

Creation

Let us examine scientific facts in the very first verse in the Bible. In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. In the very first verse of the Bible, we would find a remarkable piece of evidence of supernatural authorship, in the beginning (time), God created the heavens (space), and the earth (matter).

The Bible speaks of the creation of time, space, and matter in the very first verse. For thousands of years, scientists and philosophers had speculated about the basic components for the makeup of the universe. It wasn't until the twentieth century that physicist confirmed that the universe and its foundation consists of space, time, and matter.

In fact, space and time are so tightly linked, astrophysicists now speak of a space-time continuum, while scientific and philosophical speculations about the basic structure of the universe have varied widely.

The fact that the universe consists basically of space, time, and matter is a scientifically accepted fact since the twentieth century. It was clearly foreseen in the very first verse of the Bible, written 30 centuries ago. How could the writer of Genesis and the first verse of the Bible have known of this scientific truth that would not be confirmed until over two thousand years later?

But also in the very first verse of the Bible, we find yet another astounding piece of evidence of supernatural or divine authorship.

First consider this it is an undeniable fact that the number seven is a biblical number of completion or perfection or specifically divine authorship over five hundred times and the bible the number seven is used to show the touch of God or divinity upon something.

This begins with the seven first days of creation and the seventh being declared by God as holy when we look at the natural world around us we discover that there are amazing arrays of SEVENS.

- There are seven continents on the globe
- Modern geographical classifications schemes counts seven oceans in the world
- there are seven colors in a rainbow,
- there are seven notes on a musical scale
- there are seven stars and the big dipper and this heavenly sign has been used to point to the north star or the guiding star since the most ancient of times
- There are seven metals of antiquity upon which civilization was based
- the periodic table of elements consists of seven distinct levels

And on and on the sevens in the world around us go, each representing God's divine touch of completeness upon something.

Now with this in mind consider again the very first words of the bible the very first verse one sentence translated in English as “in the beginning God created the heavens in the earth”.

It contains exactly ten words **but** in the original Hebrew there are exactly seven words and these **seven words** possess seven distinctive features of the number seven

הָאָרֶץ וְאֵת הַשָּׁמַיִם אֵת אֱלֹהִים בָּרָא בְרֵאשִׁית
In the beginning created God the heaven and the earth.

Which contained within that sentence as far as anyone has been able to determine thus far only this one verse in all the Bible contains seven features of the number seven out of seven words

Consider the seven features

Featured one

the number of Hebrew words in this verse is exactly SEVEN words

1 **2** **3** **4** **5** **6** **7**
בראשית ברא אלהים את השמים ואת הארץ
In the beginning created God the heaven and the earth.

7 Words

Feature two

the total number of Hebrew letters in the seven words is exactly twenty eight or four times seven

$$4 \times 7 = 28$$

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Feature three

The three leading words in this seven words or of course God, the subject, and heavens, and Earth, the objects the number of letters and the Hebrew words that make up these three words is exactly fourteen or 2X7.



The number of letters in the remaining words of the verse is also fourteen or 2X7



Feature four

The expression of the two objects of the sentence the heavens and the earth in Hebrew is made up of fourteen letters 2X7



Feature five

the shortest word is in the middle the number of letters and this word and the word to its left is seven



the number of letters in the middle word and the word to its right is also seven



Featured six

there are three important nouns in this first verse God, heaven and earth. The numeric Gematria values of these three nouns are 86, 395, 296 respectively.

The Gematria is the three thousand year old Hebrew rabbinical practice of assigning numerical values to each of the Hebrew letters. When these three numerical values all added together the total value is 777 or, 111 X 7

913	203	86	401	395	407	296
בראשית	ברא	אלהים	את	השמים	ואת	הארץ
In the beginning	created	God	the	heaven	and	the earth.

$$86 + 395 + 296 = 777$$
$$111 \times 7$$

in god's matter of biblical expression this triple intensification of his perfect number seven is the strongest possible manner of speaking the touch of his divinity.

Featured seven

the numeric value of the only Hebrew Verb this verse created or BARA is 203 which is exactly 29 x 7

בראשית ברא אלהים את השמים ואת הארץ
In the beginning created God the heaven and the earth.

203

203 = 29 x 7