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**Sleuth says new evidence links Jack Dorsey to Bitcoin like never before**

Seán Murray claims Bitcoin’s first transaction was made on Jack Dorsey’s mother’s birthday while Satoshi mined their last block on Dorsey’s father’s birthday.

American entrepreneur Jack Dorsey has again been theorized as secretly being Bitcoin’s pseudonymous creator, Satoshi Nakamoto — with a post on X sparking debate again over one of crypto’s biggest mysteries to date.

In a Feb. 15 post on X, Seán Murray, president and chief editor of the financial news website deBanked, compiled a large list of facts, numbers and dates related to Bitcoin that he says is also connected to Dorsey, who has been one of Bitcoin’s strongest advocates for over a decade.

Others, however, argue the evidence is not definitive.

**Jack Dorsey, Satoshi Nakamoto theory**

Jack Dorsey, who co-founded Twitter (now X) and digital payments firm Square, denied being Satoshi Nakamoto in an April 2020 interview with computer scientist and podcaster Lex Fridman, stating: “No, and if I were, would I tell you?”

However, Murray says he believes Dorsey is “probably” Satoshi Nakamoto, noting that Dorsey had shown cypherpunk tendencies since at least 1996 while studying computer science at college — such as wearing Hashcash inventor Adam Back’s RSA shirt while later writing a manifesto in 2001 about making a mark in the world without leaving a trace.

**Birthdays, timestamps and brute force addresses**

One of Murray’s most notable observations was that the Bitcoin

BTC $96,298 first transaction took place on Dorsey’s mother’s birthday, Jan. 11, while the last Bitcoin block mined by Satoshi supposedly happened on his father’s birthday, March 5, 2010.