his vial upon the sun; and power was given unto him to scorch men with fire. And men were scorched with great heat, and blasphemed the name of God, which hath power over these plagues: and they repented not to give him glory. Revelation 16:8-9.

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD, (H3068) and then, (H227) God (H430) will destroy (H7843) the wicked one. (H7451)

בחיר אחז קראה יהוה אז אלהִים שחת רע

270 + 708 + 86 + 8 + 26 + 306 + 16 + 220 =**1640**

SHORTEN (G2856) = κολοβωθήσονται = 1640

BURN / BE ON FIRE (G4448) = πεπυρωμένοι = 1640

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) but (H3588) the wicked (H7451) will not (H3808) escape (H4422) the wrath (H639) of God. (H430)

$$86 + 81 + 79 + 31 + 270 + 30 + 170 + 16 + 220 = 983$$

SCORCH / TO BURN WITH HEAT (G2739) = καυματίσαι = 983

At the time appointed by God for the end, the elect will be caught up in the clouds, and delivered from tribulation, but those who have rejected God the Father, and Christ the Son, will perish. The two sentences below are exactly the same, except that a different Hebrew root word for "remain" is used in each.

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) and all (H3605) that remain (H7604) will perish. (H6)

$$7 + 501 + 50 + 170 + 16 + 220 =$$
964

Two different spellings of the same Greek word have a value of 964, and confirm that the elect will be caught up in the clouds, and delivered from a time of tribulation.

AFFLICTION / TRIBULATION (G2347) =
$$\theta$$
λίψεις = **964**

AFFLICTION / TRIBULATION (G2347) =
$$\theta$$
λίψεσί = **964**

The elect will be delivered, but the ungodly will perish in the end.

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) and all (H3605) that remain (H3499) will perish. (H6)

בחיר אחז ענן כל יתר אבד

$$7 + 610 + 50 + 170 + 16 + 220 = 1073$$

UNGODLY (G763) =
$$\alpha \sigma \epsilon \beta \epsilon \tilde{\omega} v = 1073$$

DIE (G599) =
$$αποθνήισκοντες = 1073$$

The Lord will deliver the elect who will become the bride of Christ. In speaking of Christ as the bridegroom, John the Baptist said: ... A man can receive nothing, except it be given him from heaven. Ye yourselves bear me witness, that I said, I am not the Christ, but that I am sent before him. He that hath the bride is the bridegroom: but the friend of the bridegroom, which standeth and heareth him, rejoiceth greatly because of the bridegroom's voice: this my joy therefore is fulfilled. He must increase, but I must decrease. John 3:27-30. In his vision of the end times, the apostle John saw the Holy City, the new Jerusalem, which represents the body of believers in Christ, coming down from heaven prepared as a bride: And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. Revelation 21:2. The bride is the Lamb's wife: ... Come hither, I will shew thee the bride, the

Lamb's wife. And he carried me away in the spirit to a great and high mountain, and shewed me that great city, the holy Jerusalem, descending out of heaven from God, Revelation 19:9-10. The elect, the church of God, is the bride, and Jesus Christ, the Lamb, is the bridegroom

The church (congregation) (H5712) will come down (H3381) from (H4480) heaven (H8064) to earth (H776) as a bride (H3618) adorned. (H5710)

$$79 + 55 + 291 + 390 + 90 + 214 + 79 = 1198$$

The church (congregation) (H5712) will come down (H3381) prepared (H3559) as a bride, (H3618) adorned (H5710) for her husband, (H376) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) the LORD. (H3068)

עדה ירד כון כלה עדה איש משיח יהוה

$$26 + 358 + 311 + 79 + 55 + 76 + 214 + 79 = 1198$$

BRIDE (G3565) =
$$ν ύμφης = 1198$$

The two sentences which follow are essentially the same except that "the elect" is used in one, and "the church" is used in the other.

The elect (H972) will come down (H3381) from (H4480) heaven (H8064) prepared (H3559) as a bride, (H3618) adorned (H5710) for her husband. (H376)

$$311 + 79 + 55 + 76 + 390 + 90 + 214 + 220 =$$
1435

The church (congregation) (H5712) will come down (H3381) from (H4480) above (H4605) upon (H5921) the earth (H776) prepared (H3559) as a bride, (H3618) adorned (H5710) for her husband. (H376)

עדה ירד מן מעל על ארץ כּוּן כּלה עדה אישׁ

$$311 + 79 + 55 + 76 + 291 + 100 + 140 + 90 + 214 + 79 =$$
1435

ESPOUSE / ΤΟ BE PROMISED IN MARRIAGE (G3423) = μνηστευθείσης = 1435

Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will marry (H1984) the church (H5712) of God. (H430)

משִׁיח הלל עדה אלהִים

$$86 + 79 + 65 + 358 + 386 = 588$$

The church (congregation) (H5712) will be united (H3161) with (H5973) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

עדה אלהים יחד עם משיח

$$358 + 110 + 22 + 86 + 76 = 569$$

GET MARRIED (G1060) = ἐγάμουν = **569**

At the appointed time (H4150) in the end, (H7093) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

מועד קץ בחיר אחז ענן קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 190 + 120 =$$
1048

BRIDE (G3565) = ν ύμφην = 1048

The church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) to marry (H1984) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

עדה אחז הלל משיח

$$358 + 65 + 16 + 79 = 518$$

CATCH UP (G726) = ἀρπαγησόμε θ α = **518**

The church (congregation) (H5712) of God (H430) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to marry (H1984) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

עדה אלהים אחז ענן הלל משיח

$$358 + 65 + 170 + 16 + 86 + 79 = 774$$

MARRY / GET MARRIED (G1060) = γαμοῦσιν = 774

At the time appointed (H4150) in the end, (H7093) the church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to marry (H1984) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

מועד קץ עדה אחז ענן הלל משִׁיח

$$358 + 65 + 170 + 16 + 79 + 190 + 120 = 998$$

BRIDE (G3565) (root word spelling) = $v\acute{u}\mu\phi\eta = 998$

The church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) and become (H1961) the bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

עדה אהז ענן היה כלה משיח

$$358 + 55 + 20 + 170 + 16 + 79 = 698$$

TO MEET (G528) = απήντησαν = 698

The church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to marry (H1984) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

עדה אחז ענן הלל משיח

$$358 + 65 + 170 + 16 + 79 = 688$$

JESUS (G2424) (alternate spelling) = 1 l $\eta\sigma$ o $\tilde{\upsilon}$ = **688**

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will marry (H1984) the church (congregation). (H5712)

ישוע משִיח הלל עדה

$$79 + 65 + 358 + 386 =$$
888

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) and escape (H4422) the wrath (H639) of God (H430) against (H5921) the wickedness (H7451) of earth. (H776)

בחיר אחז מלט אף אלהים על רע ארץ

$$291 + 270 + 100 + 86 + 81 + 79 + 16 + 220 = 1143$$

At the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) and escape (H4422) from (H4480) the wrath (H639) of God (H430) against (H5921) the earth. (H776)

בוא יהוה בחיר אחז מלט מן אף אלהים על ארץ

$$291 + 100 + 86 + 81 + 90 + 79 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 = 998$$

ESCAPE (G1309) =
$$διαφύγοι = 998$$

BRIDE (G3565) (root word spelling) = $v \acute{\upsilon} \mu \phi \eta = 998$

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) from (H4480) the earth (H776) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD, (H3068) and escape. (H4422)

בחיר אחז מן ארץ ענן קראה יהוה מלט

$$79 + 26 + 306 + 170 + 291 + 90 + 16 + 220 = 1198$$

BRIDE (G3565) =
$$v \dot{0} \mu \gamma \eta \varsigma = 1198$$

In the end (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) and escape (H4422) the great (H1419) tribulation. (H6869)

קץ בוא יהוה בחיר אחז ענן מלט גדול צרה

$$295 + 43 + 79 + 170 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 + 190 =$$
1048

BRIDE (G3565) =
$$ν ύμφην = 1048$$

Then, (H176) we which are alive (H2416) and remain (H3499) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H7307)

אז חִי יתר אחז קראה יהוה רוח

$$214 + 26 + 306 + 16 + 610 + 18 + 8 = 1198$$

BRIDE (G3565) =
$$ν ύμφης = 1198$$

The time (H6256) of tribulation (H6869) will be shortened, (H7114) and the bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

$$170 + 16 + 358 + 55 + 390 + 295 + 470 =$$
1754

TRIBULATION (G2347) =
$$\theta$$
λίψεως = **1754**

The time (H6256) of tribulation (H6869) will be shortened (H7114) for the elect's (H972) sake, and the bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

$$170 + 16 + 358 + 55 + 220 + 390 + 295 + 470 =$$
1974

TO MEET (G529) **THE LORD** (G2962) **IN** (G1519) **THE AIR** (G109) = ἀπάντησις Κύριος εἰς ἀήρ = 850 + 800 + 55 + 109 = 1974

In the end, (H7093) the church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) to marry (H1984) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

$$358 + 65 + 170 + 16 + 79 + 190 = 878$$

RESURRECTION (G1815) =
$$\dot{\epsilon}$$
ξανάστασιν = **878**

The prophecies of Scripture will be fulfilled, and the elect, the bride of Christ, will be caught up in the clouds.

The prophecies (H5016) of Scripture (H3791) will be fulfilled, (H4390) and at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

נבואה כתב מלא בוא יהוה בחיר אחז ענן

$$170 + 16 + 220 + 26 + 9 + 71 + 422 + 64 = 998$$

BRIDE (G3565) (root word spelling) =
$$v \acute{\upsilon} \mu \phi \eta = 998$$

In the end, (H7093) the church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds (H6051) and become (H1961) the bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

קץ עדה אהז ענן היה כלה משיח

$$358 + 55 + 20 + 170 + 16 + 79 + 190 = 888$$

Husbands, love your wives, even as **Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it**; that he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word, **that he might present it**

to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish. Ephesians 5:25-27.

Following the words in 2Peter regarding the wrath of God upon the earth in the day of the Lord, he wrote: *Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness. Wherefore, beloved, seeing that ye look for such things, be diligent that ye may be found of him in peace, without spot, and blameless.* 2Peter 3:13-14. The Hebrew word that is used in the OT for "without spot" is a word that means "perfect." This root word will be used in each sentence for "spotless" or "without spot."

The church (H5712) will be (H1961) a bride (H3618) without spot (perfect). (H8549)

עדה היה כלה תמים

490 + 55 + 20 + 79 = 644

BLAMELESS (G423) = ἀνεπίληπτοι = **644**

In the day (H3117) of the LORD, (H3068) the church (H5712) will be (H1961) the Lamb's (H3532) bride (H3618) without spot (perfect). (H8549)

יום יהוה עדה היה כבש כלה תמים

490 + 55 + 322 + 20 + 79 + 26 + 56 =**1048**

BRIDE (G3565) = ν ύμφην = 1048

The Greek word for "church" has the meaning of "congregation or assembly." There are two different Hebrew words of the same meaning. In most of the sentences used to determine gematria values I have used only one of these words. The other word for "church" is used in the next sentence.

The church (H6951) is the bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) without spot (perfect). (H8549)

קהל כלה משִׁיח תּמִים

490 + 358 + 55 + 135 = 1038

The gematria value of this sentence, 1038, is equal to that of a Greek word which is directly associated with the statement. The word is used only once in the Bible, in Peter. Peter was writing to Christian Jews in Asia Minor, and said that they were all "elected together."

Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ, to the strangers scattered throughout Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia, elect according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, through sanctification of the Spirit, unto obedience and sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ: Grace unto you, and peace, be multiplied. 1Peter 1:1-2 The church that is at Babylon, elected together with you, saluteth you; and so doth Marcus my son. 1Peter 5:13.

ELECTED TOGETHER WITH (G4899) = σ uvek λ ekt $\dot{\eta}$ = 1038

The LORD (H3068) has anointed (H4886) the church (congregation) (H5712) as his spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride. (H3618)

יהוה שמח עדה תמִים כּלה

$$55 + 490 + 79 + 348 + 26 = 998$$

BRIDE (G3565) (root word spelling) = $v \dot{\psi} \mu \phi \eta = 998$

The elect (H972) will become (H1961) the spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

בחיר היה תמים כלה משיח

$$358 + 55 + 490 + 20 + 220 = 1143$$

The elect, the church, is the spotless bride of Christ that will be caught up in the end.

The spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will be caught up. (H7125)

תמים כלה משיח אחז

$$16 + 358 + 55 + 490 = 919$$

CATCH UP (G726) =
$$\dot{\alpha}$$
ρπάζουσιν = **919**

The church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) as the spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

עדה אחז תמים כלה משיח

$$358 + 55 + 490 + 16 + 79 = 998$$

BRIDE (G3565) (root word spelling) = $v \dot{\psi} \mu \phi \eta = 998$

The spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride (H3618) will be delivered (H5337) from (H4480) the great (H1419) tribulation. (H6869)

תמים כלה נצל מן גדול צרה

$$295 + 43 + 90 + 170 + 55 + 490 = 1143$$

The elect/church who will be the bride of Christ, and caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord, is the congregation of believers in Jesus Christ: Christians.

Them that believe (H539) in Jesus (Yeshua), (H3442) the Son (H1121) of God, (H430) will be (H1961) the bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

אמן ישוע בן אלהים היה כלה משיח

$$358 + 55 + 20 + 86 + 52 + 386 + 91 = 1048$$

BRIDE
$$(G3565) = v \acute{v} \mu \phi \eta v = 1048$$

At the time appointed, (H4150) the spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) will be caught up (H7125) in the clouds (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

מועד תּמִים כּלה משִׁיח אחז ענן קראה יהוה

$$26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 358 + 55 + 490 + 120 =$$
1541

CHRISTIAN (G5546) (root word) = Χριστιανός = **1541**

Husbands, love your wives, even as **Christ also loved the church**, and gave himself for it; that he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word, that he might present it to himself a **glorious church**, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish. Ephesians 5:25-27. A glorious church, the bride of Christ will be caught up.

At the end (H7093) of days, (H3117) a glorious (H3513) church (congregation) (H5712) of God (H430) will be caught up. (H270)

קץ יום כבד עדה אלהים אחז

$$16 + 86 + 79 + 26 + 56 + 190 = 998$$

BRIDE (G3565) (root word spelling) = νύμφη = 998

At the end (H7093) of days, (H3117) a glorious (H3513) church (congregation) (H5712) will be caught up (H270) as the spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

קץ יום כבד עדה אחז תמים כלה משִׁיח

$$358 + 55 + 490 + 16 + 79 + 26 + 56 + 190 = 1270$$

LOVE (G5368) = $\varphi 1 \lambda 0 \tilde{0} \sigma 1 v = 1270$

BRIDEGROOM (G3566) (root word spelling) = νυμφίος = 1270

The New Jerusalem, the holy city, which John saw coming down to earth in Revelation is the church of God, the elect.

The elect (H972) will come down (H3381) from (H4480) above (H4605) prepared (H3559) as a bride, (H3618) adorned (H5710) for her husband. (H376)

בחיר ירד מן מעל כּוּן כּלה עדה אִישׁ

$$311 + 79 + 55 + 76 + 140 + 90 + 214 + 220 = 1185$$

The elect (H972) will come down (H3381) from (H4480) heaven (H8064) prepared (H3559) as a bride, (H3618) adorned (H5710) for her husband. (H376)

בחיר ירד מן שמים כון כלה עדה איש

311 + 79 + 55 + 76 + 390 + 90 + 214 + 220 =**1435**

BETROTHED / **ESPOUSED** (G3423) = μ νηστευθείσης = **1435**

The church (congregation) (H5712) will come down (H3381) upon (H5921) the earth (H776) prepared (H3559) as a bride, (H3618) adorned (H5710) for her husband. (H376)

עדה ירד על ארץ כון כלה עדה אִישׁ

311 + 79 + 55 + 76 + 291 + 100 + 214 + 79 = 1205

The elect (H972) will come down (H3381) to earth (H776) from (H4480) heaven. (H8064)

בחיר ירד ארץ מן שמים

390 + 90 + 291 + 214 + 220 =**1205**

JERUSALEM (G2414) = Ἱεροσολύμοις = **1205**

The church (congregation) (H5712) of God (H430) will come down (H3381) upon (H5921) the earth (H776) as a bride, (H3618) adorned (H5710) for her husband. (H376)

עדה אלהים ירד על ארץ כלה עדה איש

311 + 79 + 55 + 291 + 100 + 214 + 86 + 79 = 1215

NEW (G2537) **JERUSALEM** (G2414) = καινός Ἱερουσαλή μ = 351 + 864 = **1215**

In Revelation it is written that in the New Jerusalem, the inhabitants will live with God.

The elect (H972) will dwell (H3427) with (H5973) the LORD (H3068) upon (H5921) the new (H2319) earth. (H776)

בחיר ישב עם יהוה על חדש ארץ

291 + 312 + 100 + 26 + 110 + 312 + 220 =**1371**

A different Greek word for "new" has a gematria value of 1371.

NEW (G4372) = πρόσφατον = **1371**

The church (congregation) (H5712) will dwell (H3427) with (H5973) the LORD (H3068) upon (H5921) the new (H2319) earth. (H776)

עדה ישב עם יהוה על חדש ארץ

291 + 312 + 100 + 26 + 110 + 312 + 79 =**1230**

ELECT (G1588) = ἐκλεκτῶν = 1230

The New Jerusalem is called the bride of Christ, and the Lamb's wife. And there came unto me one of the seven angels which had the seven vials full of the seven last plagues, and talked with me, saying, Come hither, I will shew thee the bride, the Lamb's wife. Revelation 21:9.

In the day (H3117) of tribulation, (H6869) the elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) to meet (H7125) the LORD (H3068) in the air. (H8064)

יום צרה בחיר אחז קראה יהוה שמים

390 + 26 + 306 + 16 + 220 + 295 + 56 =**1309**

WIFE (G1134) = γυναικείωι = 1309

In the end, (H7093) the Lamb's (H3532) wife (H802) will be caught up. (H270)

קץ כבש אשה אחז

16 + 306 + 322 + 190 = 834

SUDDENLY / UNEXPECTEDLY (G1810) (root word spelling) = $\frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{2}{5}$ $\frac{1}{5}$

The Lamb's (H3532) wife (H802) will be caught (H270) up in the clouds. (H6051)

כבש אשה אחז ענן

170 + 16 + 306 + 322 = 814

CATCH UP (G726) = αρπαζοντες = 814

TAKE UP / RECEIVE UP (G353) = ἀναληφθεὶς = 814

EIGHTH DAY (G3637) (root word spelling) = \dot{o} κταήμερος = **814**

In the end, (H7093) the Lamb's (H3532) wife (H802) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051) to meet (H7125) the LORD. (H3068)

קץ כבש אשה אחז ענן קראה יהוה

26 + 306 + 170 + 16 + 306 + 322 + 190 =**1336**

END (G4009) = π εράτων = **1336**

In Revelation it is written that there will be a marriage supper of the Lamb in the New Jerusalem. Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready. And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the righteousness of saints. And he saith unto me, Write, Blessed are they which are called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb. And he saith unto me, These are the true sayings of God. Revelation 19:7-9.

At the end (H7093) of days, (H3117) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) there will be (H1961) a feast. (H2282)

קץ יום בוא יהוה היה חג

11 + 20 + 26 + 9 + 56 + 190 = 312

MARRY / TO GET MARRIED (G1060) = ἐγάμησεν = 312

At the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) there will be (H1961) a feast (H2282) at the marriage (H1984) of the Lamb. (H3532)

בוא יהוה היה חג הלל כבש

$$322 + 65 + 11 + 20 + 26 + 9 = 453$$

MARRY / TO GET MARRIED (G1060) = $\varepsilon \gamma \alpha \mu \dot{\eta} \sigma \alpha \zeta = 453$

The LORD (H3068) will marry (H1984) his spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride, (H3618) and there will be (H1961) a marriage (H1984) feast. (H2282)

יהוה הלל תמים כלה היה הלל חג

$$11 + 65 + 20 + 55 + 490 + 65 + 26 = 732$$

At the end (H7093) of days, (H3117) there will be (H1961) a marriage (H1984) supper (feast) (H2282) in heaven. (H8064)

קץ יום היה הלל חג שמים

$$390 + 11 + 65 + 20 + 56 + 190 = 732$$

FEAST / BANQUET (G1403) = $\delta o \chi \dot{\eta} v = 732$

There will be (H1961) a feast (H2282) at the marriage (H1984) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) and the church (congregation). (H5712)

היה חג הלל משיח עדה

$$79 + 358 + 65 + 11 + 20 = 533$$

FEAST/HOLY DAY / FEAST DAY (G1859) = $\dot{\epsilon}$ ορτ $\dot{\eta}$ ν = 533

At the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) there will be (H1961) a feast (H2282) at the marriage (H1984) of the Lamb (H3532) and his spotless (perfect) (H8549) bride. (H3618)

בוא יהוה היה חג הלל כבש תמים כלה

$$55 + 490 + 322 + 65 + 11 + 20 + 26 + 9 = 998$$

The church (congregation) (H5712) will become (H1961) the bride (H3618) of Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) and there will (H1961) be a marriage (H1984) supper (feast) (H2282) in heaven. (H8064)

עדה היה כלה משיח היה הלל חג שמים

$$390 + 11 + 65 + 20 + 358 + 55 + 20 + 79 = 998$$

BRIDE (G3565) (root word spelling) = $v \acute{\upsilon} \mu \phi \eta = 998$

There will be (H1961) a feast (H2282) at the marriage (H1984) of the Lamb (H3532) of God (H430) and the church (congregation). (H5712)

היה חג הלל כבש אלהים עדה

$$79 + 358 + 65 + 11 + 20 = 583$$

MARRIAGE (G1062) **SUPPER** (G1173) = γ άμος δεῖπνον = 314 + 269 = **583**

At the end (H7093) of days, (H3117) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) there will be (H1961) feast (H2282) at the marriage (H1984) of the Lamb (H3532) of God (H430) and the church (congregation). (H5712)

קץ יום בוא יהוה היה חג הלל כבש אלהים עדה

$$79 + 358 + 65 + 11 + 20 + 26 + 9 + 56 + 190 =$$
864

MARRIAGE (G1062) **SUPPER** (G1173) **OF THE LAMB** (G721) = γ άμος δεῖπνον ἀρνίον = 314 + 269 + 281 = 864

God (H430) has called (invited) (H7121) everyone (H3605) unto (H413) the marriage (H1984) supper (feast). (H2282)

אלהים קרא כל אל הלל חג

$$11 + 65 + 31 + 50 + 301 + 86 = 544$$

TABLE (for food: figuratively a meal) (G5132) = $\tau \rho \acute{\alpha} \pi \epsilon \zeta \alpha v = 544$

The elect (H972) will be called (invited) (H7121) unto (H413) the marriage (H1984) supper (feast). (H2282)

בחיר קרא אל הלל חג

$$11 + 65 + 31 + 301 + 220 = 628$$

CALLED / INVITED (G2822) (root word spelling) = $\kappa\lambda\eta\tau$ ός = **628**

The elect (H972) will be called (invited) (H7121) unto (H413) the marriage (H1984) supper (feast) (H2282) of the Lamb. (H3532)

בחיר קרא אל הלל חג כבש

$$322 + 11 + 65 + 31 + 301 + 220 = 950$$

The gematria value of 950 for this sentence is related to what is written in the following verse. But God, who is rich in mercy, for his great love wherewith he loved us, even when we were dead in sins, hath quickened us together with Christ, (by grace ye are saved;) and hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus: Ephesians 2:4-6.

MAKE TO SIT DOWN TOGETHER (G4776) = συνεκάθισεν = 950

Only (H3173) the elect (H972) will be called (invited) (H7121) unto (H413) the marriage (H1984) supper (feast). (H2282)

יחיד בחיר קרא אל הלל חג

$$11 + 65 + 31 + 301 + 220 + 32 = 660$$

ELECT (G1588) = ἐκλεκτοί ς = 660

Only (H3173) the elect (H972) will come (H935) unto (H413) the marriage (H1984) supper (feast). (H2282)

יחיד בחיר בוא אל הלל חג

$$11 + 65 + 31 + 9 + 220 + 32 = 368$$

SUPPER (G1172) =
$$\delta \epsilon i \pi v \tilde{\eta} \sigma \alpha i = 368$$

The elect, both Jews and Gentiles will be invited to the marriage supper.

At the appointed time (H4150) in the end, (H7093) at the coming (H935) of the LORD, (H3068) Jews (H3064) and also (H1571) Gentiles, (H1471) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds. (H6051)

מועד קץ בוא יהוה יהודי גם גוי אחז ענן

$$170 + 16 + 19 + 43 + 35 + 26 + 9 + 190 + 120 = 628$$

CALLED / INVITED (TO A BANQUET) (G2822) (root word spelling) = $\kappa\lambda\eta\tau\dot{o}\varsigma = 628$

The elect (H972) will be caught up (H270) in the clouds, (H6051) and come (H935) to the marriage (H1984) supper (feast) (H2282) of the Lamb. (H3532)

בחיר אחז ענן בוא הלל חג כבש

$$322 + 11 + 65 + 9 + 170 + 16 + 220 = 813$$

RESURRECTION (G386) = ἀνάστασιν = **813**

In the end, the whole congregation of believers will be united with Christ at the marriage supper.

The whole (H3605) church (congregation) (H5712) will be united (H3161) with (H5973) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

כל עדה אלהִים יחד עם משִׁיח

$$358 + 110 + 22 + 86 + 76 + 50 = 619$$

SUPPER / FEAST (G1173) =
$$\delta \epsilon i \pi vou = 619$$

Blessed (H1288) be the church (congregation) (H5712) of God (H430) that the LORD (H3068) has called. (H7121)

ברך עדה אלהִים יהוה קרא

$$301 + 26 + 86 + 79 + 222 = 714$$

God (H430) has called (H7121) his elect (H972) unto (H413) the marriage (H1984) supper (feast). (H2282)

אלהים קרא בחיר אל הלל חג

$$11 + 65 + 31 + 220 + 301 + 86 = 714$$

MARRIAGE (G1062) = $\gamma \acute{\alpha} \mu o \upsilon \varsigma = 714$

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) has called (H7121) the church (congregation) (H5712) of God (H430) unto (H413) his marriage (H1984) supper (feast). (H2282)

ישוע קרא עדה אלהים אל הלל חג

$$11 + 65 + 31 + 79 + 301 + 386 = 959$$

SUPPER / FEAST (G1173) =
$$\delta \epsilon i \pi \nu \omega \iota = 959$$

Blessed (H1288) be the elect (H972) that the LORD (H3068) has called (H7121) unto (H413) the marriage (H1984) supper (feast) (H2282) of the Lamb. (H3532)

ברך בחיר יהוה קרא אל הלל חג כבש

$$322 + 11 + 65 + 31 + 301 + 26 + 220 + 222 = 1198$$

BRIDE (G3565) =
$$ν ύμφης = 1198$$

Blessed (H1288) be the church (congregation) (H5712) of God (H430) that the LORD (H3068) has called (H7121) unto (H413) the marriage (H1984) supper (feast) (H2282) of the Lamb. (H3532)

ברך עדה אלהים יהוה קרא אל הלל חג כבש

$$322 + 11 + 65 + 31 + 301 + 26 + 86 + 79 + 222 = 1143$$

As it is written in the Bible, *Blessed are they which are called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb*. Everyone who has confessed of their sins, and believes in the gospel of Jesus Christ, is the elect of God, the church. The elect, the church of God, has been called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb. The elect are not only guests at the supper, but also the bride of Christ, and are joined with him in marriage. Jesus promised that he would come again in the end to gather his elect, the congregation of believers, and it is prophesied in Scripture that upon his return all those who have accepted him as Savior; Jews and Gentiles, the dead and the living, will be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and be with him forever. The gematria evidence which has been shown in this paper seems to confirm every aspect of this Biblical truth.