



**MATTHEW 28**  
**THE DEAD SEA SCROLLS**

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Ever since learning about the location of the *Dead Sea Scrolls*, and the Scrolls themselves, I have had a theory as to where Jesus's appearance took place, as well as where the Apostles were anointed in Matthew chapter 28. It is first important to understand what the scriptures say.

***"And go quickly, and tell his disciples that HE IS RISEN from the dead; and, behold, he goeth before you into GALILEE; there shall ye see him: lo, I have told you."***  
***MATTHEW 28:7***

***"Then the ELEVEN DISCIPLES went away into GALILEE, INTO A MOUNTAIN WHERE JESUS HAD APPOINTED THEM."***  
***MATTHEW 28:16***

Now let us examine the Dead Sea Scrolls.



## Dead Sea Scrolls

*"The Dead Sea Scrolls (also the **Qumran Caves Scrolls**) are ancient Jewish and Hebrew religious manuscripts first found in 1947 at the **QUMRAN CAVES**."*

*"Researchers have assembled a collection of 981 different manuscripts – discovered in 1946/47 and in 1956 – from **11 CAVES**. The **11 QUMRAN CAVES** lie in the immediate vicinity of the Hellenistic-period Jewish settlement at Khirbet Qumran in the eastern Judean Desert, in the West Bank."*





## John the Baptist and the Essenes

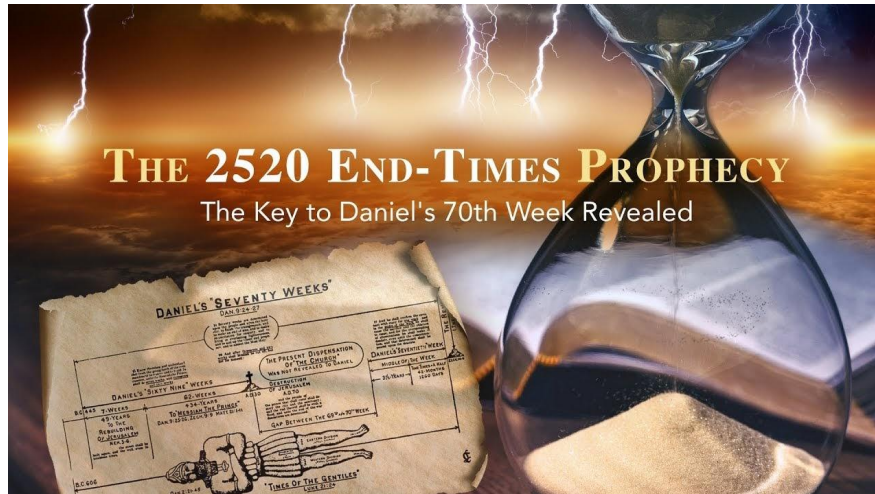
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In 2018, the Denver Museum of Nature and Science hosted a very popular exhibit on the Dead Sea Scrolls, featuring many ancient Israeli artifacts and some fragments of the scrolls themselves. I recently reviewed a new book on the Dead Sea Scrolls by Dr. John Bergsma of Franciscan University of Steubenville for the Denver Catholic, *Jesus and the Dead Sea Scrolls: Revealing the Jewish Roots of Christianity* (Image, 2020). The book contains many “aha” moments, showing how the Essenes provide another largely missing layer of Jewish background to Jesus’ ministry.



## QUMRAN CAVES





**REST**

INGS

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

COMPLETION

ALL CIRCLE

**4 NUMBERS**  
THE SCRIPTURES IDENTIFY AS  
SACRED NUMBERS

3 - THE NUMBER OF DIVINE PERFECTION  
7 - THE NUMBER OF DIVINE COMPLETION  
10 - THE NUMBER OF ORDINAL PERFECTION  
12 - THE NUMBER OF GOVERNMENTAL PERFECTION

$3 \times 7 \times 10 \times 12 = 2520$   
DIVINE CHRONOLOGICAL CLOCK

THE NUMBER OF THE  
DIVINE SUPER CYCLES

2520 (NUMBER OF DIVINE  
SUPERCYCLE)= 252 Numerology:

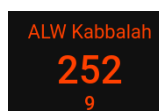


DANIEL 9:24 (SEPTEMBER 7)= 252  
(KFW KABBALAH)



REVELATION 6:8. LUKE 21:11  
COVID-19= 252 (ENGLISH ORDINAL)

SEPTEMBER 7, 2021= 9/7/2021  
252 =  $9 \times 7 \times 2 \times 2 \times 1$



**QUMRAN CAVE Matthew 28:16**



## QUMRAN CAVE Matthew 28:16

### Bible Study



#### Meaning of Numbers in the Bible

##### The Number 222

Both Luke 22:2 and 22:22 (a use of 2222) are linked to the murder conspiracy against Jesus. The second verse of Luke 22 is one of the only places where it is recorded people were actively seeking to kill him (see also Matthew 26:4, John 5:18, 7:1) [before his arrest](#). Verse 22 of the same chapter reveals Christ, at his last Passover, knew all along who was the person who would betray him to the religious authorities.

#### ◀ 222. Uriel ▶

##### Strong's Concordance

Uriel: "flame of God," two Israelites

Original Word: אֱוִרְיָאֵל

### FLAME OF GOD

##### Brown-Driver-Briggs

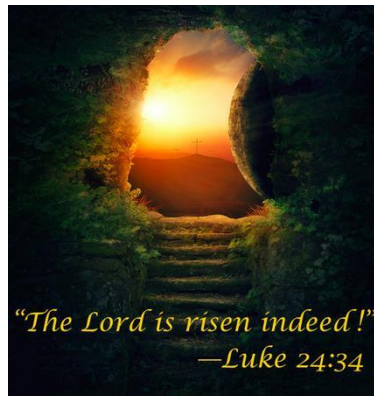
אֱוִרְיָאֵל **proper name, masculine**

(*flame of El or my light is El*, see אֵל

below אֱלֹהִים; compare Phoenician

אֱרִמְלִי in Assyrian *Urumilki* (Sen<sup>Taylor</sup>

Cylind.ii.50, compare COT<sup>2</sup>Kings 18:13))



Jewish

3452

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**QUMRAN CAVE Matthew 28:16, Matthew 28:7**

◀ 3452. yeshimon ▶

#### Strong's Concordance

yeshimon: waste, wilderness

Original Word: יְשִׁמֹן

Part of Speech: Noun Masculine

Transliteration: yeshimon

Phonetic Spelling: (yesh-ee-mone')

Definition: waste, wilderness

### **WILDERNESS**

*NASB Translation*

desert (4), desert region (1), Jeshimon (4), wasteland (2), wilderness (2).

#### Isaiah 43:20

HEB: מֵיִם וְנָהָרוֹת בְּיִשְׁמֹן לְהִשְׁקוֹת עַמִּי

NAS: And rivers *in the desert*, To give drink

KJV: [and] rivers *in the desert*, to give drink

INT: waters and rivers *the desert* to give people

*13 Occurrences*

**Strong's Hebrew 3452**

**13 Occurrences**

 BibleGateway

## **Matthew 4:1-11 New International Version**

**Jesus Is Tested in the  
Wilderness(A)**



### **CONCLUSION**

After understanding that Thomas was the only Apostle that was not present (John 20:24), Matthew 28:16 states that there were 11 Apostles present, Qumran was an Essene location, John the Baptist was an Essene, the Scrolls were found in 11 of the 12 Qumran caves in 1946-1947-1956...etc., I believe that these Qumran caves appear to be the exact location Jesus sent everyone in Matthew chapter 28. Although this examination can continue, I feel that it is safe to logically assume that these are very well the caves the Apostles were anointed. Thank you and God bless you.

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