1948 and 1967

The term gematria encompasses a variety of ways in which the numerical values of words are used to discover truth. It is most commonly related to the study of Holy Scripture, which is made possible by the fact that in both Hebrew, the language of the Old Testament, and Greek, the language of the New Testament, the characters of the respective alphabets are given numerical (gematria) values. The method of gematria which I have used involves the determination of the numerical value for sentences based upon the root word spellings of the Hebrew words that are used. Numerical values for sentences are then shown to be associated with Greek or Hebrew words of the same gematria value.

The total numerical values for the sentences which restate Biblical truth regarding what is written concerning Jesus repeatedly total 888, 1480, 2368, and 3168; the gematria values for Jesus, Christ, Jesus Christ, and Lord Jesus Christ, respectively, in Greek. Not only does the method of gematria that I have used give confirmation of Scriptural truth when these specific numbers are deliberately sought, but I have also discovered that randomly found numerical values are associated with words of the same value which are directly related to the sentence.

Does this method of gematria also confirm the dates of specific historical events that are related to the chosen people of God, the Jews? It is beyond comprehension that this could be possible. The modern numbering of years was not devised until 525 AD, and did not come into wide use until after 800 AD, and yet words from Scripture written many years before, give confirmation of historical events concerning the nation of Israel. The modern State of Israel was established in 1948, in the area of Palestine that was historically the land that God gave by covenant to Abraham, and was extended to Isaac, and Jacob (Jacob's name was changed to Israel.)

In Scripture it is written that God will gather his people who have been scattered and bring them back to their own country, not for their sake, but for the sake of his holy name: Therefore say unto the house of Israel, Thus saith the Lord GOD; I do not this for your sakes, O house of Israel, but for mine holy name's sake, which ye have profaned among the heathen, whither ye went. And I will sanctify my great name, which was profaned among the heathen, which ye have profaned in the midst of them; and the heathen shall know that I am the LORD, saith the Lord GOD, when I shall be sanctified in you before their eyes. For I will take you from among the heathen, and gather you out of all countries, and will bring you into your own land. And ye shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers; and ye shall be my people, and I shall be your God. Ezekiel 36:22-24, 28. This passage of Scripture, and others similar to it, support the fulfillment of prophecy regarding the Jews return to their land in 538BC, after being exiled to Babylon following the conquest of Jerusalem by Nebuchadnezzar. However, this same passage of Scripture, through the numerical value of root words, also confirms the year that the Jews once again returned from where they were scattered to their own land in 1948.

Thus (H3541) saith (H5002) the LORD, (H3068) For the sake (H4616) of my great (H1419) name, (H8034) I will take (H3947) you from (H4480) among the heathen, (H1471) and gather (H6908) you out of (H4480) all (H3605) countries, (H776) and bring (H935) you into (H413) your own land. (H127)

פה נאם יהוה מען גדול שם לקח מן גִיוֹ קבץ מן כּל ארץ בּוֹא אל אדמה

$$50 + 31 + 9 + 291 + 50 + 90 + 19 + 90 + 138 + 340 + 43 + 160 + 26 + 91 + 25 = 1645$$

Then (H227) will I gather (H6908) my people (H5971) and bring (H935) them into (H413) the land (H776) that (H834) I gave (H5414) to their fathers. (H1)

אז קבץ עם בוא אל ארץ אשר נתן אב

$$3 + 500 + 501 + 291 + 31 + 9 + 110 + 192 + 8 =$$
1645

Of what significance is the number 1645 in relation to the year in which the Jewish people returned to their own land which was promised to them by God, and the nation of Israel was reestablished? Note the following gematria value for the Hebrew words that give the year.

ONE THOUSAND (H505) **NINE** (H8672) **HUNDRED** (H3967) **FORTY** (H705) **EIGHT** (H8083)

אלף תשע מאה ארבעים שמנה

$$395 + 323 + 46 + 770 + 111 = 1645$$

For (H3588) I (H595) will gather (H6908) you and bring (H935) you into (H413) your own land. (H127) And you shall dwell (H3427) in the land (H776) that (H834) I gave (H5414) to your fathers. (H1)

כִּי אנכִי קבץ בוא אל אדמה ושב ארץ אשר נתן אב

$$3 + 500 + 501 + 291 + 312 + 50 + 31 + 9 + 192 + 81 + 30 = 2000$$

THE YEAR (H8141) **ONE THOUSAND** (H505) **NINE** (H8672) **HUNDRED** (H3967) **FORTY** (H705) **EIGHT** (H8083)

שנה אלף תשע מאה ארבעים שמנה

$$395 + 323 + 46 + 770 + 111 + 355 = 2000$$

In the same way that the numerical value of Hebrew root words in a text that restates scriptural prophecies concerning the return of the Jewish people to their own land is equal to that for the Hebrew root words that indicate the year 1948, the same method also results in a gematria value equal to the Greek root words for 1948, as shown in the next gematria association. The prophesied return of the Jews is thus not only related to their return from exile in Babylon, but also related to the return from all nations to establish the modern nation of Israel.

The Lord (H136) GOD (H3069) said, (H559) I (H589) am the LORD, (H3068) and for the sake (H4616) of my great (H1419) name, (H8034) I will take (H3947) you from (H4480) among the heathen, (H1471) and gather (H6908) you out of (H4480) all (H3605) countries, (H776) and bring (H935) you into (H413) your own land. (H127) And you shall dwell (H3427) in the land (H776) that (H834) I gave (H5414) to your fathers; (H1) and you shall be (H1961) my people, (H5971) and I (H595) will be (H1961) your God. (H430)

אדני יהוה אמר אני יהוה מען גדול שם לקח מן גִיוֹ קבץ מן כּל ארץ בּוֹא אל אדמה אדני יהוה אמר אנכִי הִיה אלהִים

$$86 + 20 + 81 + 110 + 20 + 3 + 500 + 501 + 291 + 312 + 50 + 31 + 9 + 291 + 50 + 90 + 192 + 19 + 90 + 138 + 340 + 43 + 160 + 26 + 61 + 241 + 26 + 65 = 3846$$

ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) FORTY (G5062) EIGHT (G3638) = χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν τεσσαράκοντα ὀκτώ = 851 + 111 + 446 + 1248 + 1190 = 3846

The year that God gathered his people and brought them into the land that he gave to their fathers is identified by the gematria value of Hebrew root words for 1948, and for "the year 1948." As well as Greek root words for 1948. Consider the following sentences composed of Hebrew root words which state what was promised in Scripture in accordance with historical fact.

The nation (H1471) of Israel (H3478) shall be established (H3559) again (H3254) and the people (H5971) shall return (H7725) again (H3254) to the land. (H776)

$$291 + 150 + 308 + 110 + 150 + 76 + 541 + 19 =$$
1645

The people (H5971) shall return (H7725) again (H3254) to the Promised (H1696) Land, (H776) and there shall be (H1961) a nation (H1471) of Israel. (H3478)

$$541 + 19 + 20 + 291 + 206 + 150 + 308 + 110 =$$
1645

The year (H8141) that God's (H430) people (H5971) shall return, (H7725) and the nation (H1471) of Israel (H3478) will be established (H3559) again. (H3254)

$$150 + 76 + 541 + 19 + 308 + 110 + 86 + 355 =$$
1645

ONE THOUSAND (H505) **NINE** (H8672) **HUNDRED** (H3967) **FORTY** (H705) **EIGHT** (H8083)

$$395 + 323 + 46 + 770 + 111 = 1645$$

The year that the Jews returned to the Promised Land in the modern age is confirmed by the gematria value of 1645, and it is also repeatedly confirmed by the actual number of the year, 1948.

For (H3588) God (H430) shall bring (H935) you into (H413) the Promised (H1696) Land, (H776) the land (H776) that (H834) he gave (H5414) to your fathers. (H1)

$$3 + 500 + 501 + 291 + 291 + 206 + 31 + 9 + 86 + 30 = 1948$$

The Hebrew (H5680) people (H5971) shall return (H7725) again (H5750) to the Promised (H1696) Land (H776) of the Jews, (H3064) and the nation (H1471) of Israel (H3478) shall be established. (H3559)

$$76 + 541 + 19 + 35 + 291 + 206 + 80 + 308 + 110 + 282 + = 1948$$

The Hebrew (H5680) people (H5971) shall return (H7725) to the land (H776) the LORD (H3068) God (H430) promised (H1696) to their fathers, (H1) and the nation (H1471) of Israel (H3478) shall be established. (H3559)

עברי עם שוב ארץ ארץ יהוה אלהים דבר אב גוי ישראל כון

$$76 + 541 + 19 + 3 + 206 + 86 + 26 + 291 + 308 + 110 + 282 + = 1948$$

Whether the Jews are referred to as God's people, the chosen people, the House of Israel, the children of Israel, or the Hebrews; all of which are various appellations used in Scripture, the truth is still confirmed.

God (H430) declared, (H5046) I will bring (H935) the House (H1004) of Israel (H3478) into (H413) the Promised (H1696) Land (H776) of their fathers (H1) to dwell. (H3427)

אלהים נגד בית ישראל אל דבר ארץ אב ישב

$$312 + 3 + 291 + 206 + 541 + 412 + 31 + 9 + 57 + 86 = 1948$$

It shall come to pass, (H1961) I will bring (H935) the children (H1121) of Israel (H3478) into (H413) the land (H776) that (H834) I gave (H5414) their fathers. (H1)

היה בוא בן ישראל אל ארץ אשר נתן אב

$$3 + 500 + 501 + 291 + 31 + 541 + 52 + 9 + 20 = 1948$$

It shall come to pass (H1931) that (H3588) the children (H1121) of Israel (H3478) shall return (H7725) to the Promised (H1696) Land (H776) given (H5414) to them.

הָיה כִּי בּן ישראל שוּב דבר ארץ נתן

$$500 + 291 + 206 + 308 + 541 + 52 + 30 + 20 =$$
1948

The year (H8141) the chosen (H977) of God, (H430) the Hebrews, (H5680) will be able (H3201) to return (H7725) again (H3254) to the Promised (H1696) Land. (H776)

שנה בחר אלהים עברי יכל שוב יסף דבר ארץ

$$291 + 206 + 150 + 308 + 60 + 282 + 86 + 210 + 355 = 1948$$

The appointed time (H4150) that (H3588) the Hebrew (H5680) people (H5971) will be able (H3201) to return (H7725) to the Promised (H1696) Land (H776) of Israel. (H3478)

מועד כִּי עבדי עם יכל שוב דבר ארץ ישראל

$$541 + 291 + 206 + 308 + 60 + 110 + 282 + 30 + 120 = 1948$$

The Hebrew (H5680) people (H5971) will be able (H3201) to return (H7725) again (H3254) to the Promised (H1696) Land (H776) of Israel. (H3478)

עבדי עם יכל שוב יסף דבר ארץ ישראל

$$541 + 291 + 206 + 150 + 308 + 60 + 110 + 282 = 1948$$

It is written (H3789) I (H595) will bring (H935) my people (H5971) into (H413) the land (H776) that (H834) I gave (H5414) to their fathers. (H1)

כתב אנכִי בּוֹא עם אל ארץ אשר נתן אב

$$3 + 500 + 501 + 291 + 31 + 110 + 9 + 81 + 422 = 1948$$

The chosen (H977) people (H5971) of God (H430) shall return (H7725) again (H5750) to the land (H776) the LORD (H3068) God (H430) gave (H5414) to their father (H1) Abraham. (H85)

בחר עם אלהים שוב עוד ארץ יהוה אלהים נתן אב אברהם 248 + 3 + 500 + 86 + 26 + 291 + 80 + 308 + 86 + 110 + 210 = **1948**

The following text in Hebrew root words has the same gematria value as the Greek root words which confirm that the Jews were prophesied to return to the Promised Land in the year 1948.

In this (H2088) year (H8141) the Lord (H136) GOD (H3069) will take (H3947) the house (H1004) of Israel (H3478) from (H4480) among the heathen, (H1471) and gather (H6908) them out of (H4480) all (H3605) the countries, (H776) and bring (H935) them into (H413) their own land. (H127) They shall dwell (H3427) in the land (H776) that (H834) he gave (H5414) to their fathers, (H1) and a new (H2319) nation (H1471) will be established (H3559) in the Promised (H1696) Land. (H776)

זה שנה אדני יהוה לקח בִּית ישׁראל מן גּוִי קבץ מן כּל ארץ בּוֹא אל אדמה ישׁב ארץ אשר נתן אב חדש גּוִי כּוּן דבר ארץ

291 + 206 + 76 + 19 + 312 + 3 + 500 + 501 + 291 + 312 + 50 + 31 + 9 + 291 + 50 + 90 + 192 + 19 + 90 + 541 + 412 + 138 + 26 + 65 + 355 + 12 = 4882

THE YEAR (G1763) ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) FORTY (G5062) EIGHT (G3638) = ἐνιαυτός χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν τεσσαράκοντα ὀκτώ = 1036 + 851 + 111 + 446 + 1248 + 1190 = 4882

Initially, I referred to a passage of Scripture from Ezekiel Chapter 36, regarding God's promise to gather his chosen people and return them to the land that he gave to their fathers. There are additional passages of Scripture which are found in other chapters of Ezekiel which reveal the same truth. The first instance uses the exact root words as they are seen in Ezekiel 11:17, to reveal the year in which the Jews would be gathered and given their own land: *Therefore, say, Thus saith the Lord GOD; I will even gather you from the people, and assemble you out of the countries where ye have been scattered, and I will give you the land of Israel*. Ezekiel 11: 17. When using the same root words (in bold type) as found in Scripture for the words from this verse the following is found.

Thus (H3541) saith (H559) the Lord (H136) GOD; (H3069) I will even gather (H6908) you from (H4480) the people, (H5971) and assemble (H622) you out of (H4480) the countries (H776) where (H834) you have been scattered. (H6327)

פה אמר אדני יהוה קבץ מן עם אסף מן ארץ אשר פּוּץ פּוּץ פּוּץ אמר אדני יהוה אמר אדני יהוה 176 + 501 + 291 + 90 + 141 + 110 + 90 + 192 + 26 + 65 + 241 + 25 = 1948

Now, in the text to follow, the remaining words from this verse are used, along with some other changes. The Hebrew words for "therefore" and "Lord" (H136) are excluded, and the proper name of God (H3068) is used for "Lord," which is spelled the same as H3069, the word that is used for God in the verse. Also, H8033 is used along with H834 for "where," as is often seen in the Bible. In addition, the word for "all" is used along with "countries," and instead of using

H127 for "land," H776 is used, as both can be translated as land. With these changes, the following numerical word association is found.

Say, (H559) Thus (H3541) saith (H559) the LORD; (H3068) I will even gather (H6908) you from (H4480) the people, (H5971) and assemble (H622) you out of (H4480) the all (H3605) the countries (H776) where (H834) (H8033) you have been scattered, (H6327) and I will give (H5414) you the land (H776) of Israel. (H3478)

אמר פה אמר ישראל ישראל מן עם אסף מן עם אסף מן נתן ארץ ישראל אמר פה אמר יהוה קבץ מן עם אסף מן עם אסף מן אמר אמר ישראל 541 + 291 + 500 + 176 + 340 + 501 + 291 + 50 + 90 + 141 + 110 + 90 + 192 + 26 + 241 + 25 + 241 =**3846**

ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) FORTY (G5062) EIGHT (G3638) = χ λιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν τεσσαράκοντα ὀκτώ = 851 + 111 + 446 + 1248 + 1190 = 3846

At the time appointed by the Lord, he gathered the Jewish people, the House of Israel, from out of the countries where they were scattered, and gave them the land of Israel which had been promised to their forefathers: Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. The prophecy of Ezekiel was fulfilled in the year 1948, which is proven by the numerical values of the two texts to follow that are written using Hebrew root words, and have the same gematria value as Greek words which confirm the appointed time.

At the time appointed, (H4150) the Lord (H136) GOD (H3069) gathered (H6908) the House (H1004) of Israel (H3478) from (H4480) the people, (H5971) and assembled (H622) them out of (H4480) the countries (H776) where (H834) they had been scattered, (H6327) and gave (H5414) them the land (H127) of Israel. (H3478)

ONE THOUSAND (G5505) **NINE** (G1767) **HUNDRED** (G1540) **FORTY** (G5062) **EIGHT** (G3638) = γλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν τεσσαράκοντα ὀκτώ = 851 + 111 + 446 + 1248 + 1190 = **3846**

I (H589) will gather (H6908) the House (H1004) of Israel (H3478) from (H4480) the people, (H5971) and assemble (H622) them out of (H4480) the countries (H776) where (H834) they have been scattered, (H6327) and give (H5414) them the land (H127) of Israel, (H3478) that (H834) I gave (H5414) to their fathers, (H1) saith (H5002) the Lord (H136) GOD (H3069)

מועד קבץ בִּית ישׁראל מן עם אסף מן ארץ אשר פּוּץ נתן אדמה ישׁראל אשר נתן מועד קבץ בִּית ישׁראל מן עם אסף מן ארני יהוה

26 + 65 + 91 + 3 + 500 + 501 + 541 + 50 + 500 + 176 + 501 + 291 + 90 + 141 + 110 + 90 + 541 + 412 + 192 + 61 = 4882

THE YEAR (G1763) ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) FORTY (G5062) EIGHT (G3638) = ἐνιαυτός χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν τεσσαράκοντα ὀκτώ = 1036 + 851 + 111 + 446 + 1248 + 1190 = 4882

The next confirmation of truth is seen in association with the following verse: Thus saith the Lord God; When I shall have gathered the House of Israel from the people among whom they

are scattered, and shall be sanctified in them in the sight of the heathen, then shall they dwell in their land that I have given to my servant Jacob. Ezekiel 28:25. The "House of Israel" mentioned in this verse is the Jewish people, the descendants of Jacob. When the root word for "Jews" is used instead of "House of Israel" along with other root words found in this verse, the year in which God promised to gather the House of Israel so that they might dwell in the land given to God's servant Jacob is revealed.

I will gather (H6908) the Jews, (H3064) and they will dwell (H3427) in (H5921) their own land (H127) that (H834) I have given (H5414) to my servant (H5650) Jacob. (H3290)

קבץ ישב על אדמה אשר נתן עבד יעקב
$$182 + 76 + 500 + 501 + 50 + 100 + 312 + 35 + 192 = 1948$$

The prophecy that is found in various chapters of Ezekiel concerning the Jewish people returning to the land that God gave to their fathers, are said to be gathered "from the people among whom they are scattered," or "out of all the countries where they are scattered." In the following three texts for which the gematria value is determined, the second option is used. In the first sentence, the Hebrew preposition for "in" (H5921) is used, and in the second sentence the word is not used. Both ways are found in the OT.

In the day (H3117) when (H3588) the Lord (H136) GOD (H3069) will gather (H6908) the House (H1004) of Israel (H3478) out of (H4480) the countries (H776) where (H834) they have been scattered, (H6327) then shall they dwell (H3427) in (H5921) the land (H127) that (H834) was given (H5414) to their fathers. (H1)

יוֹם כִּי אדני יהוה קבץ בִּית ישׁראל מן ארץ אשר פּוּץ ישׁב על אדמה אשׁר נתן אב 3+500+501+50+100+312+176+501+291+90+541+412+192+26+65+30+56=3846

According to Ezekiel, (H3168) when (H3588) the Lord (H136) GOD (H3069) will gather (H6908) the House (H1004) of Israel (H3478) out of (H4480) the countries (H776) where (H834) they have been scattered, (H6327) then shall they dwell (H3427) in the land (H127) that (H834) was given (H5414) to their fathers. (H1)

יחזקאל פּי אדני ישב אדמה אשר נתן ארץ מן ארץ ישראל נתן קבץ פּית יהוה קבץ ישב אדמה אשר נתן אב 3+500+501+50+312+176+501+291+90+541+412+192+26+65+30+156=

ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) FORTY (G5062) EIGHT (G3638) = χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν τεσσαράκοντα ὀκτώ = 851 + 111 + 446 + 1248 + 1190 = 3846

According to the prophecy (H5016) of Ezekiel, (H3168) Thus (H3541) saith (H559) the Lord (H136) GOD; (H3069) When I shall have gathered (H6908) you out of (H4480) the countries (H776) where (H834) (H8033) you are scattered, (H6327) and shall be sanctified (H6942) in you in the sight (H5869) of the heathen, (H1471) then shall you dwell (H3427) in the land (H127) of Israel (H3478) that (H834) I have given (H5414) to my servant (H5650) Jacob. (H3290)

נבוּאה יחזקאל נבא אמר כה אמר אדני יהוה קבץ מן ארץ אשר שם פּוּץ קדשׁ עִין גוּי ישׁב אדמה אשׁר נתן עבד יעקב גוי ישׁב אדמה אשׁר נתן עבד יעקב

182 + 76 + 500 + 501 + 541 + 50 + 312 + 19 + 130 + 404 + 176 + 340 + 501 + 291 + 90 + 192 + 26 + 65 + 241 + 25 + 156 + 64 = 4882

THE YEAR (G1763) ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) FORTY (G5062) EIGHT (G3638) = ἐνιαυτός χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν τεσσαράκοντα ὀκτώ = 1036 + 851 + 111 + 446 + 1248 + 1190 = 4882

There is yet another verse in Ezekiel which further confirms that the time for the Jewish people to return to the Promised Land in 1948 was ordained by God from the beginning: And say unto them, Thus saith the Lord God; Behold, I will take the children of Israel from among the heathen, whither they be gone, and will gather them on every side and bring them into their own land. Ezekiel 37: 21. Once again, using root words as found in this verse, the year that it was ordained by God for the children of Israel to return to their own land is revealed.

Behold, (H2009) I will take (H3947) the children (H1121) of Israel (H3478) from among (H4480) (H996) the heathen, (H1471) whither (H834) (H8033) they be gone, (H1980) and bring (H935) them into (H413) their own land. (H127)

הנה לקח בן ישראל מן בִּין גּוִי אשר שׁם הלך בּוֹא אל אדמה
$$50 + 31 + 9 + 55 + 340 + 501 + 19 + 62 + 90 + 541 + 52 + 138 + 60 = 1948$$

The numerical word association of the following text in Hebrew root words certainly seems to confirm the fulfillment of Ezekiel's prophecy.

In the year (H8141) one thousand (H505) nine (H8672) hundred (H3967) forty (H705) eight (H8083) prophecy (H5016) was fulfilled, (H4390) when (H3588) the LORD (H3068) gathered (H6908) the Jews (H3064) out of (H4480) the countries (H776) where (H834) they had been scattered, (H6327) and brought (H935) them into (H413) their own land (H127) that (H834) was given (H5414) to their fathers (H1) to dwell. (H3427)

שנה אלף תשע מאה ארבּעִים שמנה נבוּאה מלא כִּי יהוה קבץ יהוּדִי מן ארץ אשר שנה אלף תשע מאה ארבּעִים שמנה נבוּאה פוּץ בּוֹא אל אדמה אשר נתן אב ישב

$$312 + 3 + 500 + 501 + 50 + 31 + 9 + 176 + 501 + 291 + 90 + 35 + 192 + 26 + 30 + 71 + 64 + 395 + 323 + 46 + 770 + 111 + 355 = 4882$$

The prophet Jeremiah prophesied that God would bring the Jewish people into a land flowing with milk and honey: *That I may perform the oath which I have sworn unto your fathers, to give them a land flowing with milk and honey, as it is this day. Then answered I, and said, So be it Lord.* Jeremiah 11:5. Gematria confirms that the prophesy was fulfilled in 1948.

The LORD (H3068) God (H430) said, (H559) I have sworn (H7650) unto your fathers, (H1) to give (H5414) them a land (H776) flowing (H2100) with milk (H2461) and honey (H1706) on this (H2088) day. (H3117)

יהוה אלהים אמר שבע אב נתן ארץ זוּב חלב דבשׁ זהָ יוֹם יהוה אלהִים אמר שבע אב נתן ארץ זוּב חלב דבשׁ
$$56+12+306+40+15+291+500+3+372+241+86+26=$$

In the Book of Acts we have the following passage of Scripture: *Until the day in which he was taken up, after that he through the Holy Ghost had given commandments unto the apostles whom he had chosen: to whom also he showed himself alive after his passion by many infallible proofs, being seen of them forty days, and speaking of the things pertaining to the Kingdom of God.*

When they therefore were come together, they asked him, saying, Lord, wilt thou at this time restore the kingdom of Israel? And he said unto them, It is not for you to know the times or the seasons, which the Father hath put in his own power. Acts 1:2-3, 6-7. Jesus was speaking of the coming everlasting Kingdom of God, but the disciples were more concerned about the restoration of Israel as a nation. Gematria reveals the hidden secret of the time God ordained for the nation of Israel to be restored.

It is not (H3808) for you to know (H3045) the times (H6256) or (H176) the seasons (H4150) which (H834) the Father (H1) has put (H7760) in his own power (H3581) to accomplish. (H3615)

לא ידע עת או מועד אשר אב שום כח כלה

$$55 + 28 + 346 + 3 + 501 + 120 + 7 + 470 + 84 + 31 = 1645$$

It is not (H3808) for you to know (H3045) the times (H6256) or (H176) the seasons (H4150) the Father (H1) shall restore (H7999) the nation (H1471) of Israel (H3478)

לא ידע עת או מועד אב שלם גוי ישראל

$$541 + 19 + 370 + 3 + 120 + 7 + 470 + 84 + 31 =$$
1645

ONE THOUSAND (H505) NINE (H8672) HUNDRED (H3967) AND FORTY (H705) EIGHT (H8083)

אלף תשע מאה ארבעים שמנה

$$395 + 323 + 46 + 770 + 111 = 1645$$

He said (H559) unto (H413) them, It is not (H3808) for you to know (H3045) the times (H6256) or (H176) the seasons (H4150) which (H834) God (H430) the Father (H1) has put (H7760) in his own power. (H3581)

אמר אל לא ידע עת או מועד אשר אלהים אב שום כח

$$28 + 346 + 3 + 86 + 501 + 120 + 7 + 470 + 84 + 31 + 241 = 1948$$

The Lord (H3068) said (H559) unto (H413) them, It is not (H3808) for you to know (H3045) the time (H6256) or (H176) the season (H4150) God (H430) the Father (H1) shall restore (H7725) Israel. (H3478)

יהוה אמר אל לא ידע עת וא מועד אלהים אב שוב ישראל

$$541 + 308 + 3 + 86 + 120 + 7 + 470 + 84 + 31 + 31 + 241 + 26 = 1948$$

The time (H6256) God (H430) has put (H7760) in his power (H3581) to restore (H7725) again (H3254) the nation (H1471) of Israel. (H3478)

עת אלהים שום כח שוב יסף גוי ישראל

$$541 + 19 + 150 + 308 + 28 + 346 + 86 + 470 = 1948$$

A different gematria value of the next sentence again reveals the truth that is hidden in the numerical value of words.

He said (H559) unto (H413) them, It is not (H3808) for you to know (H3045) the times (H6256) or (H176) the seasons (H4150) God (H430) will restore (H7999) the nation (H1471) of Israel. (H3478)

אמר אל לא ידע עת וא מועד אלהים שלם גוֹי ישראל

$$541 + 19 + 370 + 86 + 120 + 7 + 470 + 84 + 31 + 31 + 241 = 2000$$

THE YEAR (H8141) ONE THOUSAND (H505) NINE (H8672) HUNDRED (H3967) AND FORTY (H705) EIGHT (H8083)

שנה אלף תשע מאה ארבעים שמנה

$$395 + 323 + 46 + 770 + 111 + 355 = 2000$$

All Scripture regarding God's promise to gather his people and bring them into the land that he gave their fathers was fulfilled in 1948.

All (H3065) Scripture (H3791) shall be fulfilled, (H3615) and God (H430) will bring (H935) you into (H413) the land (H776) that (H834) he gave (H5414) to your fathers. (H1)

פל פתב פלה אלהים בוא אל ארץ אשר נתן אב

$$3 + 500 + 501 + 291 + 31 + 9 + 86 + 55 + 422 + 50 = 1948$$

There is another historical event of significance concerning the nation of Israel for which the gematria values of sentences using Hebrew root words also shows that it was ordained by God to occur at a specific time. In June, 1967 Israel and its neighboring Arab states were involved in what has become known as The Six Day War. Israel gained a rapid and decisive victory over its enemies in only six days. The year in which this historical event occurred is hidden in the numerical value of words, proving that the war and its outcome were known by God in advance. The gematria evidence in this regard must be viewed with some trepidation as the sentences that are written with Hebrew root words are not directly from Scripture, but merely state historical facts.

The year (H8141) their Arab (H694) neighbors (H7453) made (H6213) war (H4421) against (H5921) Israel. (H3478)

שנה ארב רע עשה מלחמה על ישראל

$$541 + 100 + 123 + 375 + 270 + 203 + 355 = 1967$$

The Arab neighbors of the Jews made war against them, but the Jews defeated their enemies in the Six Day War of 1967.

The year (H8141) the Jews (H3064) defeated (H6565) their neighbors, (H5236) the enemies (H341) of the Jews, (H3064) in the Six (H8337) Day (H3117) War. (H4421)

שנה יהוּדִי פּרר נכר אִיב יהוּדִי ששׁ יוֹם מלחמה

$$123 + 56 + 600 + 35 + 13 + 270 + 480 + 35 + 355 = 1967$$

The war (H4421) between (H996) the Arabs (H694) and the children (H1121) of Israel (H3478) lasted (H1961) only (H3173) six (H8337) days, (H3117) until (H5704) the army (H2428) of Israel (H3478) defeated (H6565) the Arab (H694) armies. (H2824)

מלחמה בין ארב בן ישראל היה יחיד שש יום עד חיל ישראל פרר ארב חיל

$$48 + 203 + 480 + 541 + 48 + 74 + 56 + 600 + 32 + 20 + 541 + 52 + 203 + 62 + 123 = 3083$$

THE SIX (H8337) DAY (H3117) WAR (H4421) IN THE YEAR (H8141) ONE THOUSAND (H505) NINE (H8672) HUNDRED (H3967) SIXTY (H8346) SEVEN (H7651)

שש יום מלחמה שנה אלף תשע מאה ששים שבע

$$372 + 650 + 46 + 770 + 111 + 355 + 123 + 56 + 600 =$$
3083

Before the war, East Jerusalem, which includes the Temple Mount, the holiest site, was under control of Jordan. The most significant outcome of the Six Day War was that Israel took control over the entire city of Jerusalem, the Holy City. Gematria proves that this was also ordained by God.

The Jews (H3064) took back (H7725) all (H3065) of Jerusalem (H3389) after (H310) the Six (H8337) Day (H3117) War. (H4421)

יהדי שוּב כּל ירוּשׁלם אחר ששׁ יוֹם מלחמה

$$123 + 56 + 600 + 209 + 586 + 50 + 308 + 35 = 1967$$

Israel (H3478) took possession of (H3423) all (H3605) the city (H5892) of Jerusalem. (H3389)

ישראל ירש כל עיר ירושלם

$$586 + 280 + 50 + 510 + 541 = 1967$$

Gematria reveals the year of the Six Day War, because it was the time appointed by God for the events of that year to occur.

At the appointed time (H4150) an army (H2428) of the chosen (H977) people (H5971) took possession of (H3423) the city (H5892) of Jerusalem (H3389) from (H4480) their enemies. (H341)

מועד חִיל בחר עם ירשׁ עִיר ירושׁלם מן אִיב

$$13 + 90 + 586 + 280 + 510 + 110 + 210 + 48 + 120 = 1967$$

The chosen (H977) people (H5971) of God (H430) took (H3947) all (H3605) of the holy (H6944) city (H5892) of Jerusalem (H3389) from (H4480) their enemies. (H341)

בחר עם אלהִים לקח כּל קדשׁ עִיר ירוּשׁלם מן אִיב

$$13 + 90 + 586 + 280 + 404 + 50 + 138 + 86 + 110 + 210 = 1967$$

As a result of the gematria value for the following two sentences it would seem that we are in the last days.

In the last (H319) days (H3117) God's (H430) people (H5971) shall take possession of (H3423) of Jerusalem. (H3389)

אחרית יום אלהים עם ירש ירושלם

$$586 + 510 + 110 + 86 + 56 + 619 = 1967$$

Before (H2962) the end (H7093) shall come (H935) the chosen (H977) people (H5971) shall take possession of (H3423) Jerusalem (H3389) from (H4480) their enemies. (H341)

טרם קץ בּוֹא בּחר עם ירשׁ ירוּשׁלם מן אִיב

$$13 + 90 + 586 + 510 + 110 + 210 + 9 + 190 + 249 = 1967$$

The method of gematria which I have used clearly indicates the predestined time of the Six Day War between Israel and their Arab neighbors was the year 1967.

In the year (H8141) one thousand (H505) nine (H8672) hundred (H3967) sixty (H8346) seven, (H7651) the armies (H6635) of all (H3605) the Arab (H694) neighbors (H7453) of the Jews (H3064) made (H6213) war (H4421) against (H5921) the nation (H1471) of Israel. (H3478)

שנה אלף תשע מאה ששים שבע צבא כל ארב נכר יהוּדִי עשה מלחמה על גּוִי ישראל 541+19+100+123+375+35+270+203+50+93+372+650+46+770+111+355=4113

THE SIX (G1803) DAY (G2250) WAR (G4171) IN (G1722) THE YEAR (G1763) ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) SIXTY (G1835) SEVEN (G2033) = ἔξ ἡμέρα πόλεμος ἐν ἐνιαυτός χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν ἐξήκοντα ἐπτά = 65 + 154 + 495 + 55 + 1036 + 851 + 111 + 446 + 514 + 386 = 4113

It is reasonable to be skeptical of the claim that gematria proves that the nation of Israel was ordained by God to be restored in 1948, and that Jerusalem was ordained to return to Jewish control as a result of Israel's victory in the Six Day War of 1967. Skepticism is to be expected when the unusual method of gematria using only root word spellings for each word is employed and the sentences, although consistent with what is written in the Bible are, for the most part, not from Scripture. The gematria associations, however, seem too numerous to be the result of coincidence.

I came across a most remarkable gematria confirmation in regard to the Six Day War related to the following report describing the Jewish troops entering the Temple Mount in Jerusalem:

Jewish Ideas Daily continues its weeklong commemoration of the Six-Day War, with a summary of June 7, 1967, the day on which Israeli forces liberated the Old City of Jerusalem from the illegal 19-year-old Jordanian occupation. It was, in the words of an official Israeli remembrance, "a fundamental moment in the history of religious tolerance, opening the city of Jerusalem to worshippers of all faiths, permitting Jews to return to the Western Wall and other holy sites, and allowing Israeli Muslims and Christians to visit those sacred places in eastern Jerusalem from which they too had been barred since 1948."

In *Moshe Dayan*, the latest addition to Yale University's series on *Jewish Lives* (which will be published on June 18), Mordechai Bar-On offers this description of what happened: That morning, Dayan gave instructions for troops to enter Jerusalem's walled Old City. ... [Col. Motta] Gur broke through the Lions' Gate, one of eight gates into the Old City, crossed the compound of mosques on the Temple Mount, and from there descended to the Western Wall. Many of the paratroopers wept. ... In the afternoon, Dayan strode through the Old City with General Rabin and General Narkiss. ... Dayan inserted a note in a crack of the Western Wall, with three Hebrew words: *Lu yehi shalom* – "May there be peace."

He also briefly addressed the soldiers and gathered journalists who printed his words in every Israeli newspaper the next day: "We have returned to our holiest site so as never to part from it again. To our Arab neighbors, Israel stretches out its hand in peace, and the members of other religions may rest assured that all their religious rights and freedoms will be fully protected. We did not come to conquer the holy sites of others or to restrict their religious rights, but to ensure the integrity of the city and to live there with others in brotherhood."

In the following sentence that is written using root words in Hebrew, the gematria value of Moshe Dayan's words after entering the Old City of Jerusalem on the third day of the Six Day War in 1967, confirms that the time was ordained by God. (The Hebrew root word for "place" is used for "site," and the root word for "depart" is used for "part.")

We have returned (H7725) to (H413) our holiest (H6944) site (H4725) so (H3651) as (H834) never (H3808) to part (H5493) from (H4480) it again. (H5750)

עוד אל סוּר מן מקום פּן אשׁר לא סוּר מן עוד
$$80 + 90 + 266 + 31 + 501 + 70 + 186 + 404 + 31 + 308 = 1967$$

The text above used the Hebrew root word H6944 which means "holy" for "holiest," in the words that were spoken by Moshe Dayan, the general, and leader of the Israeli army. In the OT, "most holy" (holiest) is written with the word for holy used twice. This way of writing "holiest" with Hebrew root words is used in the following numerical word association.

The leader (H5057) of the army (H6635) of Israel (H3478) said (H559) unto (H413) them: We have returned (H7725) to (H413) our holiest (H6944) (H6944) site (H4725) so (H3651) as (H834) never (H3808) to part (H5493) from (H4480) it again. (H5750)

עוד עוד אשר לא סוּר מן עוד פֿן אשר לא סוּר מן עוד אל קדש קדש מקום פֿן אשר לא סוּר מן עוד אטר נגִיד צבא ישראל אמר אל שוּב אל קדש פֿרש פֿרש מקום פֿן אשר לא סוּר מן עוד אטר אַ
$$80+90+266+31+501+70+186+404+404+31+308+31+241+541+93+67=3344$$

THE YEAR (G1763) ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) SIXTY (G1835) SEVEN (G2033) = ἐνιαυτός χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν ἐξήκοντα ἐπτά = 1036 + 851 + 111 + 446 + 514 + 386 = 3344

The Israeli troops entered the holiest site, the Temple Mount, on the third day of the Six Day War. The return of the Jews to the Temple Mount on the third day of the war is confirmed by the following gematria value.

The army (H6635) of Israel (H3478) returned (H7725) to (H413) the Temple (H1964) Mount (H2022) on the third (H7992) day. (H3117)

On the third (H7992) day (H3117) of the Six (H8337) Day (H3117) War (H4421) the Jews (H3064) entered (H935) the Temple (H1964) Mount (H2022) again. (H3254)

ONE THOUSAND (H505) NINE (H8672) HUNDRED (H3967) SIXTY (H8346) SEVEN (H7651)

אלף תשע מאה ששים שבע

$$372 + 650 + 46 + 770 + 111 = 1949$$

Each of the next three numerical word associations have the same gematria value.

In that (H1931) day, (H3117) the children (H1121) of Israel (H3478) made (H6213) war (H4421) against (H5921) their enemies (H341) for six (H8337) days, (H3117) and took possession (H3423) of the Temple (H1964) Mount, (H2022) and all (H3605) of Jerusalem. (H3389)

הוא יום בן ישראל עשה מלחמה על אִיב שש יום ירש היכל הר אל ירושלם 586 + 50 + 205 + 65 + 510 + 56 + 600 + 13 + 100 + 123 + 375 + 541 + 52 + 56 + 12 = 3344

Their Arab (H694) neighbors (H7453) made (H6213) war (H4421) against (H5921) Israel, (H3478) and they defeated (H6565) their Arab (H694) neighbors (H7453) in the Six (H8337) Day (H3117) War. (H4421)

ארב רע עשה מלחמה על ישראל פרר ארב עשה שש יום מלחמה ארב רע עשה מלחמה מלחמה ארב 123 + 56 + 600 + 270 + 203 + 480 + 541 + 100 + 123 + 375 + 270 + 203 = 3344

The nation of Jordan was in control of the area of the Temple Mount, the holiest site for the Jews, until the Israeli army took possession on the third day of the Six Day War.

The children (H1121) of Israel (H3478) took possession (H3423) of the Temple (H1964) Mount (H2022) from (H4480) the nation (H1471) of Jordan (H3383) on the third (H7992) day (H3117) of the Six (H8337) Day (H3117) War (H4421) against (H5921) their enemies. (H341)

בן אשראל ירש היכל הר מן גּוִי ירדן שׁלִישִׁי יוֹם שׁשׁ יוֹם מלחמה על אִיב 13 + 100 + 123 + 56 + 600 + 56 + 650 + 264 + 19 + 90 + 205 + 65 + 510 + 541 + 52 = 3344

THE YEAR (G1763) ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) SIXTY (G1835) SEVEN (G2033) = ἐνιαυτός χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν ἐξήκοντα ἐπτά = 1036 + 851 + 111 + 446 + 514 + 386 = 3344

Two final numerical word associations that are related to the Six Day War in the year 1967, in which Israel took possession of all the city of Jerusalem including the holiest site of the Temple Mount, have a different gematria value.

In the year (H8141) one thousand (H505) nine (H8672) hundred (H3967) sixty (H8346) seven, (H7651) the nation (H1471) of Israel (H3478) took possession (H3423) of all (H3605) of Jerusalem (H3389) from (H4480) their enemies. (H341)

שנה אלף תשע מאה ששים שבע גוי ישראל ירש פל ירושלם מן איב 13 + 90 + 586 + 50 + 510 + 541 + 19 + 372 + 650 + 46 + 770 + 111 + 355 = 4113

The army (H6635) of Israel (H3478) defeated (H6565) the armies (H6635) of their Arab (H694) neighbors (H7453) in the Six (H8337) Day (H3117) War, (H4421) and they took possession (H3423) of the holiest (H6944) (H6944) site (H4725) again. (H3254)

צבא ישראל פרר בא ארב רע שש יום מלחמה ירש קדש מקום יסף מקום שבא שרב ארב ארב ארב ארב 150 + 186 + 404 + 404 + 510 + 123 + 56 + 600 + 270 + 203 + 93 + 480 + 541 + 93 = 4113

THE SIX (G1803) DAY (G2250) WAR (G4171) IN (G1722) THE YEAR (G1763) ONE THOUSAND (G5505) NINE (G1767) HUNDRED (G1540) SIXTY (G1835) SEVEN (G2033) = ἔξ ἠμέρα πόλεμος ἐν ἐνιαυτός χλιάς ἐννέα ἐκατόν ἐξήκοντα ἐπτά = 65 + 154 + 495 + 55 + 1036 + 851 + 111 + 446 + 514 + 386 = 4113

Through gematria, the promise made in Scripture; that the Jews would be gathered and returned to the land which God had given to Abraham, with the covenant extended to Isaac and Jacob, is shown to have been fulfilled in 1948. The same gematria method also shows that the reclamation of all of Jerusalem, including the Temple Mount, the holiest site, was accomplished as a result of the Six Day War in 1967. The gematria evidence in this article demonstrates confirmation of the truth that is found in the Bible regarding God's plan for his chosen people, the children of Israel. The numerical word associations prove the significance of the years 1948 and 1967 in the history of Israel, with events of these years having occurred due to the providence of God.