

THE FIRST AND GREATEST COMMANDMENT

by

Jesus the Christ: “THE DAILY SHAMA”

SINGING IN HEBREW: “SHAMA ISRAEL, YAHWEH ELOHANU YAHWEH ECHAD.”

In Mark 12:29 Jesus quotes the First Century Hebrew Prayer called the “SHAMA”, of Deuteronomy 6:4.

And Jesus said: *“The First of all the commandments is, HEAR O ISRAEL, THE LORD (YAHWEH) OUR GOD IS ONE YAHWEH. And thou shalt love YAHWEH thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength: this is the first commandment.”*

The full prayer from Deuteronomy 6:4 (in KJV):

*“Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God is one LORD:
And thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might.
And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up. And thou shalt bind them for a sign upon thine hand, and they shall be as frontlets between thine eyes.
And thou shalt write them upon the posts of thy house, and on thy gates.”*