

The Alpha and Omega:

I was inspired to look at the verses in Revelation in which John said that in his vision he heard the voice of Jesus say that he was the Alpha and Omega. In a short period of time I found a number of gematria confirmations of truth related to what John wrote. Subsequently, as I discovered the significance of the numerical value of “Alpha and Omega,” and looked at other verses, I found additional gematria associations which are shown in this article.

I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending, saith the Lord, which is, and which was, and which is to come, the Almighty. Revelation 1:8.

I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and heard behind me a great voice, as of a trumpet, saying, I am Alpha and Omega, the first and the last: and, What thou seest, write in a book, and send it unto the seven churches which are in Asia; unto Ephesus, and unto Smyrna, and unto Pergamos, and unto Thyatira, and unto Sardis, and unto Philadelphia, and unto Laodicea. Revelation 1:10-11.

I heard (H8085) a great (H1419) voice (H6963) behind (H4480) (H310) me.

שמע גדול קול מן אחר

209 + 90 + 136 + 43 + 410 = **888**

JESUS (G2424) = Ἰησοῦς = 888

I (H589) am the Alpha and Omega, the first, (H7223) and the last. (H314)

אני / A + Ω / ראשון אחרון

314 + 557 + 1 + 800 + 61 = **1688**

LORD (G2962) JESUS (G2424) = Κύριος Ἰησοῦς = 800 + 888 = 1688

The Son (H1121) of God (H430) said, (H559) I (H589) am the Alpha and Omega, the beginning (H7225) and the ending, (H7093) the first, (H7223) and the last. (H314)

בן אלהים אמר אני / A + Ω / ראשית קץ ראשון אחרון

269 + 557 + 190 + 911 + 1 + 800 + 61 + 241 + 86 + 52 = **3168**

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

I (H589) am the Alpha and Omega, the beginning (H7225) and the ending, (H7093) saith (H559) the LORD, (H3068) the Son (H1121) of God. (H430)

אני / A + Ω / ראשית קץ יהוה בן אלהים

86 + 52 + 26 + 241 + 190 + 911 + 1 + 800 + 61 = **2368**

JESUS (G2424) CHRIST (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 888 + 1480 = 2368

It is confirmed by gematria that John heard the voice of the Lord.

I (H589) was in the Spirit (H7307) and I heard (H8085) the voice (H6963) of the LORD (H3068) speak (H559) unto (H413) me.

אני רוח שמע קול יהוה אמר אל

31 + 241 + 26 + 136 + 410 + 214 + 61 = **1119**

JOHN (G2491) (root word spelling) = Ιωαννης = **1119**

I (H589) was in the Spirit (H7307) and I heard (H8085) the voice (H6963) of the LORD (H3068) say (H559) unto (H413) me, I (H589) am the beginning (H7225) and the ending, (H7093) and I (H589) am the first (H7223) and the last. (H314)

אני רוח שמע קול יהוה אמר אל אני ראשית קין אני ראשון אחרין

269 + 557 + 61 + 190 + 911 + 61 + 31 + 241 + 26 + 136 + 410 + 214 + 61 = **3168**

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

The next two gematria confirmations have equal numerical values.

I heard (H8085) behind (H4480) (H310) me a great (H1419) voice of Christ (the Messiah) (H4899) the LORD, (H3068) saying, (H559) I (H589) am the Alpha and Omega, the beginning, (H7225) and the ending, (H7093) the first (H7223) and the last. (H314)

שמע מן אחר גדול קול משיח יהוה אמר אני / A + Ω / אני ראשית קין ראשון אחרין

269 + 557 + 190 + 911 + 1 + 800 + 61 + 241 + 26 + 358 + 136 + 43 + 209 + 90 + 410 = **4302**

A different root word for “last” is used in the following sentence, as well as the word for “from” not being used with the word for “behind” as is often found in Scripture:

I heard (H8085) behind (H310) me a great (H1419) voice (H6963) of the Son (H1121) of God (H430) as (H834) a trumpet, (H7782) saying, (H559) I (H589) am the Alpha and Omega, the first (H7223) and the last. (H319)

שמע אחר גדול קול בן אלהים אשר שופר אמר אני / A + Ω / אחרית ראשון

619 + 557 + 1 + 800 + 61 + 241 + 586 + 501 + 86 + 52 + 136 + 43 + 209 + 410 = **4302**

Each of the two prior sentences has the same gematria value of 4302. Note the Greek words with an equal value:

THE BEGINNING (G746) **AND** (G2532) **THE ENDING,** (G5056) **THE FIRST** (G4413) **AND** (G2532) **THE LAST** (G2078)

Αρχη και τελος πρωτος και εσχατος = 709 + 31 + 605 + 1550 + 31 + 1376 = **4302**

John wrote the book of Revelation while exiled on the island of Patmos. Although the name of John is not used in the Old Testament, the name John in Hebrew versions of the New Testament is Yochanan and is written as יוחנן which has a gematria value of 124. In the following three sentences regarding what Jesus said to John this spelling is used.

John (no Strong's #) **heard (H8085) the voice (H6963) of Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) behind (H310) him saying, (H559) I (H589) am the Alpha and Omega.**

A and Ω / יוחנן שמע קול ישוע אחר אמר אני

1 + 800 + 61 + 241 + 209 + 386 + 136 + 410 + 124 = **2368**

JESUS (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 888 + 1480 = **2368**

In the next two sentences a different root word for “ending” is employed.

The LORD (H3068) **Jesus (Yeshua)** (H3442) **said** (H559) **to John**, (no Strong’s #) **I** (H589) **am the beginning** (H7225) **and the ending.** (H319)

יהוה ישוע אמר יוחנן אני ראשון אחרית

619 + 911 + 61 + 124 + 241 + 386 + 26 = **2368**

JESUS (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 888 + 1480 = **2368**

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) **said** (H559) **to John**, (no Strong’s #) **I** (H589) **am the beginning** (H7225) **and the ending,** (H319) **the first,** (H7223) **and the last.** (H314)

ישוע אמר יוחנן אני ראשון אחרית ראשון אחרין

269 + 557 + 619 + 911 + 61 + 124 + 241 + 386 + 26 = **3168**

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

The prophet Isaiah also wrote that the Lord is the first and the last:

Thus saith the LORD the King of Israel, and his redeemer the LORD of hosts; I am the first, and I am the last; and beside me there is no God. Isaiah 44:6.

Hearken unto me, O Jacob and Israel, my called; I am he; I am the first, I also am the last. Isaiah 48:12.

When words from the two verses in Isaiah are used in conjunction, it is confirmed that Jesus is one with the Lord God, and he is the first and the last. (The Hebrew word for “hearken” is the same as for “hear.” In the following sentence the Hebrew root word which is most often used for “also” is employed instead of the word that Isaiah used.)

Hear (H8085) **O Israel**, (H3478) **I** (H589) **am he**, (H1931) **I** (H589) **am the first**, (H7223) **and I** (H589) **am also** (H1571) **the last;** (H314) **beside** (H4480) (H1107) **there is no** (H369) **God.** (H430)

שמע ישראל אני הוא אני ראשון אני גם אחרין מן בלעדי אין אלהים

86 + 61 + 116 + 90 + 269 + 43 + 61 + 557 + 61 + 12 + 61 + 541 + 410 = **2368**

JESUS (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 888 + 1480 = **2368**

Now, even more remarkable, the exact Hebrew root words as used in Isaiah 44:6, with only the word for “also” which is used in Isaiah 48:12 being added, the same truth is confirmed.

Thus (H3541) **saith** (H559) **the LORD** (H3068) **the King** (H4428) **of Israel**, (H3478) **and his redeemer** (H1350) **the LORD** (H3068) **of hosts;** (H6635) **I** (H589) **am the first**, (H7223) **and I** (H589) **am also** (H637) **the last;** (H314) **beside** (H1107) **me there is no** (H369) **God.** (H430)

כה אמר יהוה מלך ישראל גאל יהוה צבא אני ראשון אני אף אחריו בלעדיו אין
אלהים

86 + 61 + 116 + 314 + 81 + 61 + 557 + 61 + 93 + 26 + 34 + 541 + 90 + 26 + 241 + 25 = **2368**

JESUS (G2424) **CHRIST** (G5547) = Ἰησοῦς Χριστός = 888 + 1480 = **2368**

From the Bible Wheel website (www.biblewheel.com/Wheel/wheel.php) regarding the Hebrew and Greek words that are used in the Bible for “the Creator”:

The only explicit references to any letters of the Greek alphabet in the surface text of Scripture are from the verses in which God declares **I am Alpha and Omega**. This gives rise to what is without question one of the greatest identities to emerge from the intrinsic alphanumeric structure of the Greek language. The value is:

Alpha + Omega = Α + Ω = 801

This value coincides with that of **Ο Κτιστας** (Ho Ktisas, The Creator) which Paul used in Romans 1. This word and its Hebrew equivalent Bara... The great miracle of God is that we have this mathematically exact identity:

The Creator = Ο Κτιστας = 801

In Hebrew, the primary trilateral root verb of interest is **ברא** (bara, create). This... is the root of the word translated as **created** in Isaiah 45.8. When this verse was translated into Greek in the Septuagint, the verb κτιζω (ktidzo, create) was used, or rather, the absolute form of this verb, ο κτιστας (ho ktisas). This specific form of ktidzo, rarely used in the New Testament, is found in Romans 1.25 where it is translated as **the Creator**. The relation between ktidzo and create is clearly displayed in the King James Version, where all occurrences of the Greek ktidzo are translated into the English create or one of its cognates (created, createth, creates, etc.), and every occurrence of English words based on create correspond to ktidzo in the Greek. In other words, there is a one-to-one correspondence between the Greek **ktidzo** and English **create** in the KJV. Likewise, there is a one-to-one correspondence between **create** and **bara** in the King James Version of Isaiah, though in a few verses of other Old Testament books, bara is translated in other ways. The relation between the two roots **ktidzo** and **bara** was noted by Thayer in his Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament, where he reported that ktidzo is used chiefly for the bara in the Septuagint. The point of all this discussion is simply this: bara and ktidzo are the primary Hebrew and Greek words used in Scripture to speak of creation.

This excerpt from the Bible Wheel website indicates that another meaning for “alpha and omega” is, therefore, “the Creator.” When this truth, which is confirmed by equal numerical values, is used in a sentence that is written with Hebrew root words that are consistent with what John wrote in Revelation, it is confirmed that Jesus is the Alpha and Omega, the Creator.

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) said, (H559) I (H589) am the Creator. (H1254)

ישוע אמר אני ברא

$$203 + 61 + 241 + 386 = 891$$

CREATE/CREATOR (G2936) = ΚΤΙΣΤΑΥΤΙ = **891**

A different root word than the one used in Isaiah 44:6 and 48:12 for “last” is used in the following in which “the Creator” is used in place of “Alpha and Omega.”

Jesus (Yeshua) (H3442) said, (H559) I (H589) am the Creator, (H1254) the beginning (H7225) and the ending, (H7093) the first, (H7223) and the last. (H319)

ישוע אמר אני ברא ראשית קץ ראשון אחרית

$$619 + 557 + 190 + 911 + 203 + 61 + 241 + 386 = 3168$$

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Gematria confirms that Jesus is the Creator, the Alpha and Omega.