## Isaiah and Micah Prophesied the Coming of Christ:

The Old Testament prophets Isaiah and Micah were contemporaries, and lived in the 8<sup>th</sup> century BCE, around 700 years before the birth of Christ. Contained within the prophecies of both these prophets concerning the things which were to come to pass pertaining to the nation of Israel, are embedded prophecies related to the coming of Christ, the Messiah. Isaiah prophesied that the Messiah would come as a child, who would be equal to God: For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be on his shoulder; and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, the mighty God, the everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6. Isaiah also prophesied that a virgin would conceive and bear a son: Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel. Isaiah 7:14. As a sign from the Lord of the divine nature of the Messiah, not only would the child be born of a virgin, but he would be called Immanuel, which means "God with us." The prophet Micah, prophesied that out of Bethlehem would come a ruler, who is everlasting: But thou, Bethlehem Ephratah, though thou be little among Judah, yet out of thee shall he come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel, whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting. Micah 5:2.

The Gospels of the New Testament make the claim that the Old Testament prophecies regarding the Messiah were fulfilled in the birth of Jesus. The Bible claims that the virgin Mary conceived and gave birth to a son, Jesus, who is the Son of the Highest, meaning the Son of God, and will reign upon the throne of David forever: *And in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God unto a city of Galilee, named Nazareth, to a virgin espoused to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David; and the virgin's name was Mary. And the angel said unto her, Fear not, Mary: for thou hast found favour with God. And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name JESUS. He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest: and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David: and he shall reign over the house of Jacob for ever; and of his kingdom there shall be no end. Luke 1:26-27, 31-33.* 

According to the Gospels of Matthew, Luke, and John, Jesus was born in Bethlehem, as the prophet Micah had prophesied: And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David:) to be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. Luke 2:4-6. The ruler in Israel which Micah had prophesied to come forth out of Bethlehem, is Jesus, as the people proclaimed as King when he entered Jerusalem on Palm Sunday, according to the Gospels of Matthew and John: And a very great multitude spread their garments in the way; others cut down branches from the trees, and strawed them in the way. And the multitudes that went before, and that followed, cried, saying, Hosanna to the Son of David: Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest. Matthew 21:8-9. On the next day much people that were come to the feast, when they heard that Jesus was coming to

*Jerusalem, took branches of palm trees, and went forth to meet him, and cried, Hosanna: Blessed is the King of Israel that cometh in the name of the Lord.* John 12:12-13.

In a 100+ page article which I wrote, "The Birth of Jesus," a great volume of gematria evidence was shown which confirms the truth that is written in the Bible concerning the nativity narrative. In this present article, new gematria findings confirm the truth that the coming of Christ was prophesied by Isaiah and Micah seven hundred years before Jesus came. The method of gematria is the same as I have used before; in that sentences which state biblical truth are written using the root word spelling in Hebrew of each word (identified by Strong's reference number) from which the gematria value of the sentence is determined. The numerical value of the sentence is then shown to be equal to that of Greek words from the Bible which are associated with what is stated in the sentence, and confirm the truth of Scripture. As I have discovered numerous times in the past, the gematria values of sentences that are written as described; and which state scriptural truth, but not taken directly from verses in the Bible, nevertheless, confirm the truth. This is made apparent through the numerical word associations to be revealed.

Isaiah prophesied that a child would be born, the Messiah, and he would be called by several names: Jesus Christ is the child that was prophesied.

The prophet (H5030) prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah): (H4899) Unto us a child (H3206) is born, (H3205) and he shall be (H1961) called (H7121) Wonderful, (H6382) Counselor, (H3289) The mighty (H1368) God, (H410) The everlasting (H5703) Father, (H1) The Prince (H8269) of Peace. (H7965)

נביא נבא בוא משִׁיח ילד ילד הִיה קרא פּלא יעץ גבור אל עד אב שר שׁלום

$$376 + 500 + 3 + 74 + 31 + 211 + 170 + 111 + 301 + 20 + 44 + 44 + 358 + 9 + 53 + 63 =$$
**2368**

**JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 
$$800 + 1480 = 2368$$

The coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Son (H1121) of man, (H120) and only (H3173) begotten (H3205) Son (H1121) of God, (H430) was prophesied: (H5012) Unto us a child (H3206) is born, (H3205) unto us a son (H1121) is given; (H5414) and he shall be (H1961) called (H7121) Wonderful, (H6382) Counselor, (H3289) The mighty (H1368) God, (H410) The everlasting (H5703) Father, (H1) The Prince (H8269) of Peace. (H7965)

בוֹא משִׁיח בּן אדם יחִיד ילד בּן אלהִים נבא ילד ילד הִיה קרא פּלא יעץ גּבּור אל בּוֹא משִׁיח בּן אדם יחִיד ילד בּן אלהִים נבא ילד ילד הִיה קרא פּלא יעץ גּבּור אל

$$376 + 500 + 3 + 74 + 31 + 211 + 170 + 111 + 301 + 20 + 44 + 44 + 53 + 86 + 52 + 44 + 32 + 45 + 52 + 358 + 9 = 3168$$

**LORD** (G2962) **JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Κύριος Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 800 + 888 + 1480 = 3168

Isaiah prophesied that the child would be born to a virgin. The virgin Mary conceived and gave birth to Jesus Christ.

The prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied: (H5012) Behold, (H2009) a virgin (H5959) shall conceive, (H2029) and bear (H3205) a son. (H1121) The virgin (H5959) Mary (Miriam) (H4813) conceived (H2029) and brought forth (H3205) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

נבִיא ישׁעִיה נבא הנה עִלמה הרה ילד בּן עלמה מרים הרה ילד משִׁיח נביא נביא נביא הנה עִלמה הרה ילד 358 + 44 + 210 + 290 + 145 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 145 + 60 + 53 + 395 + 63 = 2069

**A VIRGIN** (H3933) **SHALL CONCEIVE** (G4815) = παρθένος συλλαμβάνω = 515 + 1554 = 2069

In the Gospel of Matthew, it is written that the prophecy of Isaiah was fulfilled when the Virgin Mary conceived and brought forth a son: But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost. And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins. Now all this was done, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying, Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us. Matthew 1:20-23.

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) that a virgin (H5959) would conceive, (H2029) and bear (H3205) a son, (H1121) and would call (H7121) his name (H8034) Immanuel. (H6005) The virgin (H5959) mother (H517) conceived (H2029) and brought forth (H3205) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) the Son. (H1121)

ישׁיח בּן משִׁיח בּן משִׁיח בּן משׁב ממנוּאל עלמה אם הרה ילד משִׁיח בּן קרא שׁם עמנוּאל עלמה אם ישׁביה בּן 52 + 358 + 44 + 210 + 41 + 145 + 197 + 340 + 301 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 145 + 53 + 395 =**2587** 

The gematria value of 2587 is the same as that for the following Greek root words that are used in Matthew 1:23.

**A VIRGIN** (G3933) **SHALL BE WITH CHILD** (G1722) (G1064) (G2192) = παρθένος ἐν γαστήρ έχω = 515 + 55 + 612 + 1405 = 2587

The prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) that a virgin (H5959) would conceive, (H2029) and bear (H3205) a son, (H1121) and would call (H7121) his name (H8034) Immanuel. (H6005) The virgin (H5959) Mary (Miriam) (H4813) conceived (H2029) and brought forth (H3205) a son, (H1121) to fulfill (H34390) Isaiah's (H3470) prophecy (H5016)

נבָיא ישׁעִיה נבא עלמה הרה ילד בּן קרא שׁם עמנוּאל עלמה מרִים הרה ילד בּן מלא ישׁעיה נבוּאה ישׁעיה נבוּאה

64 + 395 + 71 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 290 + 145 + 197 + 340 + 301 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 145 + 53 + 395 + 63 =**3071** 

**BEHOLD** (G2400) **A VIRGIN** (G3933) **SHALL BE WITH CHILD** (G1722) (G1064) (G2192) =  $\iota$ δού παρθένος ἐν γαστήρ ἐχω = 484 + 515 + 55 + 612 + 1405 =**3071** 

The Lord gave a sign that Jesus is the Messiah that was prophesied: the Virgin Mary conceived and brought forth a son.

The LORD (H3068) himself (H1931) gave (H5414) a sign (H226) of Immanuel: (H6005) the virgin (H5959) Mary (Miriam) (H4813) conceived (H2029) of (H4480) the Holy (H6944) Spirit, (H7307) and brought forth (H3205) a son. (H1121)

יהוה הוא נתן אות עמנואל עלמה מרים הרה מן קדש רוח ילד בן

$$52 + 44 + 214 + 404 + 90 + 210 + 290 + 145 + 197 + 407 + 500 + 12 + 26 = 2591$$

MARY (G3137) CONCEIVED (G4815) OF (G1537) THE HOLY (G0040) SPIRIT (G4151) = Μαρια συλλαμβάνω ἐκ ἄγιος πνεῦμα = 152 + 1554 + 25 + 284 + 576 = 2591

Jesus is the Son that was born of a virgin, and called Immanuel, meaning "God with us."

The prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied, (H5012) saying, (H559) A virgin (H5959) shall conceive, (H2029) and bear (H3205) a son, (H1121) and shall call (H7121) his name (H8034) Immanuel. (H6005) The virgin (H5959) Mary (Miriam) (H4813) conceived (H2029) and brought forth (H3205) a son, (H1121) Jesus (Yeshua). (H3442)

נבָיא ישׁפִיה נבא אמר עלמה הרה ילד בּן קרא שׁם עמנוּאל עלמה מִרִים הרה ילד בּן ישׂוע

$$386 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 290 + 145 + 197 + 340 + 301 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 145 + 241 + 53 + 395 + 63 = 3168$$

**LORD** (G2962) **JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Κύριος Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 800 + 888 + 1480 = 3168

Isaiah prophesied the coming of Christ long before he came.

He prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

נבא בּוֹא משׁיח

358 + 9 + 53 = 420

ESAIAS (ISAIAH) (G2268) (root word spelling) = 'H $\sigma\alpha$ iac = 420

He prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) before (H2962) it came to pass. (H1961)

נבא בוא משיח טרם היה

20 + 249 + 358 + 9 + 53 = 689

ESAIAS (ISAIAH) (G2268) = 'H $\sigma\alpha$ iou = 689

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) before (H2962) it came to pass. (H1961)

ישעיה נבא בוא משיח טרם היה

$$20 + 249 + 358 + 9 + 53 + 395 = 1084$$

**PROPHECY / PROPHESYING** (G4394) = προφητεῖαι = **1084** 

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) before (H2962) he was born. (H3205)

ישעיה נבא בּוֹא משיח טרם ילד

$$44 + 249 + 358 + 9 + 53 + 395 = 1108$$

FORESEE / FOREKNOW (G4267) =  $\pi \rho o \acute{\epsilon} \gamma v \omega = 1108$ 

Isaiah prophesied the coming of Jesus, whether he is referred to as the Son of God, or Son of man.

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of the Son (H1121) of God (H430) before (H2962) he was born. (H3205)

ישעיה נבא בוא בן אלהים טרם ילד

$$44 + 249 + 86 + 52 + 9 + 53 + 395 = 888$$

The prophet (H5030) of (H4480) old, (H5769) Isaiah, (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H3205) of the Son (H1121) of man. (H120)

נביא מן עוֹלם ישׁעִיה נבא ילד בּן אדם

$$45 + 52 + 44 + 53 + 395 + 146 + 90 + 63 = 888$$

Isaiah's prophecy concerning the coming Messiah was fulfilled in Jesus. In the Old Testament, sometimes the Hebrew word H5921 is used for "concerning," while at other times no word is used. The next sentence does not use H5921.

The prophecy (H5016) of Isaiah (H3470) concerning Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) was fulfilled. (H4390)

נבואה ישעוה משיח מלא

$$71 + 358 + 395 + 64 = 888$$

JESUS (G2424) = 
$$'I\eta\sigma\sigma\tilde{\upsilon}\varsigma = 888$$

The prophet Micah prophesied that the ruler in Israel, the Messiah, would be born in Bethlehem. Jesus Christ is the ruler born in Bethlehem. (In the Old Testament a word for "concerning" is often not used, as in the following sentence.)

Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) concerning Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

מיכה נבא ישוע משיח

$$358 + 386 + 53 + 91 = 888$$

The prophet (H5030) Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) that he shall come forth (H3318) out of (H4480) Bethlehem. (H1035)

נביא מיכה נבא יצא מן בִּיתלחם

490 + 90 + 101 + 53 + 91 + 63 = 888

**JESUS** (G2424) =  $^{1}$ Ιησοῦς = **888** 

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Son (H1121) of God, (H430) was born (H3205) in Bethlehem (H1035) according to prophecy. (H5016)

ישוע משִיח בּן אלהִים ילד בִּיתלחם נבוּא

$$64 + 490 + 44 + 86 + 52 + 358 + 386 =$$
**1480**

**CHRIST** (G5547) =  $\mathbf{X}$ ριστός = **1480** 

The prophet (H5030) of (H4480) old, (H5769) prophesied (H5012) that Bethlehem (H1035) is the place (H4725) where (H834) (H8033) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Son (H1121) of man, (H120) would be born. (H3205)

נביא מן עולם נבא בִּיתלחם מקום אשר שם משִׁיח בּן אדם ילד

$$44 + 45 + 52 + 358 + 340 + 501 + 186 + 490 + 53 + 146 + 90 + 63 =$$
**2368**

**JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ίησοῦς Χριστός = 
$$800 + 1480 = 2368$$

The prophet (H5030) of (H4480) old, (H5769) Micah, (H4318) prophesied (H5012) that Bethlehem (H1035) is the place (H4725) is where (H834) the ruler (H4910) in Israel, (H3478) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Son (H1121) of man, (H120) and Son (H1121) of God, (H430) would be born. (H3205)

נבָיא מן עוֹלם מִיכה נבא בִּיתלחם מקום אשׁר משׁל ישׂראל משִׁיח בּן אדם בּן אלהִים ילד

$$44 + 86 + 52 + 45 + 52 + 358 + 541 + 370 + 501 + 186 + 490 + 53 + 91 + 146 + 90 + 63 =$$
**3168**

**LORD** (G2962) **JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Κύριος Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 800 + 888 + 1480 = 3168

The Messiah, Jesus Christ, came many years after Isaiah prophesied his coming.

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) came (H935) many (H7227) years (H8141) after (H310) the prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) his coming, (H935) saying, (H559) unto us a child (H3206) is born. (H3205)

ישוע משִׁיח בּוֹא רב שנה אחר נבִיא ישׁעִיה נבא בּוֹא אמר ילד ילד

$$44 + 44 + 241 + 9 + 53 + 395 + 63 + 209 + 355 + 202 + 9 + 358 + 386 = 2368$$

**JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 800 + 1480 = 2368

To be more specific, Christ came seven hundred years after Isaiah and Micah prophesied his coming.

The prophets (H503) Isaiah (H3470) and Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

נביא ישעיה מִיכה נבא שבע מאה שנה טרם ישוע משִׁיח

$$358 + 386 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 53 + 91 + 395 + 63 =$$
**2368**

The Hebrew word H3205 was used for "birth" in earlier instances, and in the next sentence, a different word H4866 is used.

The coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) was prophesied (H5012) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) the birth (H4866) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) the LORD (H3068)

בוֹא משׁיח נבא שבע מאה שנה טרם משבר משִׁיח יהוה

$$26 + 358 + 542 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 53 + 358 + 9 = 2368$$

**JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 
$$800 + 1480 = 2368$$

Isaiah (H3470) and Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) the LORD (H3068) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) was born (H3205) in Bethlehem, (H1035) the city (H5892) of David. (H1732)

ישׁעִיה מִיכה נבא בּוֹא משִׁיח שׁבע מאה שׁנה טרם יהוה ישׁוע ילד בִּיתלחם עִיר דּוֹד ישׁעִיה מִיכה נבא בּוֹא משִׁיח שׁבע מאה שׁנה טרם יהוה ישׁוע ילד בִּיתלחם עִיר דּוֹד 14 + 280 + 490 + 44 + 386 + 26 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 358 + 9 + 53 + 91 + 395 = 3168

The prophets (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) and Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H4866) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) Jesus (Yeshua), (H3442) the only (H3173) begotten (H3205 Son (H1121) of God, (H430) was born. (H3205)

נבא ישׁעִיה מִיכה נבא משׁבּר משִׁיח שבע מאה שנה טרם ישׁוע יחִיד ילד בּן אלהִים ילד

$$44 + 86 + 52 + 44 + 32 + 386 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 358 + 542 + 53 + 91 + 395 + 63 = 3168$$

**LORD** (G2962) **JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Κύριος Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 800 + 888 + 1480 = 3168

It was at God's appointed time that the Messiah, Jesus Christ, the Son of God, came seven hundred years after it was prophesied. The following four gematria examples each has the value of 1407 which confirms this truth.

The Son (H1121) of God (H430) did not (H3808) come (H935) until (H7024) the time appointed, (H4150) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) after (H310) it was prophesied. (H5012)

בן אלהים לא בוא עד מועד שבע מאה שנה אחר נבא

$$53 + 209 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 74 + 9 + 31 + 86 + 52 =$$
**1407**

At the time appointed, (H4150) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) after (H310) the prophecy, (H5016) a virgin (H5959) brought forth (H3205) a son. (H1121)

מועד שבע מאה שנה אחר נבואה עלמה ילד בן

$$52 + 44 + 145 + 64 + 209 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 120 =$$
**1407**

The prophet (H5030) of (H4480) old, (H5769) Isaiah, (H4570) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H3205) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) before (H2962) he came. (H935)

נביא מן עולם ישעיה נבא ילד משיח טרם בוא

$$9 + 249 + 358 + 44 + 53 + 395 + 149 + 90 + 63 =$$
**1407**

The following sentence uses the Hebrew word H6931 for "of old" instead of two words H4480 and H5769, as used previously.

The prophets (H5030) of old (H6931) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H3205) of Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) before (H2962) he was born. (H3205)

נבִיא קדמוֹנִי נבא ילד ישוע משִׁיח טרם ילד

$$44 + 249 + 358 + 386 + 44 + 53 + 210 + 63 =$$
**1407**

SEVEN (G2033) HUNDRED (G1540) YEARS (G2094) = ξπτά ξκατόν ξτος = 386 + 446 + 575 = **1407** 

Jesus Christ is the one who was prophesied to be born of a virgin, and called Immanuel, and who was born seven hundred years after the prophecy of Isaiah.

He was born (H3205) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) after (H310) it was prophesied (H5012) that a virgin (H5959) would conceive (H2029) bring forth (H3205) a son, (H1121) and would call (H7121) his name (H8034) Immanuel. (H6005)

ילד שבע מאה שנה אחר נבא עלמה הרה ילד בן קרא שם עמנואל

$$197 + 340 + 301 + 52 + 44 + 145 + 53 + 209 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 44 = 2368$$

**JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 
$$800 + 1480 = 2368$$

Each of the next nine sentences has the same gematria value of 1753, and confirm that Jesus Christ was born seven hundred years after the prophecies of Isaiah and Micah.

**After** (H310) **seven** (H7651) **hundred** (H3967) **years** (H8141) **Isaiah's** (H3470) **prophecy** (H5016) **was fulfilled** (H4390) **and Immanuel** (H6005) **was born.** (H3205)

אחר שבע מאה שנה ישעיה נבואה מלא עמנואל ילד

$$44 + 197 + 71 + 64 + 395 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 209 = 1753$$

It came to pass, (H1961) a long (H748) time (H3117) after (H310) the prophecy (H5016) of Isaiah, (H3470) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) was born. (H3205)

היה ארך יום אחר נביוא ישעיה ישוע משיח ילד

$$44 + 358 + 386 + 395 + 64 + 209 + 56 + 221 + 20 = 1753$$

Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the only (H3173) begotten (H3205) Son, (H1121) was born (H3205) many (H7227) years (H8141) after (H310) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) his coming. (H935)

משַׁיח יחָיד ילד בּן ילד רב שנה אחר ישׁעִיה נבא בּוֹא

$$9 + 53 + 395 + 209 + 202 + 44 + 52 + 44 + 32 + 358 = 1753$$

Isaiah, (H3470) a prophet (H5030) of the LORD, (H3068) prophesied, (H5012) saying, (H559) unto us a child (H3206) is born, (H3205) but (H3588) the child (H3206) did not (H3808) come (H935) for seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years. (H8141)

יששיה נביא יהוה נבא אמר ילד ילד כִּי ילד לא בּוֹא שׁבְע מאה שׁנה

$$355 + 46 + 372 + 9 + 31 + 44 + 30 + 44 + 44 + 241 + 53 + 26 + 63 + 395 = 1753$$

Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) came (H935) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) from (H4480) the time (H6256) it was prophesied. (H5012)

משיח בוא שבע מאה שנה מן עת נבא

$$53 + 470 + 90 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 9 + 358 = 1753$$

The coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) was prophesied (H5012) many (H7227) years (H8141) before (H2962) Jesus (Yeshua), (H3442) the Son (H1121) of man, (H120) was born. (H3205)

בוֹא משיח נבא רב שנה טרם ישוע בן אדם ילד

$$44 + 45 + 52 + 386 + 249 + 355 + 202 + 53 + 358 + 9 = 1753$$

The prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H3205) of Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) and it came to pass, (H1961) that in the fullness (H4390) of time (H6256) the Son (H1121) of man, (H120) and Son (H1121) of God, (H430) was born. (H3205)

נבואה ישׁעִיה נבא ילד משִׁיח הִיה מלא עת בּן אדם בּן אלהִים ילד

$$44 + 86 + 52 + 45 + 52 + 470 + 71 + 20 + 358 + 44 + 53 + 395 + 63 = 1753$$

According to the prophecy (H5016) a virgin (H5959) shall conceive, (H2029) and bear (H3205) a son, (H1121) and shall call (H7121) his name (H8034) Immanuel. (H6005) The prophecy (H5016) was fulfilled (H4390) when (H3588) the prophesied (H5012) Son (H1121) of God (H430) was born. (H3205)

נבואה עלמה הרה ילד בן קרא שם עמנואל נבואה מלא כֵּי נבא בן לאהִים ילד

$$44\ 86 + 52 + 53 + 30 + 71 + 64 + 197 + 340 + 301 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 145 + 64 = 1753$$

The prophecy (H5016) concerning (H5921) a ruler (H4910) that shall come forth (H3318) out of (H4480) Bethlehem (H1035) was fulfilled (H4390) after (H310) a long (H7227) time. (H3117)

נבואה על משל יצא מן ביתלחם מלא אחר רב יום

$$56 + 202 + 209 + 71 + 490 + 90 + 101 + 370 + 100 + 64 = 1753$$

**AFTER** (G3326) **SEVEN** (G2033) **HUNDRED** (G1540) **YEARS** (G2094) = μετά ἑπτά ἑκατόν ἐτος = 346 + 386 + 446 + 575 = 1753

To follow are nine sentences which all have the gematria value of 1657, and confirm that the prophecies concerning the birth of Christ were made seven hundred years before. In the first sentence, a different Hebrew word (H3205) than the one used in prior examples (H4866) for "birth" is used.

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H3205) of Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) before (H2962) the only (H3173) begotten (H3205) Son (H1121) was born. (H3205)

ישׁצִיה נבא ילד ישוע משִׁיח טרם יחִיד ילד בּן ילד

$$44 + 52 + 44 + 32 + 249 + 358 + 386 + 44 + 53 + 395 =$$
**1657**

Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the place (H4725) where (H834) (H8033) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the only (H3173) Son, (H1121) would be born. (H3205)

מִיכה נבא מקום אשר שם משִיח יחִיד בּן ילד

$$44 + 52 + 32 + 358 + 340 + 501 + 186 + 53 + 91 =$$
**1657**

At the time appointed (H4150) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) was born (H3205) in Bethlehem (H1035) as (H834) the prophet (H5030) prophesied. (H5012)

מועד ישוע ילד בַּיתלחם אשר נבִיא נבא

$$53 + 63 + 501 + 490 + 44 + 386 + 120 = 1657$$

In the next sentence, "of old" is written using the Hebrew word H865 instead of two words H4480 and H5769) or H6931 which were used previously.

The prophet (H5030) of old, (H865) Isaiah (H4570) prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) before (H2962) the child (H3206) came. (H935)

נביא אתמול ישעיה נבא בוא משיח טרם ילד בוא

$$9 + 44 + 249 + 358 + 9 + 53 + 395 + 477 + 63 =$$
**1657**

In the Old Testament, "where" is written either with two words H834 and H8033, or simply with the word H834, as in the following.

The prophet (H5030) of (H4480) old, (H5769) Micah, (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the place (H4725) where (H834) Jesus (Yeshua), (H3442) the Son (H1121) of man, (H120) would be born. (H3205)

נביא מן עולם מיכה נבא מקום אשר ישוע בן אדם ילד

$$44 + 45 + 52 + 386 + 501 + 186 + 53 + 91 + 146 + 90 + 63 =$$
**1657**

Isaiah (H3470) and Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Son (H1121) of God, (H430) years (H8141) before (H2962) he came. (H935)

ישעיה מיכה נבא בוא משיח בן אלהים שנה טרם בוא

$$9 + 249 + 355 + 86 + 52 + 358 + 9 + 53 + 91 + 395 =$$
**1657**

Isaiah (H3470) and Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) the Son (H1121) was born. (H3205)

ישׁעִיה מִיכה נבא שבע מאה שנה טרם בּן ילד

$$44 + 52 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 53 + 91 + 395 =$$
**1657**

The birth (H4866) of Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) the Son (H1121) was prophesied (H5012) years (H8141) before (H2962) it came to pass. (H1961)

משבר ישוע בן נבא שנה טרם היה

$$20 + 249 + 355 + 53 + 52 + 386 + 542 = 1657$$

In prior sentences either H3205 or H4866 were used for "birth." There is another word of this same meaning (H4351) and it is used in the next sentence.

The birth (H4351) of Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) was prophesied (H5012) many (H7227) years (H8141) before (H2962) the Son (H1121) of man (H120) was born. (H3205)

מכורה ישוע נבא רב שנה טרם בן אדם ילד

$$44 + 45 + 52 + 249 + 355 + 202 + 53 + 386 + 271 =$$
**1657**

SEVEN (G2033) HUNDRED (G1540) YEARS (G2094) BEFORE (G4253) = ἑπτά ἑκατόν ἐτος πρό = 386 + 446 + 575 + 250 = 1657

A different Hebrew word for "birth" is used in each of the next two sentences.

The prophets (H5030) of (H4480) old, (H5769) Isaiah (H4570) and Micah, (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H3205) of Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Son (H1121) of God, (H430) before (H2962) it came to pass. (H1961)

נביא מן עוֹלם ישׁעִיה מִיכה נבא ילד משִׁיח בּן אלהִים טרם הִיה

$$20 + 249 + 86 + 52 + 358 + 44 + 53 + 91 + 395 + 146 + 90 + 63 =$$
**1647**

The prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H4351) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) before (H2962) the only (H3173) begotten (H3205) Son (H1121) of God (H430) was born. (H3205)

נבִיא ישׁעִיה נבא מכוֹרה משִׁיח טרם יחִיד ילד בּן אַלהִים ילד 44 + 86 + 52 + 44 + 32 + 249 + 358 + 271 + 53 + 395 + 63 =**1647** 

A different Greek word is used for "before" in the following gematria association which has a gematria value of 1647.

SEVEN (G2033) HUNDRED (G1540) YEARS (G2094) BEFORE (G4250) = ἑπτά ἑκατόν ἐτος πρίν = 386 + 446 + 575 + 240 = 1647

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H3205) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) the LORD, (H3068) who (H834) came (H935) after (H310) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years. (H8141)

ישעיה נבא ילד משיח יהוה אשר בוא אחר שבע מאה שנה

$$355 + 46 + 372 + 209 + 9 + 501 + 26 + 358 + 44 + 53 + 395 = 2368$$

The birth (H4866) of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) was prophesied (H5012) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) the LORD (H3068) came. (H935)

משבר משיח נבא שבע מאה שנה טרם משיח יהוה בוא

hundred years before his birth.

$$9 + 26 + 358 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 53 + 358 + 542 = 2368$$

The prophets (H5030) of (H4480) old (H5769) Isaiah (H3470) and also (H1571) Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the coming (H935) of the LORD (H3068) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) he was born. (H3205)

נביא מן עולם ישעיה גם מיכה נבא יהוה ישוע שבע מאה שנה טרם ילד 44 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 386 + 26 + 9 + 53 + 91 + 43 + 395 + 146 + 90 + 63 =**2368** 

Each of the final eight sentences for which the numerical value is determined has a gematria

value of 3168, confirming that the coming of the Lord Jesus Christ was prophesied seven

**JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ίησοῦς Χριστός = 800 + 1480 = 2368

The prophecy (H5016) of Isaiah (H3470) concerning (H5921) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) was fulfilled (H4390) after (H310) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years, (H8141) when (H3588) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Savior, (H3467) was born. (H3205)

נבואה ישע משִיח מלא אחר שבע מאה שנה כִּי ישׁוע משִׁיח ישׁע ילד 44 + 380 + 358 + 386 + 30 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 209 + 71 + 358 + 100 + 395 + 64 =**3168** 

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Savior, (H3467) came (H935) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) after (H310) the prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) his birth. (H4866)

ישוע משיח ישע בוא שבע מאה שנה אחר נביא ישעיה נבא משבר

$$542 + 53 + 395 + 209 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 9 + 380 + 358 + 386 = 3168$$

The prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H4866) of Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) but (H3588) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the only (H3173) Son (H1121) of God, (H430) did not (H3808) come (H935) for seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years. (H8141)

נבִיא ישׁבע מאה שבע משבר משבר משבר משיח יחִיד בן אלהִים לא בוֹא שבע מאה נביא נביא נביא נביא ישׁנה 355+46+372+9+31+86+52+32+358+386+30+358+542+53+395+63=

Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) the Savior (H3467) was born (H3205) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) from (H4480) the time (H6256) the prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) his birth. (H4866)

משַׁיח ישׁע ילד שבע מאה שנה מן עת נבָיא ישׁעִיה נבא משבר

$$542 + 53 + 395 + 63 + 470 + 90 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 44 + 380 + 358 = 3168$$

The prophet (H5030) of old, (H865) Isaiah (H4570) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H4866) of the Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) child (H3206) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) the only (H3173) Son (H1121) of God (H430) was born. (H3205)

נבִיא אתמוֹל ישׁצִיה נבא משבר משִׁיח ילד שבע מאה שנה טרם יחִיד בּן אלהִים ילד

$$44 + 86 + 52 + 32 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 44 + 358 + 542 + 53 + 395 + 477 + 63 =$$
**3168**

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied, (H5012) saying, (H559) unto us a child (H3206) is born, (H3205) unto us a son (H1121) is given; (H5414) but (H3588) the prophecy (H5016) was not (H3808) fulfilled (H4390) for seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years, (H8141) when (H3588) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Son, (H1121) was born. (H3205)

ישׁצִיה נבא אמר ילד ילד בן נתן כִּי נבוּאה לא מלא שׁבָע מאה שׁנה כִּי ישׁוע משִׁיח בּן ילד

$$44 + 52 + 358 + 386 + 30 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 71 + 31 + 64 + 30 + 500 + 52 + 44 + 44 + 241 + 53 + 395 =$$
**3168**

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) was born (H3205) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) after (H310) Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) that out of (H4480) Bethlehem (H1035) shall come forth (H3318) he that shall be (H1961) ruler (H4910) in Israel. (H3478)

ישראל שבע מאה שנה אחר מִיכה נבא מן בִּיתלחם יצא היה משל ישראל ישראל 541 + 370 + 20 + 101 + 490 + 90 + 53 + 91 + 209 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 44 + 386 =**3168** 

The prophets (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) and Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah). (H4899)

נביא ישעיה מיכה נבא שבע מאה שנה טרם ישוע משיח

$$358 + 386 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 53 + 91 + 395 + 63 = 3168$$

**LORD** (G2962) **JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Κύριος Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 800 + 888 + 1480 = **3168** 

Both Isaiah and Micah prophesied the birth of Jesus Christ seven hundred years before their prophecies were fulfilled.

The prophet (H5030) Isaiah, (H4570) and the prophet (H5030) Micah, (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H4866) of Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) the Son (H1121) of man, (H120) and Son (H1121) of God, (H430) was born. (H3205)

נבִיא ישׁעִיה נבִיא מִיכה נבא משׁבּר ישׁוע שבע מאה שׁנה טרם בּן אדם בּן אלהִים ילד

$$44 + 86 + 52 + 45 + 52 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 386 + 542 + 53 + 91 + 63 + 395 + 63 =$$
**2894**

**BIRTH** (G1083) **OF JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = γέννσις Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 526 + 888 + 1480 = 2894

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied, (H5012) saying, (H559) Unto us a child (H3206) is born, (H3205) unto us a son (H1121) is given; (H5414) and his name (H8034) shall be (H1961) called (H7121) Wonderful, (H6382) Counselor, (H3289) The mighty (H1368) God, (H410) The everlasting (H5703) Father, (H1) The Prince (H8269) of Peace, (H7965) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) Christ (the Messiah), (H4899) the Son (H1121) of man, (H120) and only (H3173) Son (H1121) of God, (H430) was born. (H3205)

ישׁעִיה נבא אמר ילד ילד שם הִיה קרא פּלא יעץ גּבּור אל עד אב שׂר שׁלוּם שׁבע מאה ישׁנה טרם משִׁיח בּן אדם יחִיד בּן אלהִים ילד

$$44 + 86 + 52 + 32 + 45 + 52 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 376 + 500 + 3 + 74 + 31 + 211 + 170 + 111 + 301 + 20 + 340 + 500 + 52 + 44 + 44 + 241 + 53 + 395 = 5157$$

Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) was born (H3205) in Bethlehem (H1035) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) after (H310) Micah (H4318) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H4866) of Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) saying, (H559) Out of (H4480) Bethlehem (H1035) shall come forth (H3318) he that shall be (H1961) ruler (H4910) in Israel. (H3478)

משִּׁיח ילד בִּיתלחם שבע מאה שנה אחר מִיכה נבא משבּר ישוע משִׁיח אמר מן ביתלחם יצא היה משׁל ישׂראל 541 + 370 + 20 + 101 + 490 + 90 + 241 + 358 + 386 + 542 + 53 + 91 + 209 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 490 + 44 + 358 = **5157** 

**PROPHESIED** (G2263) **THE BIRTH** (G1083) **OF JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = προοφητεύω γέννσις Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 2263 + 526 + 888 + 1480 = **5157** 

The prophet (H5030) Isaiah (H3470) prophesied, (H5012) saying, (H559) Behold, (H2009) a virgin (H5959) shall conceive, (H2029) and bear (H3205) a son, (H1121) and shall call (H7121) his name (H8034) Immanuel. (H6005) After (H310) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) the prophecy (H5016) was fulfilled (H4390) when the virgin (H5959) Mary (Miriam) (H4813) conceived, (H2029) and brough forth (H3205) a son, (H1121) the Son (H1121) of God. (H430)

נביא ישעיה נבא אמר הנה עלמה הרה ילד בן קרא שם עמנואל אחר שבע מאה שנה נביא ישעיה נבא אמר הנה עלמה מלא עלמה מרים הרה ילד בן בן אלהים

$$86 + 52 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 290 + 145 + 71 + 64 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 209 + 197 + 340 + 301 + 52 + 44 + 210 + 145 + 60 + 241 + 53 + 395 + 63 = 4097$$

**ESAIAS** (ISAIAH) (G2268) **PROPHESIED** (G2263) **THE BIRTH** (G1083) **OF JESUS** (G2424) = Ἡσαΐας προοφητεύω γέννσις Ἰησοῦς = 420 + 2263 + 526 + 888 = 4097

Isaiah (H3470) prophesied (H5012) the birth (H4866) of Jesus (Yeshua), (H3442) saying, (H559) Unto us a child (H3206) is born, (H3205) unto us a son (H1121) is given; (H5414) and his name (H8034) shall be (H1961) called (H7121) Wonderful, (H6382) Counselor, (H3289) The mighty (H1368) God, (H410) The everlasting (H5703) Father, (H1) The Prince (H8269) of Peace, (H7965) seven (H7651) hundred (H3967) years (H8141) before (H2962) it came to pass (H1961) that the Son (H1121) of man (H120) was born. (H3205)

ישׁצִיה נבא משׁבּר ישׁוע אמר ילד ילד בּן מתה שׁם הִיה קרא פּלא יעץ גּבּור אל עד אב שׁר שׁלום שׁבע מאה שׁנה טרם היה בּן אדם ילד

$$44 + 45 + 52 + 20 + 249 + 355 + 46 + 372 + 376 + 500 + 3 + 74 + 31 + 211 + 170 + 111 + 301 + 20 + 340 + 500 + 52 + 44 + 44 + 241 + 386 + 542 + 53 + 395 = 5577$$

**ESAIAS (ISAIAH)** (G2268) **PROPHESIED** (G2263) **THE BIRTH** (G1083) **OF JESUS** (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = 'Hσαΐας προοφητεύω γέννσις 'Ιησοῦς Χριστός = 420 + 2263 + 526 + 888 + 1480 = **5577** 

All Holy Scripture is inspired by God, and holds absolute truth. The Old Testament prophets received inspiration from God to prophesy future events in relation to the nation of Israel, and God's plan for the redemption of all mankind. Their prophecies were not of their own, but as they were inspired by the Holy Spirit: We have also a more sure word of prophecy; whereunto ye do well that ye take heed, as unto a light that shineth in a dark place, until the day dawn, and the day star arise in your hearts: knowing this first, that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation. For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost. 2Peter 1:19-21. Seven hundred years before

the birth of Jesus Christ, the prophets Isaiah and Micah were moved to prophesy of his coming. There was a delay of seven hundred years before the prophecy of a Messiah was fulfilled, but Jesus came at the appointed time according to God's plan. We can be certain, that even though there has been a greater span of time since Jesus promised to return, that promise will be kept as well.