
Why Are You Crying Out to Me?

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The Book of Exodus in Hebrew is *Shmot*, Names, and that's really all we need to know. In **Shmot 14:15** G-d replies, "Why are you crying out to me? *Mah Titzak Elai (MH TZAK ELY)?*" That's what G-d replied to Moses and the Israelites when they stood at edge of the Endless Sea (*Yam Sof*) with the **600** Egyptian chariots at their backs. Not a very compassionate response, as would appear on the surface. Yet somehow Moses knew exactly what he was being told and what to do because moments later the sea split about and the Israelites were saved. So let's see what G-d really said.

Mah Titzak Elai (MH TZAK ELY)?

To begin with the **4** letter word *TZAK* splits in two the Name *ELHYM*, *Elohim*, much as G-d split the Red Sea in two. All of a sudden, things are starting to make some sense, since *Elohim* is the Name of G-d that represents nature, or the natural cause and effect world where our actions cause a chain reaction of events and where once G-d sets things in motion, He doesn't intervene, giving man the sense that he's in control to a certain extent. This is the G-d that Pharaoh recognized, not *YHVH* or *EHYH* that Moses knew.

And certainly, Moses knew that the *Mah* in *Mah Titzak Elai* referred to the Tetragrammaton *YHVH* at the level of *Mah*, *zeir anpin*, and that this is the level the Israelites needed to be thinking in to outwit them.

And reinforcing that are the initials of *Mah Titzak Elai (MH TZAK ELY)* which spell *Emet (EMT)*, **truth**, which is known to represent Torah, *Tiferet (Zeir Anpin)*, and the **42** Letter Name, which begins with *E (alef)*, ends in *T (tav)* and has 40 letters in between.

We know from the *Zohar* that Moses was given **173** keys to Heaven, and Heaven is *Zeir Anpin* and that the *Shem Mem-Bet (42-Letter Name matrix)* is both *Zeir Anpin* and can control it, and that the small *gematria* value of the **42** Letters is **173**, so we know Moses knew all about the Name engraved on his staff and how to use all the letter combinations on it. So let's look at that Name for a moment and see what Moses saw in his hands:

ZTY GBE

NTtSh ARK

ShCY DGN

GTZ RTtB

ANTt BKCh

KTzP LGY

TYZ VKSh

The very last column of the **42**-letter matrix has all **4** letters of *Titzak* (**TZAK**) in it, and the full *sofit* value of this column is **2480**, the same as the sum of the **5** Names of the **5** Books of Moses, or **10 x 248**, the gematria value of Abraham and also of *Rachum* (compassion/mercy). And the **3** letters not utilized, *Shin* (**Sh**), *nun* (**N**), and *gimmel* (**G**), the **3** letters of *Goshen* (**GoshNah**, **GShNH**), where the Israelites lived while in Egypt, and when we add **5** (corresponding to the letter *hey*, **H**) for the **5** letters in *Elohim* we get both the full name (**Go shNah**, **GShNH**) which as we've pointed out in a previous blog adds up to **358**, *Moshiach*, and to the 4 letters on the *Channukah dreidel*.

But what Moses also saw as he looked at the first 2 lines in the 42 letter Names was:

ZTY GBE

NTtSh ARK

He saw the word **TZAK** spelled out before him with an added *Resh* (**R**) in between. And he knew not only knew that *Resh* (**R**) has the numerical value of **200**, as in the simple progressive iteration of the Name *Elohim* (**E**, **EL**, **ELH**, **ELHY**, **ELHYM**), but there were **9** letters in G-d question *Mah Titzak Alai?* And there are **9** letters through **EBG YTZ KRA**, with the remaining **5** letters adding up to **216** as in the **216** letters of the **72** Names (triplets) that were also engraved on Moses' staff and that according to the *Zohar* he called upon to help split the endless sea.

Before we explore what else Moses saw in G-d's words, we should note that we can be sure Moses made these self-same connections because according to the Arizal, the 4th plague, the horde (*Arov*) corresponding to the *sefira* of *Netzach* (Victory) has the numerical value of **272** and is similarly broken down to the same iteration of *Elohim* (**200**) and to **72**, in order to overcome the evil at that level.

And that it is no coincidence that the **72** Names (triplets) are derived from combining the three **72** letter consecutive verses found 4 verses after G-d's reply to Moses in Exodus **14:19-21** or that **14+14+14 = 42** either. Or that these are the very **3** verses that describe the actual splitting.

Nevertheless, Moses, who insisted Joseph's bones be at his side would have also known that through the end of the Book of Genesis the Name *Elohim* was mentioned **156** times, corresponding to the numerical value of Joseph, leaving **72** more times through the end of the Torah, including **42** times between Genesis and Deuteronomy, the Book he scribed himself, for a total of **228** times, corresponding to the numerical value of *Etz Chaim*, the Tree-of-Life, and of *baruch*, blessed.

So there we have 3 of the 4 elements Moses used to split the sea all neatly laid out for him by G-d, just as it is today for us: Joseph bones (or righteousness), the **72** Names and the **42**-Letter Name. And the **4**th element is also hidden within this *Elohim* schematic.

Since the **42** *Elohim*s are contained within the **72** *Elohim*s after Genesis and Joseph, we are not only left with **30** in Deuteronomy (Mose's portion so to speak), but we're given a hint to look

within the **72** Names for the *Mem-Bet* (**42**-Letter Name).

And sure enough **5** (corresponding to the **5** letters of *Elohim*) of the **72** Names contain the letters *Mem-Bet* (**MB**): the **14**th, **MBH**; the **55**th, **MBH**; the **61**st, **VMB**; the **65**th, **DMB**; and the **70**th, **YBM**. And this tells us a lot.

The value of the **5** names together is **240**, that of *Amelak* (the endless scourge of the Jews) and the numerical value of the word doubt, which is exactly what the Israelites needed to overcome to reality the state of the tree-of-life reality necessary to split the sea. **The 4th element was certainty. Not only did they, and do we, need the tools and the knowledge how to use them, but the certainty that they will work for us, that the Red Seas and obstacles in our lives are just illusions waiting for us to see beyond.**

Moreover, the **5** letters in the **5** Names **MBH**, **MBH**, **VMB**, **DMB**; and **YBM** that were included with the **MB**'s, spelled *YHVDH* (*Yehuda*) of numerical value **30**, as in the **30** times *Elohim* is mentioned in the **5**th Book, the Book associated with the *sefira* (dimension) of *malchut* (kingdom) and manifestation, and the **42** times the simple name *YHVDH* (*Yehuda*), also associated with *Malchut* and manifestation, appears in the Torah.

So when G-d answered him "Don't cry out to me" He was telling Moses that you have all the tools in your hands to do it yourself and Moses knew what he needed to do to manifest the tree-of-life reality and split the endless sea when he followed G-d Subsequent instruction to stretch out his staff over the sea.

And if we could see all that Moses saw, we'd also see that he knew he could use the first **9** letters of the **42**-letter (*Shem Mem-Bet*, *Ana B'koach*) in a novel way (as illustrated and explained in depth in *The Genesis Prayer*) to create that split by dividing the number **9** by the small *gematria* version of those **9** letters = $9/1.123049027 = 73.141595779 = 70 + \text{PI}$ (the mathematical constant that defines the physical structure of the 3 dimensions, by bending straight lines into circles), with the number **70** corresponding to the **70** branches of the tree-of-life.

And if you think this is preposterous, you really need to read *There's Nothing Random about the Universe*; but nevertheless, note that the **5** location of those **5 Mem-Bet** Names within the **72** Names (**14**, **55**, **61**, **65** and **70**) add up to **265**, which, as described in that book and in *The Divine Calendar*, is the 3rd triplet in Pi: 314159**265**358; the 4th triplet being **358**, *Mashiach*; the 1st being **314**, *Shadai*, the 2nd being the small *gematria* value of the **42**-letters of the upper **42**-Letter Name. Moreover, the sum of the two middle triplets is **159+265=424**, the numerical value of *Mashiach Ben David*.

And as you ponder the endless sea (*Ym Sof*) that begins with 3.**1415**..keep in mind the **3** verses of **72** letters and that G-d's encrypted reply to Moses and the Israelites was found in *Shmot* **14:15**.

And the **5** Names within the **72** tie into Joseph's bones as well.

If we multiply the numerical values of each of the **5 Mem-Bet** Names within the **72** Names by their ordinal location within the **72** Names and take the square root of their sum, we get **113.1415... = 110 + Pi**, in other words a reference to the **110** years of Joseph's Life and the mathematical constant Pi again, and actually to G-d's powerful **3** words at *Shmot* **14:15**.

Num Value	Ordinal Location	Val X Ord Loc	
47	14	658	
47	55	2585	
48	61	2928	
46	65	2990	
52	70	3640	
240	265	12801	
square root:			

113.1415043

Moreover, the sum of those **5** names with their ordinal place within the **72** Names was **240+265 = 505**, the numerical value of Sarah, the Matriarch, which Moses knew and which we've previously have shown in other blogs to be connected to *H'Moshiach* (the Messiah).

And Moses saw himself. The numerical value of those **5** Names is 240 and their ordinal value of the 15 letters in the **5** Names is 105, so that $240 + 105 = 345$, the numerical value of the Name Moses (*Moshe*, **MShH**), the same as the **5**th of the **72** names, **MHSh**.

The **5** names are the **5** pronged crown of the **72**, containing the **5** Mem-Bets and within Yehuda (**YHDVH**), the Tetragrammaton (**YHVH**). And from Yehuda descended King David (*David H'Melech*) and thus *Mashiach Ben David*, whose arrival we hope to bring about through the proper understanding of these Names and the splitting of our own Red Seas.

In Shmot **15:6** during the "Song of the Sea" and alluding to Joseph of numerical value **156**, it says "Your right, Hashem, is glorious in power; Your right hand, Hashem, has dashed the enemy in pieces." The Zohar explains that the hand refers to the **5** fingers/*sefirot* (*Chesed, Gevurah, Tiferet, Netzach and Hod*) and Joseph corresponds to *Yesod*, completing the **6** sefirot/dimensions of *Zeir Anpin*, hinted at in the phrase *Ma Titzak Elai* (Why are you crying out to me?)

But, hey, that's just what Moses saw, why should we want to see the same thing?

Because when we find ourselves crying out to Heaven and to G-d, and he answers us "Why are you crying out to me?" we'd better be ready to understand all the wisdom and love that he's packed into that answer for us. Otherwise, we'll be stuck between the Egyptians and the sea. G-d wasn't just talking to Moses, or his generation. He was talking to us. It's time we carefully learn about the tools and build up our certainty. We're going to need them.

If you examine the **72** Names array of 8 columns and 9 rows carefully you'll see that there are only two Names that contain side by side triple crowns (*tagins*), one is at column **5**, row **7**, and

the other at column **7**, row **8**: **577**, yet another on hundreds of connections to the year **5778** that the *tzaddikim* prophesied for the arrival of *Mashiach*, **66.6** jubilee (Biblical **50**-year interval) years after the splitting of the Red Sea in **2448**.

Today, we are in the year 2009 CE, 5769 HC, with **9** years to go you do the math, especially since the numerical sum of those **4** letters in *Titzak* (TZAK)

plus **5** for the **5** other letters that spelled *Elohim* and 1 for the *kolel* = **666**.

Also, for what it's worth the sum of the *gematria atbash* values for the 9 letters is **577** as in **5778**.