The Kavvanah — L'Shem Yichud — Entering into worship

הָרֵינִי מְזַמֵּן אֶת פִּי לְהוֹדוֹת וּלְהַלֵּל וּלְשַׁבֵּחַ אֶת בּוֹרְאָי: לְשֵׁם יִחוּד קְדְשָׁא בְּרִיךְ הוּא וּשְׁכִינְתֵּה, בִּדְחִילוּ וּרְחִימוּ, לְיַחֵד שֵׁם י״ה בְּו״ה בְּיִחוּדָא שְׁלִים, בְּשֵׁם כְּל יִשִׂרָאֵל וִכָל ישִׁבֵי תֵּבֵל.

Here I am, opening my heart to thank, praise, and exalt my Creator; for the sake of the unification of the Holy One of Blessing and the *Shechinah*, in awe and compassion, to unite the name YH with VH in perfect Oneness, in the name of all Israel and all humankind.

### **Blessing the Shabbat Light**

Baruch Atah Adonai Eloheynu Melech ha-Olam, asher kid'shanu b'mitz'votav v'tzivanu l'had'lik neir shel Shabbat. בָּרוּך אַתָּה יָיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, אֲשֶׁר קִדְשֶׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתִיו, וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל שַׁבָּת.

Blessed One, You are the Emptiness that manifests as Form, the Source of all that is; You sanctify us through our performing holy deeds, and give us the practice of kindling Shabbat light.

#### **Yedid Nefesh**

Y'did nefesh av ha-rachaman M'shoch av'decha el r'tzonecha Yarutz av'decha k'mo ayal Yish'tachaveh mul hadarecha. (Piyut; R. Elazar ben Moshe Azikri)

יְדִיד נָפָּשׁ אַב הָרַחֲמֶן מְשׁוֹךְ עַבְדְךְ אֶל רְצוֹנֶךְ יִרוּץ עַבְדְךְ כְּמוֹ אַיָל יִשְׁתַחֲנֶה מוּל הֲדֶרֶךְ.

Beloved of the soul, Source of compassion, draw Your servant into Your arms. Your servant will run to You like a deer, to bow in awe before Your glorious Presence.

Rom'mu (Psalm 99)

רוֹמְמוּ יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ וְהִשְׁתַּחֲווּ לְהַר קְּדְשׁוֹ. כִּי קַדוֹשׁ יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ רוֹמִמוּ.

Rom'mu Adonai Eloheynu v'hish'tachavu l'har kod'sho.

Ki kadosh Adonai Eloheynu rom'mu.

Exalt the One manifesting as the many, and aspire to ascend God's holy mountain, for Holy is the Eternal One in all Its manifestations.

Havu L'Adonai (Psalm 29)

Havu l'Adonai b'nei elim, havu l'Adonai kavod va'oz.

Surrender to the Eternal, haughty ones, surrender to the One Who is Presence and Energy.

Havu l'Adonai k'vod sh'mo, hish'tachavu l'Adonai b'had'rat kodesh.

Surrender to the Eternal Whose name is Presence, offer all that you are to that Holiness.

Kol Adonai al ha-mayim, el ha-kavod hir'im, Adonai al mayim rabim.

The voice of the One is upon the waters, Its Presence thunders, the Eternal is the great waters.

Kol Adonai ba-koach, kol Adonai be-hadar. Kol Adonai shover arazim, va-y'shabeir Adonai et ar'zei ha-l'vanon.

The voice of the One is vitality, the voice of the One is majesty. The voice of the One breaks the bonds of oppression like the One breaks the cedars of Lebanon.

Va-yarkideim k'mo eigel, l'vanon v'sir'yon k'mo ven r'eimim.

They will prance about like calves, Lebanon and Siryon like frightened wild-oxen.

Kol Adonai chotzeiv lahavot eish. Kol Adonai yachil mid'bar, yachil Adonai midbar kadeish. The voice of the One carves colums of fire within us. The voice of the One stirs the wilderness, It shakes off the wilderness of our doubts.

Kol Adonai y'choleil ayalot va-yechesof y'arot, u-v'heichalo kulo omeir kavod. The voice of the One frightens the deer, It scorches bare the forests of our hiding, and within

The voice of the One frightens the deer, It scorches bare the forests of our hiding, and withir one's inner Temple one's entire being acknowledges: "Presence!"

Adonai la-mabul yashav, va-yeishev Adonai melech l'olam. Adonai oz l'amo yitein, Adonai y'vareich et amo va-shalom.

The inner Presence remained, unmoved, at the time of the flood. It will remain, unmoved, for eternity. The One manifests as energy through all beings, all beings are blessed with peace.

L'cha Dodi Lik'rat Kallah

לְכָה דוֹדִי לִקְרַאת כַּלְה, פָּנֵי שַׁבָּת נִקַבִּלְה

P'nei Shabbat N'kab'lah

Come my beloved to greet the bride - The Shabbat Presence let us welcome!

# שָׁמוֹר וְזָכוֹר בְּדִבּוּר אֶחָד, הִשְּׁמִיעֲנוּ אֵל הַמְּיֻחָד, יְיָ אֶחָד וּשְׁמוֹ אֶחָד, לְשֵׁם וּלְתִפָּאֵרֵת וַלְתִהַלַּה.

Shamor v'zachor b'dibur echad, hish'mi-anu El ha-m'yuchad, Adonai echad u-sh'mo echad, l'shem u-l'tiferet v'lit-hilah.

Keep and remember as one truth what the Eternal One allows us to hear: The Eternal is One and His name "One", for splendor and for praise.

# לְקְרֵאת שַׁבָּת לְכוּ וְגַלְכָה, כִּי הִיא מְקוֹר הַבְּרָכָה, מֵרֹאשׁ מִקֶּדֶם נְסוּכָה, סוֹף מַצֵשֵׂה בִּמַחֲשָׁבָה תִּחִלָּה.

Lik'rat shabbat l'chu v'neil'chah, ki hi m'kor ha-b'rachah, mei-rosh mi-kedem n'suchah, sof ma-aseh b'macha-shavah t'chilah.

To welcome Shabbat come let us go, for she is the source of blessing. From most ancient times she was honored, first as a thought then as an act.

# מִקְבִישׁ מֶלֶךְ עִיר מְלוּכָה, קוּמִי צְאִי מִתּוֹךְ הַהְפֵּכָה, רַב לָךְ שֶׁבֶת בְּעֵמֶק הַבְּּכָא, וְהוּא יַחֲמוֹל עָלַיִךְ חֶמְלָה.

Mik'dash melech ir m'lucha, kumi tz'i mi-toch ha-hafeicha, rav lach shevet b'eimek ha-bacha, v'hu yacha-mol ala-yich chem'lah.

O Sanctuary of the Holy One, City of the Eternal - Arise and depart from amidst the upheaval, too long have you dwelled in the valley of the weeping, the Eternal holds you with compassion.

# התְנַעֲרִי מֵעֶפָּר קְוּמִי, לִבְשִׁי בִּגְדֵי תִפְאַרְתֵּךְ עַמִּי, עַל יַד בֶּן יִשֵׁי בֵּית הַלַּחְמִי, קַרְבָה אֵל נַפִּשִׁי גִאַלָה.

Hit'na-ari mei-afar kumi, liv'shi big'dey tif'ar'teich ami, al yad ben Yishay beyt ha-lach'mi, kor'vah el naf'shi g'alah.

Shake off the dust - Arise! Don your splendid clothes my people, through the son of Yishay of Bethlehem. Draw near to my soul - redeem it!

# הָתְעוֹרְרִי הִתְעוֹרְרִי, כִּי בָא אוֹרֵךְ קְוּמִי אְוֹרִי, עְוּרִי עְוּרִי שִׁיר דַּבֵּרִי, כְּבוֹד יְיָ עָלַיִךְ נִגְלָה.

Hit'or'ri, hit'or'ri, ki va oreich kumi ori, uri uri shir dabeiri, k'vod Adonai ala-yich niglah. Wake up! Wake up! For your light has come, rise up and shine! Awaken, Awaken! Utter a song! The glory of the Eternal is revealed through you.

# לֹא תֵבְוֹשִׁי וְלֹא תִכָּלְמִי, מַה תִּשְׁתּוֹחֲחִי וּמַה תֶּהֶמִי, בָּךְ יֶחֲסוּ עֲנִיֵּי עַמִּי, וְנִבְנְתָה עיר על תּלֹה.

Lo teivo-shi v'lo tikal'mi, mah tish'to-chachi u-mah tehemi, bach yechesu aniyey ami, v'niv'neta ir al tillah.

Feel not ashamed, not humiliated, don't be downcast or disconsolate. In you My afflicted people find shelter and a city will be built on her hilltop.

V'ha-yu lim'shisa shosa-yich, v'rachaku kol m'val'a-yich, ya-sis ala-yich Eloha-yich, kim'sos chatan al kallah.

Release will come from the pressures in our lives, what devours us will be cast far off. Your God will rejoice over you like a groom rejoicing over his bride.

Yamin u-smol tif'rotzi, v'et Adonai ta-aritzi, al yad ish ben partzi, v'nis'mecha v'nagilah. Cast your vision right and left, and praise the Holy One of Being! Through awakening to the Messiah within come our happiness and our rejoicing.

Bo-ee v'shalom ateret ba'la, gam b'sim'chah u-v'tzoholah, toch emuney am s'gulah, Bo-ee challah, bo-ee challah.

Enter in Peace, O crown of the Eternal, in gladness and in cheer, among the faithful of the treasured nation. Enter, O bride! Enter, O bride!

Ma Gad'lu (Psalm 92; Music: Shefa Gold)

## מָה גָּדִלוּ מַעֲשֵׂיך יַהּ, מִאֹד עָמָקוּ מַחִשְׁבֹתֵיךּ.

Ma gad'lu ma-asecha Yah, m'od am'ku mach'shevotecha. How great are Your Works, Eternal One, how deep are Your Thoughts.

### THE SH'MA AND ITS BLESSINGS

Bar'chu: Call to Blessing (Translation by Rabbi Ted Falcon)

## בָּרִכוּ אֶת יהוה הַמִּבֹרָךְ.

Bar'chu et Adonai ha-M'vo-rach. Bless the Eternal, the One Who Is Blessing.

# בָּרוּךְ יהוה הַמְבֹרָךְ לְעוֹלָם וְעֶד.

Baruch Adonai ha-M'vo-rach l'olam va-ed. Blessed is the Eternal, the One Who Is Blessing Eternally.

#### **Maariv Aravim**

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֶלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלֶם, אֲשֶׁר בִּדְבָרוֹ מַעֲרִיב עֲרָבִים, בְּחְכְמָה פּוֹתֵחַ שְׁעָרִים, וּבִתְבוּנָה מְשַׁנֶּה עִתִּים, וּמַחֲלִיף אֶת הַוְּמַנִּים, וּמְסַבֵּר אֶת הַכּוֹכְבִים בְּמִשְׁמְרוֹתֵיהֶם בְּרָקִיעַ כִּרְצוֹנוֹ. בּוֹרֵא יוֹם וְלְיְלָה, גּוֹלֵל אוֹר מִפְּנֵי חְשֶׁךְ, וְחְשֶׁךְ מִפְּנֵי אוֹר. וּמַעֲבִיר יוֹם וּמֵבִיא לְיְלָה, וּמַבְדִּיל בֵּין יוֹם וּבִין לְיְלָה, יְיָ צְבָאוֹת שְׁמוֹ. אֵל חֵי וְקַיָּם, תַּמִיד יִמְלוֹךְ עַלֵינוּ לְעוֹלַם וַעֵּד. בָּרוּךְ אַתַּה יִי, הַמַּעֲרִיב עֲרָבִים.

Blessed One, You are the Emptiness that manifests as Form, the Source of all that is. You bring on evenings by Your word, with wisdom you open gates, with understanding you modify eras, change the seasons and set up the stars in their heavenly constellations. You create day and night, reminding us of the light within the darkness and the darkness within the light. You change the day into the night, separating them. Master of Multitudes is Your Name. You are the source of all Life, Existence itself, the Eternal Life-Force of our being. Blessed are you Eternal One who brings on evenings.

### **Ahavat Olam: An Everlasting Love**

אַהֲבַת עוֹלָם בֵּית יִשְּׂרָאֵל עַמְּךְ אָהֶבְתָּ, תּוֹרָה וּמִצְוֹת, חֻקִּים וּמִשְׁפָּטִים, אוֹתֵנוּ לִמֵּדְתָּ עַל כֵּן יִיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ, בְּשָׁכְבֵנוּ וּבְקוּמֵנוּ נְשִׂיחַ בְּחֻקֵּיךְ, וְנִשְׂמַח בְּדִבְרֵי תוֹרָתֶךְ וּבְמִצְוֹתֶיךְ לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד. כִּי הֵם חַיֵּינוּ וְאְׂרֶךְ יָמֵינוּ, וּבָהֶם נֶהְגָּה יוֹמָם וָלְיְלָה, וִאַהֲכָתִךְ אַל תָּסִיר מִמֶּנוּ לְעוֹלָמִים. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יִיָ, אוֹהֵב עַמּוֹ יִשְׂרָאֵל:

Ahavat olam beyt Yisrael am'cha ahavta. Torah u-mitz'vot, chukim u-mish'patim o-tanu li-mad'ta. Al kein Adonai eloheynu b'shoch'veinu u-v'ku-meinu nasi'ach b'chukecha, v'nis'mach b'div'rei toratecha u-v'mitz'votecha l'olam va-ed. Ki hem cha-yey-nu v'orech ya-meynu u-va-hem neh'geh yomam va-lai'lah. v'ahavat'cha ahl ta-sir mimenu l'olamim. Baruch Atah Adonai, Ohev amo Yisrael.

With an everlasting Love You have loved us as a people. With Love You have guided us with teachings and holy deeds, principles and just ways. Therefore, Eternal One our God, upon lying down and upon arising we rejoice in Your Torah and Your Holy Paths. For they are our life and the length of our days, and upon them we will meditate day and night. You will never withdraw Your Love from us. Blessed are You, Eternal One, Whose Love manifests in the people Israel.

#### The Sh'ma

# שָׁמַע יִשִּׂרָאֵל, יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ, יהוה אֶחֶד.

Sh'ma Yisrael, Adonai Eloheynu, Adonai Echad. Listen, Israel: The Eternal manifests as all that Is, the Eternal is One.

## בָּרוּךְ שֵׁם כִּבוֹד מַלְכוּתוֹ לְעוֹלָם וָעֵד.

Blessed is the Name, the splendor of Its Presence shines eternally.

#### V'ahavta

וְאָהַבְּהָּ אָת יְהֹנֵה אֱלֹהֶיְךּ בְּכָל־לְבֶבְךָ וּבְכָל־נַפְשְׁךָ וּבְכָל־מְאֹדֶךּ. וְהְיּוּ הַדְּבָרִים הָאֵּלֶה אֲשֶׁר אֲנֹכִי מְצַוְּךֶ הַיֻּוֹם עַל־לְבָבֶךּ. וְשִׁנַּנְתֵּם לְבָנֶיךּ וְדִבַּרְתָּ בְּם בְּשִׁבְתְּ בְּבִיתֶׁךְ וּבְלֶכְתְּךָ בַבֶּרֶךְ וְּבְשָׁכְבְּךָ וּבְקוּמֶךְ. וּקְשַׁרְתָּם לְאָוֹת עַל־יָדֶךְ וְהְיִוּ לְטְטָפִׁת בֵּין עֵינֵיךְ. וּכְתַבְתָּם עַל־מְזָוֹת בֵּיתֶךְ וּבִשְׁעָרֶיךְ.

V'ahavta et Adonai Elohecha, b'chol l'vav'cha, uv'chol naf'shecha, uv'chol m'odecha. V'hayu ha-d'varim ha-eileh, asher anochi m'tzav'cha ha-yom, al l'vavecha. V'shinan'tam l'vanecha, v'dibar'ta bahm b'shiv't'cha b'veytecha, uv'lech'techa va-derech uv'shoch'becha uv'kumecha. Uk'shar'tam l'oht ahl yadecha, v'hayu l'totafot beyn eynecha, uch'tav'tam ahl m'zuzot beytecha uvish'arecha.

Now you can love the Eternal One in all Its manifestations with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your energy. Let these words, connecting you to Source now, be always in your consciousness. Embody them for your children, and repeat them when you sit in your house, when you walk on your way, when you lie down, and when you rise up. Bind them as a sign upon your hand, and let them be as frontlets between your eyes. Write them upon the doorposts of your house and upon your gates.

לְמַעַן תִּזְכְּרֹּוּ וַעֲשִׂיתָם אֶת כָּל מִצְוֹתֵי וְהְיִיתָם קְדשִׁים לֵאלְהֵיכֶם. אֲנִי יְהוָה אֶלְהֵיכֶּם אֲשֶׁר הוֹצֵאתִי אֶתְכֶם מֵאֶרֶץ מִצְרַיִם לִהְיָוֹת לְכֶם לֵאלֹהֵים, אֲנִי יְהוָה אלהיכם.

L'ma-an tiz'keru va-asitem et kol mitz'votai, vih'yitem k'doshim l'Eloheychem. Ani Adonai Eloheychem, asher hotzeiti et'chem mei-eretz Mitz'rayim, lih'yot lachem lei-lohim, Ani Adonai Eloheychem.

That you might become aware and engage in My spiritual practices, and be bound in holiness to the One within. I am the Holy One Who manifests as all that is, the One Who brought you forth from a place of enslavement, to be for you God. I am the Holy One Who manifests as all that is.

#### Mi Chamocha

# מִי כָמְכָה בָּאֵלִם יְיָ, מִי כָּמְכָה נָאְדָּר בַּקְּדֶשׁ, נוֹרָא תְהִלּת, עְשֵׁה פֶּלֶא? מַלְכוּתִדְּ רָאוּ בָנֵיִדְ בּוֹקֵעַ יָם לִפִּנִי מֹשֶׁה זֶה אֵלִי עָנוּ וִאָמִרוּ: יִיָ יִמְלוֹדְ לְעוֹלָם וְעֶד.

Mi chamocha ba-eilim Adonai, mi kamocha neh'dar ba-kodesh, nora t'hillot, oseh feleh? Mal'chut'cha ra-u vaneicha, bokea yam lif'nei Mosheh, zeh Eli anu v'am'ru: Adonai Yim'loch l'olam va-ed.

Who is like You among the heavenly powers, Holy One! Who is like You, mighty in holiness, awesome in praise, doing wonders!

Your children witnessed Your Presence, splitting the sea before Moses. "This is the Holy One!" they cried. "The Eternal will manifest as Creation for ever and ever!"

#### Hash'kiveinu

(Translation by Rabbi Ted Falcon)

הַשְּׁפִּיבֵנוּ יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ לְשָׁלוֹם, וְהַצְּמִיבֵנוּ מַלְבֵּנוּ לְחַיִּים, וּפְּרֹשׁ עָלֵינוּ סֻכַּת שְׁלוֹמֶךּ, וְתַקְנֵנוּ בְּעֵצָה טוֹבָה מִלְפָנֶיךּ, וְהוֹשִׁיעֵנוּ לְמַעַן שְׁמֶךּ. וּשְׁמֹר צֵאתֵנוּ וּבוֹאֵנוּ, לְחַיִּים וּלְשָׁלוֹם, מֵעַתָּה וְעַד עוֹלָם. בָּרוּך אַתָּה יְיָ, הַפּוֹרֵשׁ סֻכַּת שָׁלוֹם עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל עַמּוֹ יִשְׂרָאֵל וְעַל יְרוּשָׁלֵיִם.

Hash'kiveinu Adonai Eloheinu l'shalom, v'ha-amideinu Mal'keinu l'chayim; uf'ros aleynu sukkat sh'lomecha, v'tak'neinu b'eitzah tovah mil'fanecha v'hoshi-einu l'ma-an Sh'mecha. Ush'mor tzeiteinu, u'vo-einu, l'chayim ul'shalom, mei-atah v'ad olam. Baruch Atah Adonai, ha-poreis sukkat shalom aleynu v'al kol amo Yisrael v'al Yerushalayim.

Help us, Eternal our God, to lie down in peace and to awaken again to renewed life. Spread over us the shelter of Your Peace, let us realize the vision of Your Wholeness, that we may experience the Salvation that is Your Name. Shelter us from all that we fear, help us see Your Way even through times of darkness, guard our coming and our going. Grant us life and peace, now and always. Blessed are You, Eternal One, Who shelters all of us within Your Being.

#### V'Sham'ru

ְוְשָׁמְרוּ בְנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶת הַשַּׁבְּת, לַעֲשׁוֹת אֶת הַשַּׁבְּת לְדֹרֹתָם בְּרִית עוֹלָם, בֵּינִי וּבֵין בְּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל אוֹת הִיא לְעוֹלָם, כִּי שֵׁשֶׁת יָמִים עֲשָׂה יהוה אֶת הַשְּׁמֵיִם וְאֶת הָאָרֵץ, וּבִיּוֹם הַשִּׁבִיעִי שָׁבַת וַיִּנָּפַשׁ.

V'sham'ru V'nei Yisrael et ha-Shabbat, la-asot et ha-Shabbat l'dorotam b'rit olam. Beyni u'veyn B'nei Yisrael ot hi l'olam, ki sheishet yamim asah Adonai et ha-shamayim v'et ha-aretz, u'vayom ha-sh'vi-i shavat va-yinafash.

And the Children of Israel shall observe Shabbat, to make Shabbat through their generations an eternal covenant. Between Me and the Children of Israel, it is an eternal sign, for in six days the Holy One made heaven and earth, and on the seventh day God rested and re-souled.

### FROM THE AMIDAH

Adonai s'fatai tif'tach u'fi yagid t'hillatecha. אַדֹנִי שָׂפְתֵּי תִּפְתָּח וּפִּי יַגִּיד תְּהַלְּתֶּך.

Eternal One, open my lips, that my mouth may declare Your praise.

### **Avot V'Imahot: God of Our Ancestors**

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ וֵאלֹהֵי אֲבוֹתֵינוּ וְאִמּוֹתֵינוּ, אֱלֹהֵי אַבְרָהָם, אֱלֹהֵי יִצְחָק, וֵאלֹהֵי יַצְקֹב, אֱלֹהֵי יַצְקֹב, וֵאלֹהֵי יַעֲקֹב, אֱלֹהֵי שָׁרָה, אֱלֹהֵי רִבְקָה, אֱלֹהֵי לֵאָה, וֵאלֹהֵי רְחֵל. הָאֵל הַגְּדוֹל הַגִּבּוֹר וְהַנּוֹרָא, אֵל עֶלְיוֹן, גּוֹמֵל חֲסָדִים טוֹבִים, וְקוֹנֵה הַכּּל, וְזוֹכֵר חַסְדֵי אָבוֹת וְאִבְּוֹרְא, וֹמִל עֶלְיוֹן, גּוֹמֵל חֲסָדִים טוֹבִים, וְקוֹנֵה הַכּּל, וְזוֹכֵר חַסְדֵי אָבוֹת וְאַבְיִהם לְמַעַן שְׁמוֹ בְּאַהְבָה. מֶלֶךְ עוֹזֵר וּמוֹשִׁיעַ וּמְגַן. בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יהוה, מָגֵן אַבִּרָהָם וִעָזְרַת שָׂרָה.

Baruch Atah Adonai Eloheynu veilohey avoteynu v'imoteynu. Elohey Avraham, Elohey Yitzchak, veilohey Yaakov. Elohey Sarah, Elohey Rivkah, Elohey Leah, veilohey Rachel. Ha-el ha-Gadol ha-Gibor v'ha-Nora, el el'yon, gomel chasadim tovim, v'konei ha-kol, v'zocheir chasdey avot v'imahot. U'meivee g'ulah liv'ney v'neyhem l'ma-an Sh'mo b'ahavah. Melech ozeir u'moshi-a u'magein. Baruch Atah Adonai, Magein Avraham v'Ezrat Sarah.

Blessed One, You are the Emptiness that manifests as Form; our God and the God of our Fathers and Mothers. God of Abraham, God of Isaac, and God of Jacob. God of Sarah, God of Rebecca, God of Leah, and God of Rachel. Boundless, mighty, and awesome, filling and surrounding all space and time, You infuse Your Creation with Compassion. You remember the acts of kindness of those who came before us, and bring redemption to their descendants for the sake of Your Name, which is Love. You are Source, Helper, Savior, and Shield. Blessed are You, Eternal One, Shield of Abraham and Help of Sarah.

#### **Gevurot: The Source of Life**

אַתָּה גִּבּוֹר לְעוֹלָם אֲדֹנָי, מְחַיֵּה הַכּּל אַתָּה, רַב לְהוֹשִׁיעַ. מְכַלְבֵּל חַיִּים בְּחֶסֶד, מְחַיֵּה הַכּל בְּרַחֲמִים רַבִּים, סוֹמֵך נוֹפְלִים, וְרוֹפֵא חוֹלִים, וּמַתִּיר אֲסוּרִים, וּמְקַיֵּם אֱמוּנָתוֹ לִישֵׁנֵי עָפָר, מִי כָמְוֹךְ בַּעַל גְּבוּרוֹת וּמִי דְּוֹמֶה לְּךְ, מֶלֶךְ מֵמִית וּמְחַיֶּה וּמַצְמִיחַ יְשׁוּעָה. וְנָאֱמָן אַתָּה לְהַחֲיוֹת הַכּּל. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יהוה, מְחַיֵּה הַכּּל.

Atah gibor l'olam Adonai, m'chayei ha-kol atah, rav l'hoshi-a. M'chalkeil chayim b'chesed, m'chayei ha-kol b'rachamim rabim. Someich nof'lim v'rofei cholim, u'matir asurim, um'kayeim emunato li-sheiney afar. Mi chamocha ba'al g'vurot, u'mi domeh lach, Melech meimit um'chayeh, u'matzmi-ach yeshu-ah. V'neh'ehman Atah l'ha-chayot ha-kol. Baruch Atah Adonai, m'chayei ha-kol.

Eternal is Your Might, Holy One. All Life is Your Gift. Your saving Power is boundless. You sustain the living in lovingkindness, You give Life to all with infinite compassion. Through us You lift up the fallen, heal the sick, release the confined, and maintain faith with those who sleep in the dust. Who is like You, Mighty One? Who is Your equal, Author of life and death, Source of salvation? Faithful are You to renew Life eternally. Blessed are You, Eternal One, giving Life to all sentient beings.

### K'dushat Ha-Shem: The Holiness of Being

אַתָּה קְרוֹשׁ וְשִׁמְדְ קָרוֹשׁ, וּקְרוֹשִׁים בְּכָל יוֹם יְהַלְלְוּדְ מֶּלָה, כִּי אֵל מֶלֶדְ גְּרוֹל וִקַרוֹש אַתַּה. בַּרוּך אַתַּה יִיָּ, הָאֵל הַקַּרוֹשׁ.

Atah Kadosh v'shim-cha kadosh, u'k'doshim b'chol yom y'hal'lucha Selah. Ki El Melech gadol v'kadosh Atah. Baruch Atah Adonai, ha-El ha-Kadosh.

You are Holy. Your name is Holy. And through You, day after day, we remember our holiness by knowing Your Presence in our lives. Blessed are You, Eternal One, Holy Presence.

### K'dushat HaYom: The Holiness of The Day

(Danny Maseng)

ִישְׂמְחוּ בְמַלְכוּתְדְּ שׁוֹמְרֵי שַׁבָּת וְקְוֹרְאֵי עְׂנָג, עַם מְקַדְּשֵׁי שְׁבִיעִי, כֻּלְּם יִשְׂבְּעוּ וְיִתְעַנְּגוּ מִטּוּבְדְ. וּבַשְּׁבִיעִי רָצִיתָ בּוֹ וְקִדֵּשְׁתּוֹ, חֶמְדַת יָמִים אוֹתוֹ קָרָאתָ, זֵכֶר לְמַעֵשֵׂה בָרֵאשִׁית:

Yis'mechu b'malchut'cha shom'rei shabbat, v'kor'ei oneg shabbat. Am m'kad'shei sh'vi-i, shabbat. Kulam yis'be-u v'yit'an'gu mituv'cha, shabbat. U-va-sh'vi-i ratzita bo v'kidash'to, shabbat. Chem'dat yamim oto karata, shabbat. Zecher l'ma-aseh v'reishit, shabbat. Those who keep Shabbat will rejoice in Your Presence, and call Shabbat a delight. Your People will sanctify the seventh day. All will know contentment and joy in Your Goodness; for You willed the seventh day and sanctified it. You named it the most precious gift, a reminder of the primal energy that birthed the universe.

### Sab'einu Mi-Tuvecha

Sab'einu, sab'einu sab'einu mi-tuvecha.

V'samach naf'sheinu bishu-atecha.

V'taheir libeinu l'ov'd'cha be-emet.

V'han'chileinu adonai Eloheinu

B'ahavah u-v'ratzon shabbat kod'shecha

שַׂבְּעֵנוּ, שַׂבְּעֵנוּ שַׂבְּעֵנוּ מִטּוּבֶךְ וְשַׂמַח נַפְּשִׁינוּ בִּישׁוּעְתֶךְ וְטַהֵר לִבֵּנוּ לְעָבְדְּךְ בָּאֲמֶת וְהַנְחִילֵנוּ יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ בְּאַהֲבָה וּבְרָצוֹן שַׁבָּת קְרְשֶׁךְ

Satiate us with Your Goodness, and our soul will rejoice in Your salvation. Purify our hearts to serve You in truth. Eternal One, with Love and Grace, let us inherit Your Holy Shabbat.

#### Avodah: Service

ְרְצֵה, יָיָ אֱלֹחֵינוּ, בְּעַמְּךְ יִשְּׂרָאֵל וּבִתְפִּלְּתָם, וְהָשֵׁב אֶת הָעֲבוֹדָה לִּדְבִיר בֵּיתֶךְ, וְאִשֵּׁי יִשְׂרָאֵל, וּתְפִּלְּתָם בְּאַהֲבָה תְקַבֵּל בְּרָצוֹן, וּתְהִי לְרָצוֹן תִּמִיד עֲבוֹדַת יִשִׂרָאֵל עַמֵּךְ.

R'tzei Adonai Eloheynu, b'am'cha Yisrael u-vit'filatam, v'hasheiv et ha-avodah li-d'vir beitecha. V'ishey Yisrael u-t'filatam b'ahava t'kabeil b'ratzon, u-t'hi l'ratzon tamid avodat Yisrael amecha.

Embrace, Eternal One our God, Your people and their prayers. May our worship arise from the innermost heart of our being, that You might accept our prayers with love. And may the service of Your people always be acceptable to You.

# ּוְתֶחֶזֶינָה עֵינִינוּ בְּשׁוּבְךְ לְצִיּוֹן בְּרַחֲמִים. בָּרוּך אַתָּה יְיָ, הַמַּחֲזִיר שְׁכִינָתוֹ לְצִיּוֹן.

V'techezenah eyneynu b'shuv'cha l'tzi-on b'rachamim. Baruch Atah Adonai, ha-machazir sh'chinato l'tzi-on.

And may our eyes witness the rekindling of Your spark in our soul, with compassion. Blessed are You, Eternal One, Who manifests as the *Shechinah* in the world.

### Hoda'ah: Thanksgiving

מוֹדִים אֲנַחְנוּ לָךְ, שֶׁאַתָּה הוּא, יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ וֵאלֹהֵי אֲבוֹתֵינוּ, לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד, צוּרֵנוּ צוּר חַיֵּינוּ, מָגַן יִשְׁעֵנוּ, אַתָּה הוּא לְדוֹר וְדוֹר, נְוֹדֶה לְךְ וּנְסַפֵּר תְּהַלָּתֶךְ, עַל חַיֵּינוּ הַמְּסוּרִים בְּיָדֶךְ, וְעַל נִשְׁמוֹתֵינוּ הַפְּקוּדוֹת לָךְ, וְעַל נִמֶּיךְ שֶׁבְּכָל יוֹם עִמְנוּ, וְעַל נִפְלְאוֹתֶיךְ וְטוֹבוֹתֵיךְ שֶׁבְּכָל עֵת, עֶרֶב וְבֹקֶר וְצְהָרֵיִם, הַטוֹב, כִּי לֹא כָלוּ רַחֲמֶיךְ, וְהַמְרַחֵם, כִּי לֹא תַמּוּ חֲסָדֶיךְ, כִּי מֵעוֹלָם קִוְּינוּ לְךְ.

Modim anach'nu lach sheh-Atah hu, Adonai Eloheynu v'lohey avoteynu, l'olam va'ed. Tzureinu tzur chayeynu, magein yish'einu, Atah hu l'dor va-dor, nodeh l'cha u-n'sapeir t'hilatecha al chayeynu ha-m'surim b'yadecha, v'al nish'moteynu ha-p'kudot lach, v'al niseh-cha sheh-b'chol yom imanu, v'al nif'leotecha v'tovotecha sheb'chol eit, erev va-voker v'tzahorayim. Hatov ki lo chalu rachamecha, v'ham'rachem, ki lo tamu chasadecha. Ki mei-olam kivinu lach.

We give thanks to You, Eternal One; the Emptiness that manifests as Form, our God and the God of our ancestors. From generation to generation, You are the Rock of our lives, the Shield of our salvation. We are grateful for our lives always in Your care, our souls entrusted to You; for Your miracles, Your abundant Goodness, that is with us each day, morning, noon and night, for Your ceaseless compassion, and Your never-ending loving-kindness. Our hope is in You forever.

#### **Shalom: Peace**

שָׁלוֹם רָב עַל יִשְׂרָאֵל עַמְּךְ תְּשִׂים לְעוֹלְם, כִּי אַתָּה הוּא מֶלֶךְ אָדוֹן לְכָל הַשָּׁלוֹם. וִטוֹב בִּעִינֵיךְ לְבָרֶךְ אֵת עַמָּךְ יִשִּׂרָאֵל בִּכָל עֵת וּבִכָל שָׁעָה בִּשִּׁלוֹמֵךְ.

Shalom rav, al Yisrael am'cha tasim l'olam, ki Atah hu Melech Adon, l'chol ha-shalom. V'tov b'eynecha l'vareich et am'cha Yisrael, b'chol eit uv'chol sha-ah bish'lomecha. Establish abundant peace for Your People Israel forever, for You are the Presence wherein peace awakens. May it be good in your eyes to bless Your People Israel with Your Peace always.

אֶלהַי, נְצוֹר לְשׁוֹנִי מֵרָע, וּשְׂפָתַי מִדַּבֵּר מִרְמָה, וְלִמְקַלְלֵי נַפְשִׁי תִדּם. פְּתַח לִבִּי בְּתוֹרָתֶךְ, וְאַחֲרִי מִצְוֹתֶיךְ תִּרְדּוֹף נַפְשִׁי. עֲשֵׁה לְמֵעַן שְׁמֶךְ, עֲשֵׂה לְמֵעַן יְמִינֶךְ, עֲשֵׂה לְמַעַן תּוֹרָתֶךְ, עֲשֵׂה לְמַעַן קְרָשָׁתֶךְ.

Elohai, n'tzor l'shoni meira, us'fatai midabeir mir'mah, v'lim'kal'lai naf'shee tidom. P'tach libi b'toratecha, v'acharey mitz'votecha tir'dof naf'shee. Aseih l'ma-an sh'mecha, aseih l'ma-an y'minecha, aseih l'ma-an toratecha, aseih l'ma-an k'dushatecha.

Holy One, guard my tongue from evil, and my lips from telling lies. To those who curse me, let my soul be silent. Open my heart to Your Torah and let my soul engage in Your spiritual practices. May I turn from evil and to what is good in Your sight. May I act for the sake of Your Name, for the sake of Your right hand, for the sake of Your Torah, for the sake of Your holiness.

# יִהְיוּ לְרָצוֹן אִמְרֵי פִּי וְהֶגְיוֹן לְבִּי לְפָנֶיךְ, יְיָ צוּרִי וְגוֹאֲלִי.

Yih'yu l'ratzon im'rey fee v'heg'yon libi l'fanecha, Adonai Tzuri v'Go-alee. Let the words of my mouth and the meditations of my heart be acceptable to You, Adonai, my Rock and my Redeemer.

### CONCLUDING MOMENTS

#### Aleynu

(Translation by Rabbi Ted Falcon)

We are the ones given this Way of praising the Holy One of All Being, that we might understand and express the greatness of the One Who shapes all Creation. We celebrate our uniqueness and that of others, and seek to discover the wonder that we are.

Therefore we bend the knees, we bow, and we proclaim our gratitude before the Ruler of all rulers, the Holy One of All Being.

As it is said: Then we shall truly realize the Eternal One as Universal Being, and on that day the Unity of Being shall be celebrated by all.

עָלֵינוּ לְשַׁבֵּחַ לַאֲדוֹן הַכּּלֹ, לָתֵת גְּדָלָה לְיוֹצֵר בְּרֵאשִׁית, שֶׁלֹא עְשֶׂנוּ כְּגוֹיֵי הָאֲרְצוֹת, וְלֹא שָׁמֲנוּ כְּמִשְׁפְּחוֹת הָאֲדָמָה, שֶׁלֹא שָׁם חֶלְקֵנוּ כָּהֶם, וְגֹרְלֵנוּ כְּכָל הֲמוֹנִם. וַאֲנַחְנוּ כּוֹרְעִים וּמִשְׁתַּחֲוִים וּמוֹדִים, לִפְנֵי מֶלֶך, מַלְכֵי הַמְּלָכִים, הַקְּדוֹשׁ בָּרוּךְ הוּא. וְנֵאֱמֵר, וְהָיָה יהוה לְמֶלֶךְ עַל כָּל הָאֲרֶץ, בַּיּוֹם הַהוּא יִהְיֶה יהוה אֶחָד, וּשְׁמוֹ אֶחָד.

Aleynu l'shabei-ach la'Adon ha-kol, la-teit g'dulah l'yotzeir b'reisheet,
Sheh-lo asanu k'goyey ha-aratzot, v'lo samanu k'mish'pechot ha-adamah.
Sheh-lo sahm chel'keinu ka-hem, v'go-raleinu k'chol ha-monam.
Va-anach'nu kor'im, u'mish-ta-chavim u-modim,
Lif'ney Melech, Mal'chey ha-m'lachim, ha-Kadosh Baruch Hu.
V'ne-emar, v'hayah Adonai, l'melech ahl kol ha-aretz,
Ba-yom ha-hu, yih'yeh Adonai echad, u'sh'mo echad.

#### Mourner's Kaddish

יִתְגַּדֵּל וְיִתְקַדֵּשׁ שְׁמֵה רַבָּא. בְּעָלְמָא דִּי בְרָא כִרְעוּתֵה, וְיַמְלִיךְ מַלְכוּתֵה, בְּחֵיֵיכוֹן וֹבִיוֹמֵיכוֹן וֹבִחַיֵי דְכָל בֵּית יִשִּׁרָאֵל, בַּעַגַלָא וּבִזְמַן קָרִיב. וִאָמְרוּ אָמֵן.

Yit'gadal v'yit'kadash sh'mei raba, b'alma dee v'ra chi'rutei v'yam'lich mal'chutei b'cha-yeichon uv'yo-meychon uv'chayey d'chol beyt Yisrael, ba-agala uviz'man kariv v'im'ru: Amen.

יָהֵא שָׁמֵה רַבָּא מִבָרַךְ לְעָלַם וּלְעָלְמֵי עָלְמַיָּא.

Y'hei sh'mei raba m'varach l'alam ul'al'mey al'maya.

יתְבָּרַךְ וְיִשְׁתַּבַּח, וְיִתְפָּאַר וְיִתְרוֹמֵם וְיִתְנַשֵּׂא וְיִתְהַדְּר וְיִתְעַלֶּה וְיִתְהַלָּל שְׁמֵה דְּקָרְשָׁא בְּרִיךְ הוּא, לְעֵלָּא מִן כָּל בִּרְכָתָא וְשִׁירָתָא, תֻּשְׁבְּחָתָא וְנָחֲמָתָא, דַּאֲמִירְן בִּעָלִמָא, וִאִמָרוּ אָמֵן.

Yit'barach v'yish-tabach v'yit'pa-ar v'yit'ro-mam v'yit-nasei v'yit'hadar v'yit'aleh v'yit'ha-lal sh'mei d'kud'sha b'reech hu, l'eilah min kol bir'cha-ta v'shi-ra-ta tush'becha-ta v'neh-cheh-ma-ta da-amee-ran b'al'ma v'im'ru: Amen.

יָהֵא שְׁלֶמֶא רַבָּא מִן שְׁמַיָּא וְחַיִים עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל, וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן.

Y'hei sh'la-ma raba min sh'maya v'chayyim aleynu v'ahl kol Yisrael v'imru: Amen.

עשֶה שָׁלוֹם בִּמְרוֹמָיו הוּא יַעֲשֶה שָׁלוֹם עְּלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל, [וְעַל כָּל ישְׁבִי תַּבָל] וָאִמְרוּ אַמֵן.

Oseh shalom bim'romav hu ya-aseh shalom aleynu v'ahl kol Yisrael [v'ahl kol yosh'vey teiveil] v'imru: Amen.

Extolled and hallowed be God's great Name throughout the Creation willed by the Eternal. May the Kingdom be established in your lifetime and during your days, and within the lifetime of the entire House of Israel, speedily and soon, and let us say: Amen.

May the great Name of God be blessed forever and ever.

Blessed, praised, glorified and exalted, extolled and honored, upraised and lauded be the Name of the Holy One of Blessing, beyond all the blessings and songs, praises and consolations, that are ever uttered in the world, and let us say: Amen.

May there be abundant peace from Heaven, and life upon us and upon the whole household of Israel, and let us say: Amen.

May the One Who creates harmony above, make peace for us, for all the household of Israel, [and for all the peoples of the world], and let us say: Amen.

### **Shabbat Blessings**

Blessing the inner Divine Masculine: ישמך אלהים פאפרים וכמנשה:

Y'sim'cha Elohim k'Efrayim v'chiMenasheh May God make you like Ephraim and Menasheh Blessing the inner Divine Feminine: יִשְׂמֵך אֱלֹהִים כִּשַׂרַה רְבָקָה לֵאֲה וְרָחֵל:

Y'simeich Elohim k'Sarah, Rivkah, Leah v'Rachel May God make you like Sarah, Rebecca Leah and Rachel

יְבְרְכְדְּ יְהֹוָה וְיִשְׁמְּרֶדְּ: יָאֵר יְהֹוָה פָּנִיו אֵלֶידְ, וִיחֻנֶּדְ: יִשָּׂא יִהֹוָה פָּנִיו אֵלֵידְ, וִיְשֵׂם לְדְּ שָׁלוֹם:

Y'varech'cha Adonai v'Yishm'recha, Ya-eir Adonai Panav eilecha viChuneka, Yisa Adonai Panav eilecha, v'Yasem l'cha Shalom The Eternal One blesses and keeps you always.

The Light of the Eternal Presence
shines upon you with Grace.

The Eternal Presence awakens within you,
and brings you Peace.

### **Shalom Aleychem**

שָׁלוֹם עֲלֵיכֶם, מַלְאֲבֵי הַשָּׁבִת, מַלְאֲבֵי עֶלְיוֹן, מִמֶּלֶךְ מַלְבֵי הַמְּלָכִים, הַקְּדוֹשׁ בְּרוּךְ הוּא. בּוֹאֲכֶם לְשָׁלוֹם, מַלְאֲבֵי הַשָּׁלוֹם, מַלְאֲבֵי עֶלְיוֹן, מִמֶּלֶךְ מַלְבֵי הַמְּלָכִים, הַקְּדוֹשׁ בְּרוּךְ הוּא. בְּרְכִוּנִי לְשָׁלוֹם, מַלְאֲבֵי הַשָּׁלוֹם, מַלְאֲבֵי עֶלְיוֹן, מִמֶּלֶךְ מַלְבֵי הַמְּלָכִים, הַקְּדוֹשׁ בְּרוּךְ הוּא. צאתְכֶם לְשָׁלוֹם, מַלְאֲבֵי הַשָּׁלוֹם, מַלְאֲבֵי עֶלְיוֹן, מִמֶּלֶךְ מַלְבֵי הַמְּלְכִים, הַקְּדוֹשׁ בְּרוּךְ הוּא.

Shalom aleychem mal'achey hashareit, mal'achey el'yon, mi-melech mal'chey ha-m'lachim, ha-Kadosh Baruch Hu. Bo-achem l'shalom mal'achey ha-shalom, mal'achey el'yon, mi-melech mal'chey ha-m'lachim, ha-Kadosh Baruch Hu. Bar'chuni l'shalom mal'achey ha-shalom, mal'achey el'yon, mi-melech mal'chey ha-m'lachim, ha-Kadosh Baruch Hu. Tzeit'chem l'shalom mal'achey ha-shalom, mal'achey el'yon, mi-melech mal'chey ha-m'lachim, ha-Kadosh Baruch Hu.

Peace be upon you, ministering angels, angels of the Exalted One, manifestations of the Holy One of Blessing, the sovereign Power.

May your coming be for peace, angels of peace, angels of the Exalted One, manifestations of the Holy One of Blessing, the sovereign Power.

Bless me with peace, angels of peace, angels of the Exalted One, manifestations of the Holy One of Blessing, the sovereign Power.

May you go in peace, angels of peace, angels of the Exalted One, manifestations of the Holy One of Blessing, the sovereign Power.

### Z'MIROT SHABBAT - SHABBAT SONGS

Adon Olam (Traditional Hymn)

אֲדוֹן עוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר מְלַךְּ, בְּטֶּרֶם כָּל יְצִיר נִבְרָא. לְעֵת נַעֲשָׁה בְחֶפְצוֹ כֹּל, אֲזֵי מֶלֶךְ שְׁמוֹ נִקְרָא. וְאַחֲרֵי כִּכְלוֹת הַכֹּל, לְבַדּוֹ יִמְלוֹךְ נוֹרָא. וְהוּא הָיָה, וְהוּא הֹוֶה, וְהוּא יִהְיֶה, בְּתִפְאָרָה. וְהוּא אֶחָד וְאֵין שֵׁנִי, לְהַמְשִׁיל לוֹ לְהַחְבְּירָה. בְּלִי רֵאשִׁית בְּלִי תַכְלִית, ולוֹ הָעֹז וְהַמִּשְׂרָה. וְהוּא אֵלִי וְחֵי גֹאֲלִי, וְצוּר חֶבְלִי בְּעֵת צְּרָה. וְהוּא נִסִי וּמְנוֹס לִי מְנָת כּוֹסִי בְּיוֹם אֶקְרָא. בְּיָדוֹ אַפְּקִיד רוּחִי, בְּעֵת אִישַׁן וְאָעִירָה. ועם רוּחִי גְּוִיְתִי, יְיָ לִי וְלֹא אִירָא.

Adon olam asher malach, b'terem kol y'tzir niv'ra. L'eit na-ah-sah v'chef'tzo kol, azai melech sh'mo nikra. V'acharey kich'lot ha-kol, l'vado yim'loch nora. V'hu hayah, v'hu hoveh, v'hu yih'yeh b'tif'arah. V'hu echad v'ein sheini, l'ham'shil lo l'hach'birah. B'li reisheet b'li tach'lit, v'lo ha-oz v'ha-mis'rah. V'hu eilee v'chai go-ali, v'tzur chev'li b'eit tzarah. V'hu nisi u-manos li m'nat kosi b'yom ek'ra. B'yado af'kid ruchi, b'eit eeshan v'ah-eerah. V'im ruchi g'vi-yati, Adonai lee v'lo eera.

Ruling Presence of the Universe, Who was before form was created, in one instant You manifested Yourself as all that is, and Your Essence became known. And after all will cease to be, You will remain the One that is. You were, You are, and You will be, Awesome in Majesty. You are One for there is no two, One beyond comparing. Without beginning, without end, You are both Power and Essence. You are my God, my Redeemer, and my strength in times of sorrow. You are my guide and my refuge, you fill my cup when I call. In Your Hand I entrust my soul, both when asleep and when awake. For as I breathe in Your Presence, I'll never know fear.

#### Ahal'lah Yah

(Psalm 146; Music: Hannah Tiferet, Fran Avni)

Ahal'lah Yah b'cha-yai (x3) Hal'luyah Hal'li naf'shi et Yah (x3) Hal'luyah Azam'ra leilohai b'odi (x3) Hal'luyah אֲהַלְלָה יהוה בְּחַיָּי, הַלְלוּיָה הַלְלִי נַפְשִׁי אֶת יהוה, הַלְלוּיָה אֲזַמְרָה לֵאלֹהֵי בִּעוֹדִי, הַלְלוּיָה

I will praise the One with my life, Halleluyah.

Praise the Holy One my soul! Halleluyah.

I will sing to the One each day that I'm alive. Halleluyah.

#### Ahavah Rabbah

Ahavah rabbah ahav'tanu, Adonai Eloheinu.

אַהַבָּה רַבָּה אֲהַבִּתְּנוּ, יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ.

How deeply You have loved us!

Al Kol Eileh

(Naomi Shemer)

THI IROI EIICH		(Tuomi Shemer)
Al ha-d'vash v'al ha-oketz,	The honey and the sting,	עַל הַדְבָשׁ וְעַל הַעוֹקֶץ,
Al ha-mar v'ha-matok,	The bitter and the sweet,	עַל הַמֵּר וְהַמְתוֹק,
Al biteinu ha-tinoket,	And our baby daughter,	עַל בִּתֵנוּ הַתִּינוֹקֶת,
Sh'mor Eli ha-tov.	Watch over them, Holy One.	שְׁמוֹר אֵלִי הַטוֹב.
Al ha-eish ha-m'voeret,	The fire that burns,	עַל הַאֵש הַמְבוֹעֶרֶת,
Al ha-mayim ha-zakim,	The water so clear,	עַל הַמַיִם הַזַּכִּים,
Al ha-ish ha-shav ha-bai-ta,	And the man who returns home,	עַל הַאִּישׁ הַשָּׁב הַבַּיתָּה,
Min ha-mer'chakim,	From faraway places.	מָן הַמֶּרְחַקִּים.

(Chorus)

Al kol eileh, Al kol eileh,
Sh'mor na li Eli ha-tov,
Al ha-dvash v'al ha-oketz,
Al ha-mar v'ha matok.

All of this, all of this,
Watch over them, Holy One.

The honey and the sting,

Yet הַמָּר וָהַמָּתוֹק,
The bitter and the sweet.

Al Tira

(Isaiah 41:10; Music: Monty Turner)

Al tira (x3) ki im'cha ani אַל תִּירא, כִּי עִמְּךְ אָנִי Don't be afraid for I am with you; and above all, do not fear. (x2)

#### **And Thou Shalt Love**

(Deut. 6; Music: Debbie Friedman)

And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, with all thy soul, and with all thy might. And all these words, which I command you on this day, shall be in thy heart. And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and thou shalt speak of them when thou sittest in thy house, 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 thy hand, and they shall be for frontlets between thine eyes, and thou shalt write them on the doorposts of thy house, and upon thy gates. That ye shall remember, and do all of My commandments, and be holy unto your God. (x3)

Angel Blessing (Debbie Friedman)

May our right hand bring us closer to our Godliness. May our left hand give us strength to face each day. And before us may our visions light our paths ahead. And behind us may well-being heal our way. All around us is *Shechinah*. (x4)

מִימִינִי מִיכָאֵל, וּמִשְׂמֹאלִי גַבְרִיאֵל וּמִלְפָנֵי אוּרִיאֵל, וּמֵאֲחוֹרֵי רְפָאֵל וְעַל רֹאשִי שְׁכִינַה.

Miy'mini Michael u-mismoli Gavriel Umil'fanay Uriel u-m'achorai R'fael V'al roshi, shechinah (x4)

B'Yado (Craig Taubman)

B'yado af'kid ru-chi	My soul I give to you You,	בְּיָדוֹ אַפְּקִיד רוּחִי,
B'eit eeshan v'ah-eerah	My spirit in Your Care.	ּבְעֵת אִישַׁן וְאָעִירָה.
V'im ruchi g'vi-ya-ti	Draw me near, I shall not fear,	ָרְעָם רוּחִי גְּוִיֶּתִי,
Adonai li v'lo-i-ra	Hold me in Your Hand.	ָיָי לִי וְלֹא אִירָא.
V'im ruchi g'vi-yati	Draw me near, I shall not fear,	ָרְעָם רוּחִי גְּוִיֶּתִי,
Adonai li v'lo eera	Safely in Your Hand.	ּיְיָ לִי וְלֹא אִירָא.

### Bach Rabbeynu

(Song of the Followers of Reb Nachman)

ַבָּך רַבִּינוּ נַגִילָה, בָּך רַבִּינוּ נִשִּׂמִחַה, בָּך רַבִּינוּ נַגִילָה וְנִשִּׂמְחַה בָּך.

Bach Rabbeynu nagilah, bach Rabbeynu nis'mechah bach Rabbeynu nagilah v'nis'mechah bach.

In You, Our Teacher, we rejoice, with You, our Teacher, we celebrate.

In You, Our Teacher, we rejoice, and we celebrate in You.

The Blessing (Numbers 6; Music: Stephen Merritt)

ּיְבֶרֶכְךְ יְהֹוָה וְיִשְׁמְרֶךְ: יָאֵר יהוה פָּנִיו אֵלֶיךְ וְיִחֶנֶּךְ: יִשָּׂא יהוה פַּנִיו אֵלֵיךְ וְיַשֵּׁם לְךְ שַׁלוֹם:

Y'varech'cha Adonai v'yish'merecha. Ya-eir Adonai panav eilecha veechuneka. Yisa Adonai panav eilecha, v'yasem l'cha shalom (x3). V'yasem l'cha shalom, v'yasem l'cha shalom. (repeats)

The Eternal One blesses and keeps you always. The Light of the Eternal Presence shines upon you with Grace. The Eternal Presence awakens within you, and brings you Peace.

### A Chant to Bridge Worlds

(Rami Shapiro)

La illaha ill'Allah

Mei-olam ad olam Atah Yah. מַעוֹלְם עַד עוֹלְם אַתְּה יַה.
There is no God but God. Through all worlds, You are the Eternal.

#### Dodi Li

(Shir Ha-Shirim - Song of Songs)

Dodi li va-ani lo ha-roeh ba-shoshanim.

Mi zot olah min ha-mid'bar,

M'kuteret mor u-l'vonah? Ani l'dodi v'dodi li.

Libav'tini achoti chalah. Uri tzafon u-vo'i teiman.

דּוֹדִי לִי וַאֲנִי לוֹ הָרֹעֶה בַּשׁוֹשַׁנִּים. מִי זֹאת עֹלְה מִן הַמִּדְבָּר, מְקָשֶׁרֶת מוֹר וּלְבוֹנָה? אֲנִי לְדוֹדִי וְדוֹדִי לִי. לְבַּבִתִּנִי אֲחֹתִי כַלַה. עוּרִי צַפּוֹן וּבוֹאִי תֵּימֵן.

My Beloved belongs to me, and I belong to my Beloved. The shepherd among the lilies. Who is this, rising up from the desert,

perfumed with myrrh and frankincense? I belong to my Beloved, and my Beloved belongs to me. You have captured my heart, my sister, O bride. Awake from the north and come from the south!

#### Echad b'Echad

(Zohar, Shemot - Terumah; Music: Yofiyah)

K'gavna di'lei L'mehevei echad b'Echad Yakira kadisha. b'raza d'Echad

echad b'Echad, echad b'Echad echad b'Echad, echad b'Echad

One into one, One becomes one One into one, One becomes one

one becomes One, one into One one becomes One, one into One

Ush'mo Echad, shab'ta echad b'Echad Ush'mo Echad, shab'ta echad b'Echad

**Eheyeh Asher Eheyeh** 

(Exodus 3; Music: Stephen Merritt)

אָהְיֶה אֲשֶׁר אֶהְיֶה Eh'yeh Asher Eh'yeh, I AM as I AM.

Eili, Eili

(Hannah Senesh: Music: David Zehavi)

אֵלִי אֵלִי שֶׁלֹּא יִגְּׂמֵר לְעוֹלֶם, הַחוֹל וְהַיָּם, רִשְׁרוּשׁ שֵׁל הַמַּיִם, בְּרַק הַשָּׁמַיִם, תִּפָלַת הָאָדֶם.

Eili, Eili, sheh-lo yigameir l'olam: ha-chol v'ha-yam, rish'rush sheil ha-mayim, b'rak ha-shamayim, t'filat ha-adam.

O God, my God, I pray that these things never end: the sand and the sea, the rush of the waters, the crash of the heavens, the prayer of the heart.

#### **Erev Shel Shoshanim**

Erev shel shoshanim, neitzeih na el ha-bustan Mor b'samim u-l'vonah l'rag'lech mif'tan.

Laylah yoreid le-at v'ru'ach shoshan nosh'vah Havah el'chash lach shir balat Zemer shel ahavah.

Shachar homah yonah rosheich maleh t'lalim Pich el ha-boker shoshanah ek'tefeinu li. (Lyrics: Moshe Dor; Music: Yosef Hadar)

עֶרֶב שֶׁל שוֹשָנִּים נֵצֵא נָא אֶל הַבָּסְתְּן מוֹר, בְּשָׂמִים וּלְבוֹנָה לְרַגְלֵךְ מִפְּתָּן.

לַיְלָה יוֹרֵד לְאַט וְרוּחַ שׁוֹשָׁן נוֹשְׁבָה הָבָה אֶלְחַשׁ לָךְ שִׁיר בַּלָּאט זֶמֶר שֶׁל אַהֲבָה.

שַׁחַר הוֹמָה יוֹנְה רֹאשֵׁך מְלֵא טְלְלִים פִּיך אֶל הַבֹּקֶר, שׁוֹשְׁנָה אֶקְטְפֵנוּ לִי.

Evening of Roses, let us go out to the grove. Myrrh, spices, and frankincense is the carpet under your feet

Night falls slowly and a breeze of roses blows. Let me whisper a song for you slowly, a song of love.

Dawn and the dove coos. Your hair is full of dewdrops. Your lips are as roses unto the morning, I will pick them for myself.

Esa Eynai

(Psalm 121; Music: Steve Dropkin)

אֶשָּׂא עֵינַי אֶל הֶהָרִים, מֵאַיִן יְבוֹא עֶזְרִי, עָזְרִי מֵעִם יהוה עוֹשֵׂה שָׁמַיִם וָאָרֵץ.

Esa eynai el he-harim, mei-ayin yavo ez'ree, ez'ree mei-im Adonai Oseh shamayim va-aretz. I lift up my eyes unto the mountains; from where does my help come? My help comes from The One, Maker of heaven and earth.

Every Breath (Steven Meritt)

Every breath, a prayer, Every step a heart beat. Allah hu, Allah. Eyn Keloheynu (Traditional Hymn)

## אין כאלהינו, אין כאדונינו, אין כמלכנו, אין כמושיענו.

Eyn keloheynu, Eyn kadoneynu, Eyn k'malkeinu, Eyn k'moshi-einu. There is no one like the One, there is no one like the Eternal, there is no one like our Source, there is no one like our Deliverer.

# מִי כֵאלֹהֵינוּ, מִי כַאדוֹנֵינוּ, מִי כִמַלְכֵּנוּ, מִי כִמוֹשִׁיעֵנוּ?

Mi cheiloheynu, Mi chadoneynu, Mi ch'mal'keinu, Mi ch'moshi-einu? Who is like the One, who is like the Eternal, who is like our Source, who is like our Deliverer?

# נודה לאלהינו, נודה לאדונינו, נודה למלכנו, נודה למושיענו.

Nodeh leiloheynu, Nodeh ladoneynu, Nodeh l'malkeinu, Nodeh l'moshi-einu. We are grateful to the One, we are grateful to the Eternal, we are grateful to our Source, we are grateful to our Deliverer.

### God My Shield

(Psalm 3:4-5,9; Lyrics & Music: Debbie Friedman)

Oh, You, God my shield, You raise my head, My voice calls to You. And You, You answer me, From Your holiness I call to You.

V'atah Adonai magein ba-adi

וִאַתָּה יִיָ מָגַן בַּעַדִי

K'vodi u-meirim roshi.

כבודי ומרים ראשי.

Koli el Adonai ek'ra

קוֹלִי אֵל יִיַ אֵקְרַא

Vaya-aneini meihar kod'sho selah.

וַיַּעַנָנִי מֵהַר קַדְשׁוֹ סֵלָה.

(And) You, You'll care for me, As I am with You now 'Til the end of time. And You, You'll bless us all, And we will be Your blessing evermore.

L'Adonai ha-y'shuah

Al am'cha vir'chatecha selah.

לַיְיָ הַיְשׁוּעָה על עַמִּךְ בִרְכָתֵךְ סֵלָה.

Hal'lu (Psalm 150)

# הַלְלוּ, הַלְלוּ הַלְלוּיִה בָּל הַנְּשָׁמָה תְּהַלֵּל יָה, הַלְלוּ הַלְלוּיָה

Hal'lu, Hal'lu, Hal'lu (x4)
Hal'lu Hal'luyah. (x4)
Hal'lu, Hal'lu, Hal'lu (x4)
Kol ha-n'shamah t'halleil Yah, Hal'lu Hal'luyah. (x2)

Hal'luhu, Praise God

(Psalm 150)

הַלְלוּהוּ בְּצִלְצְלֵי שָׁמֵע, הַלְלוּהוּ בְּצִלְצְלֵי תְרוּעָה. בָּל הַנִּשָׁמָה תִּהַלֵּל יָה, הַלְלוּיָה, כָּל הַנִּשָׁמָה תִּהַלֵּל יָה, הַלְלוּיָה.

Hal'luhu (x2) b'tzil'tzeley shama, Hal'luhu (x2) b'tzil'tzeley t'ruah.

Kol ha-n'shamah t'halleil Yah, hal'luyah, hal'luyah. (x2)

Let all who breathe sing praises to God, Halleluyah, Halleluyah. (x2)

Praise Him with clanging cymbals; praise Him with resonant trumpets.

Let all souls praise God. Halleluyah.

Hal'luyah, Give Praise

(Psalm 113)

הַלְלוּיָה הַלְלוּ עַבְדִי יְהֹנְה הַלְלוּ אֶת־שֵׁם יְהֹנְה: בָּל הַנְּשָׁמָה תְּהַלֵּל יָה, הַלְלוּיָה, כָּל הַנְּשָׁמָה תְּהַלֵּל יָה, הַלְלוּיָה.

Hal'luyah (x2) hal'lu av'dey Adonai, hal'luyah (x2) hal'lu et Shem Adonai. Kol ha-n'shamah t'halleil Yah, hal'luyah, hal'luyah. (x2) Halleluyah! Give praise, you who serve the Eternal; praise the Eternal Name. Let all souls praise God. Halleluyah.

Hash'kiveinu (Craig Taubman)

הַשְּׁפִּיבֵנוּ יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ לְשָׁלוֹם, וְהַעֲמִיבֵנוּ מֵלְבֵּנוּ לְחַיִּים, וּשָׁמֹר צֵאתֵנוּ וּבוֹאֵנוּ, לְחַיִּים וּלְשָׁלוֹם, מֵעַתַּה וְעַד עוֹלָם.

Hash'kiveinu Adonai Eloheinu l'shalom, v'ha-amideinu Mal'keinu l'chayim.

Ush'mor tzeiteinu, u'vo-einu, l'chayim ul'shalom, mei-atah v'ad olam.

Lay us down, Eternal One of all beings, in peace; and raise us back, Source of Being, to life. Guard our departures and our arrivals, for Life, for Peace, for now and forever more.

### Havah Nagilah

# הָבָה נָגִילָה, הָבָה נָגִילָה וְנִשְּׂמְחָה. הָבָה נְרַנְּנָה, הָבָה נְרַנְּנָה וְנִשְׂמְחָה. עוּרוּ, עוּרוּ אַחִים, עוּרוּ אַחִים בִּלֵב שָׂמֵחַ.

Hava Nagilah (x2), Hava Nagilah v'nis'mechah! (Repeat)
Hava Neranena (x2), Hava Neranena v'nis'mechah! (Repeat)
Uru, uru, achim! Uru achim b'lev sameach!
Let's rejoice and be happy!
Let's sing and be happy!
Awake brothers & sisters! Awake with a happy heart!

### Heivenu Shalom Aleychem

Heivenu shalom aleychem. הֵבֶּאנוּ שָׁלוֹם עֲלֵיכֶם. May the peace manifested in this moment be upon you.

Hinei Ma Tov (Psalm 133)

## הְנָה מַה טוֹב וּמַה נָּעִים שֶׁבֶת אַחִים גַּם יַחַד

Hinei mah tov u-mah na-eem, shevet achim gam yachad. How goodly it is and how pleasant, for brethren to dwell together.

#### **Holy One Please Bless Us**

(Sheryl Braunstein)

Holy One please bless us, always be near, watching wherever we go. Shine from within us, show us the way, through every path unknown. Guide us with Your strength. Keep us in your shelter. Fill us with the gift of *shalom*.

Y'varech'cha Adonai v'yish'merecha. Ya-eir Adonai panav eilecha veechuneka. Yisa Adonai panav eilecha, v'yasem l'cha shalom. V'yasem l'cha shalom, v'yasem l'cha shalom.

Guide us with Your strength. Keep us in your shelter. Fill us with the gift of *shalom*. Fill us with the precious gift of *shalom*.

#### Im Ein Ani Li

(Rabbi Hillel, Ethics of the Fathers 1:14)

אָם אֵין אֲנִי לִי, מִי לִי? וּכְשֶׁאֲנִי לְעַצְמִי, מֶה אֲנִי? וְאָם לֹא עַכְשְׁיו, אֵימְתַי?

Im ein ani li, mi li?

Uch'she-ani l'atz'mi, mah ani? V'im lo ach'shav, ey-matai?

If I am not for myself, who will be for me?

And if I am only for myself, who am I?

And if not now, when?

Iv'du Et Hashem (Psalm 100)

Iv'du et Hashem b'sim'cha,

Serve the Eternal One with joy,

עָבְדוּ ָאֶת ה' בְּשִׁמְחָה,

Bo-u l'fanav bir'nana!

Come in the Presence with exultation!

באו לפָנִיו בִּרנַנָה! באו לפָנִיו

#### Ki Esh'merah Shabbat

Ki esh'merah shabbat el yish'mereini.

פִּי אֶשְׁמְרָה שַׁבָּת אֵל יִשְׁמְרֵנִי. אוֹת הִיא לְעוֹלְמֵי עַד בֵּינוֹ וּבֵינִי.

Ot hi l'ol'mei ad beyno u-veyni.

As I keep Shabbat, the Eternal keeps me. It is an unending miracle between me and the One.

Kodesh L'Adonai

(Exodus 28; Music: Stephen Merritt)

קֹרֵשׁ לַיהנָה

Kodesh lAdonai (x3)
This one is Holy, Holy to God. (x4)

Let My People Go (Gospel)

When Israel was in Egypt's land; Let My people go! Oppressed so hard they could not stand; Let My people go!

No more shall they in bondage toil; Let My people go! Let them come out with Egypt's spoil, Let My people go!

Your foes shall not before you stand, Let My people go! And you'll possess fair Canaan's land, Let My people go! Refrain:
Go down, Moses,
Way down in Egypt's land;
Tell old Pharaoh
To let My people go!

L'chi Lach (Debbie Friedman)

L'chi lach, to a land that I will show you, leich l'cha, to a place you do not know, L'chi lach, on your journey I will bless you, and you shall be a blessing (x3), L'chi lach.

L'chi lach, and I shall make your name great, leich l'cha, and all shall praise your name.

L'chi lach, to the place that I will show you. L'simchat chayim, (x3) l'chi lach.

#### L'chu Neranenah

(Psalm 95:1-2; Music: R. Sirotkin)

L'chu n'ran'nah l'Adonai.

Nariah l'tzur yish'einu,

n'kad'ma fanav b'todah

Nariah l'tzur yish'einu b'zim'rat naria lo.

לְכוּ נְרַבְּנָה לַיהוה. נָרִיעָה לְצוּר יִשְׁעֵנוּ, נְקַדְּמָה פָנָיו בְּתוֹדָה. נָרִיעָה לְצוּר יִשָׁעֵנוּ בִּזִמְרַת נַרִיעַ לוֹ.

Go forth singing songs of joy to the Eternal.

Let us shout to our redeemer,
let us turn to the Holy One with thanks.

Let us shout to our redeemer with a joyous song.

#### L'dor VaDor

(Traditional liturgy; Music: Stephen Merritt)

# לְדוֹר וָדוֹר נַגִּיד גָּדְלֶךְ, וּלְגַצַח נְצָחִים קְדָשָׁתְדְּ נַקְדִּישׁ.

L'dor va-dor, nagid god'lecha, u-l'netzach n'tzachim k'dushat'cha nak'dish. In every heart, in every mouth, in every land and generation, we will sing the praise of God and bless His Holy Name.

ְוְשִׁבְחֲדָ, אֱלֹהֵינוּ, מִפְּינוּ לֹא יָמוּשׁ לְעוֹלָם וְעֶד, כִּי אֵל מֶלֶךְ גָּדוֹל וְקְדוֹשׁ אְתִּה.

V'shiv'chacha, eloheinu, mipinu lo yamush l'olam va-ed, ki el melech gadol v'kadosh atah.

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יהוה, בָּרוּךְ הוּא וּ בַרוּךְ שִׁמוֹ, הָאֵל הַקְּדוֹשׁ.

Baruch atah Adonai, baruch hu u-varuch sh'mo, ha-el ha-kadosh.

Light a Candle (Sarit Hadad)

Lif'amim nid'meh sh'ein tik'vah, v'ha-kol nir'eh kol kach afel v'lo yadua Ha-prachim od lo parchu bagan u-basadeh, u-ba'erev rak makat ha-ruach Az bo'u v'nadlik b'yachad ner, ner...

Light a candle, light a candle with me. A thousand candles in the dark will open our hearts. (x2)

Sometimes it seems, there is no comfort, the nights are long and hold no promise of tomorrow. But somewhere deep inside, there burns a tiny flame, it can bring release to all our sorrows. So come together, each one bring your light...

Light a candle, light a candle with me. A thousand candles in the dark will open our hearts. (x2)

Light all the candles, let's light the candles everywhere.

Just look at me and take my hand, the heat of love will glow again.

Light a candle, light a candle with me. A thousand candles in the dark will open our hearts. (x2)

Light, Love, One (Monty Turner)

In every heart, in every mind, in every motion of every kind, and in every verse, and in every line, There is Light, there is Love, there is One.

There is Light, there is Love, far below, far above, there is Light, there is Love, there is One, only One. As without, so within, so it has always been:

There is Light, there is Love, there is One, only One.

Where darkness dwells, and fear is taught, where there is peace, and where there is not, and where it's remembered or it's forgot, there is Light, there is Love, there is One.

### Listen To My Heart Song

(ParamahansaYogananda)

Listen, listen, listen to my heart song (x2) I will never forget you, I will never forsake you (x2)

Lo Alecha

(Avot 2:21; Music: Klepper & Freelander)

# לא עָלֵיךְ הַמִּלָאכָה לְגִמֹר, וְלֹא אתָה בֵּן חוֹרִין לְהַבַּטֵל מִמֵּנָה.

Lo alecha ha-m'lachah lig'mor, v'lo atah ben chorin l'hibatel mimenah. It is not your duty to complete the work, neither are you free to desist from it.

Lo Yisa Goy (Psalm 37:7)

# לא יִשָּׂא גוֹי אֵל גוֹי חֵרֶב, לא יִלְמִדוּ עוֹד מִלְחָמָה

Lo yisa goy el goy cherev, lo yil'medu od mil'chamah. Nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore.

Ma Tovu (Numbers 24:5)

# מָה טִבוּ אֹהָלֵיךְ יַעָקב מִשְׁכִּנֹתֵיךְ יִשְׂרָאֵל.

Ma tovu ohalecha Yaakov, mish'kenotecha Yisrael. How goodly are thy tents, O Jacob, thy dwelling places, O Israel.

Ma Yafeh Ha-Yom

## מַה יָפֶה הַיּוֹם שַׁבְּת שָׁלוֹם

*Ma yafeh ha-yom, Shabbat Shalom.* How beautiful the day, Shabbat Shalom.

#### Mayim B'sasson

U-shav'tem mayim b'sasson mi-may'nay ha y'shu-ah U-shav'tem mayim b'sasson mi-may'nay ha y'shu-ah

Mayim! Mayim! Mayim! - Hey! Mayim b'sasson Mayim! Mayim! Mayim! - Hey! Mayim b'sasson

Hey! Hey! Hey! Hey! Mayim! Mayim! Mayim! Mayim! Mayim b'sasson Mayim! Mayim! Mayim! Mayim! Mayim b'sasson

Miriam's Song (Debbie Friedman)

(Chorus)

And the women dancing with their timbrels,
Followed Miriam as she sang her song,
Sing a song to the One whom we've exalted,
Miriam and the women danced and danced the whole night long (Chorus)

And Miriam was a weaver of unique variety

The tapestry she wove was one which sang our history.

With every strand and every thread she crafted her delight!

A woman touched with spirit, she dances toward the light

(Chorus)

When Miriam stood upon the shores and gazed across the sea

The wonder of this miracle she soon came to believe.

Whoever thought the sea would part with an outstretched hand

And we would pass to freedom and march to the promised land!

(Chorus)

And Miriam the prophet took her timbrel in her hand,

And all the women followed her just as she had planned,

And Miriam raised her voice in song, she sang with praise and might:

We've just lived through a miracle. We're going to dance tonight!!

Modeh Ani (Traditional Liturgy)

# מוֹדֶה/מוֹדָה אֲנִי לְפָנֵיךְ מֶלֶךְ חֵי וְקַיָּם שֶׁהֶחֶזַרְתָּ בִּי נִשְׁמְתִי בְּחֶמְלָה רַבְּה אֶמוּנְתֶךְ:

Modeh/Modah ani l'fanecha, Melech chai v'kayam, sheh-heh-cheh-zar'ta bi nish'mati b'chem'lah. Rabbah emunatecha.

How grateful I am to be in Your Presence always. You are the Ground of all Existence, the Source of all that Is. In Your great Mercy, You keep within me a breathing soul.

Your faith in me is boundless.

# בָּל הָעוֹלֶם בָּלוֹ גֶּשֶׁר צַר מִאֹד וִהָעִקְּר לֹא לְפַחֵד בִּלְל:

Kol ha-olam kulo, gesher tzar m'od, v'ha-ikar lo l'facheid k'lal. All the world is just a narrow bridge, and above all is not to fear at all.

Nasim Shalom (Debbie Friedman)

# נַשִּׂים שָׁלוֹם טוֹבָה וּבִרְכָה, חֵן וָחֱסֶד וִרַחֲמִים,

(Chorus) Nasim Shalom tovah uv'rachah, chein va-chesed v'rachamim, (x2)

Let the Light of Your Presence be the light of our lives, grant us happiness, mercy and peace. May the people of Israel join hands with the world, and our passion for justice increase. (Chorus)

Let the Light of Your Torah be the light of our dreams, grant us goodness, grant us blessings and love. May our yearning for peace be a blessing for the world, as the olive branch soars with the dove. (Chorus)

None Of Us Are Free (Mann, Weil and Russel)

Well you better listen my sisters and brothers, 'cause if you do you can hear
There are voices still calling across the years.
And they're all crying across the ocean,
And they're cryin' across the land,
And they will 'till we all come to understand.
None of us are free. (x2)
None of us are free, if one of us is chained.
None of us are free.

And there are people still in darkness,
And they just can't see the light.
If you don't say it's wrong then that says it's right.
We got to try to feel for each other,
Let our brothers know that we care.
Got to get the message, send it out loud and clear.
None of us are free. (x2)
None of us are free, if one of us is chained.
None of us are free.

It's a simple truth we all need, just to hear and to see.

None of us are free, if one of us is chained.

None of us are free.

Now I swear your salvation isn't too hard too find,

None of us can find it on our own.

We've got to join together in spirit, heart and mind.

So that every soul who's suffering will know they're not alone.

None of us are free, if one of us is chained.

None of us are free.

If you just look around you, You're gonna see what I say. Cause the world is getting smaller each passing day. Now it's time to start making changes, And it's time for us all to realize, That the truth is shining real bright right before our eyes.

None of us are free. (x2) None of us are free, if one of us is chained. None of us are free.

#### **Rise And Shine**

Chorus:

Rise and shine and give God your glory, glory! Rise and shine and give God your glory, glory! Rise and shine and give God your glory, glory! Children of the One.

The One said to Noah,
"There's gonna be a floody, floody."
The One said to Noah,
"There's gonna be a floody, floody."
"Get those children out of the muddy, muddy!"
Children of the One.

So Noah, he built him, he built him an arky, arky. Noah, he built him, he built him an arky, arky. Made it out of hickory barky, barky. Children of the One.

The animals, they came on, they came on by twosies, twosies. The animals, they came on, they came on by twosies, twosies. Elephants and kangaroosies, roosies. Children of the One.

Chorus

It rained, and poured, for forty daysies, daysies. Rained, and poured, for forty daysies, daysies. Nearly drove those animals crazy, crazy. Children of the One.

The sun came out and dried up the landy, landy. Sun came out and dried up the landy, landy. Everything was fine and dandy, dandy. Children of the One.

Now that is the end, the end of my story, story. That is the end, the end of my story, story. Everything is hunky dory, dory. Children of the One.

Chorus

Salaam (Od Yavo) (Sheva)

עוֹד יָבֹא שָׁלוֹם עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּלְם. סָאלָאם. עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל הָעוֹלְם. סָאלָאם. שָׁלוֹם. סָאלָאם. עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל הָעוֹלְם. סָאלָאם. שָׁלוֹם. עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל הָעוֹלְם. סָאלָאם. שָׁלוֹם.

Od yavo shalom aleynu (x3)...v'al kulam.
Salaam, aleynu v'al kol ha-olam, Salaam, Shalom. (x2)
Peace shall yet embrace us...and everyone.
Peace, for us and for the entire world. Peace, Peace.

### Sheh-heh-cheh-yanu - Blessing the Moment

(Traditional Liturgy)

Baruch Atah Adonai Eloheynu Melech ha-olam, sheh-heh-cheh-yanu, v'keey'manu, v'heegeeyanu laz'man ha-zeh.

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֶלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הְעוֹלֶם, שֶׁהֶחֵיָנוּ וְקִיְּמָנוּ וְהִגִּיעַנוּ לַזְּמַן הַזֶּה.

Blessed One, You are the Emptiness that manifests as Form; You are the Life within us, You support and sustain us on our unique path, and You bring us to this moment for blessing.

Sh'ma Yisrael (Stephen Merritt)

As below, so above. As without, so within. I let go, and let love. On a breath, I begin. From the dark, comes a glow. From beginning to end. From a spark, let it grow to a flame that's intending.

שָׁמַע יִשִּׂרָאֵל, יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ, יהוה אֱחֶדּ.

Sh'ma Yisrael, Adonai Eloheynu, Adonai Echad. There is One, all is One... Shalom.

Shir Ha-Maalot (Psalm 126: 1-6)

שִׁיר הַמַּצְלוֹת בְּשׁוּב יְהֹוָה אֶת שִׁיבַת צִיּוֹן הָיִינוּ כְּחֹלְמִים: אָז יִמְּלֵא שְׂחוֹק פִּינוּ וּלְשׁוֹנֵנוּ רִנְּה אָז יֹאמְרוּ בַגּוֹיִם הִגְּדִּיל יְהֹוֶה לַעֲשׁוֹת עִם אֵלֶה: הִגְּדִּיל יְהֹוֶה לַעֲשׁוֹת עִמְנוּ הָיִינוּ שְׂמֵחִים: שׁוּבָה יְהֹוֶה אֶת שְׁבִיתֵנוּ כַּאֲפִיקִים בַּנֶּגֶב: הַזֹּרְעִים בְּדִמְעָה בִּרנָה יִקצֹרוּ: הָלוֹך יֵלֶךְ וּכָכֹה נֹשֵׂא מֶשֶׁךְ הַזְּרֵע בֹּא יָבוֹא בִרְנָה נֹשֵׂא אֲלְמֹתִיוּ:

Shir ha-maalot b'shuv Adonai et shivat tzi-yon hayinu k'chol'mim. Az yimalei s'chok pinu ul'shoneinu rinah az yom'ru vagoyim hig'dil Adonai laasot im eileh. Hig'dil Adonai laasot imanu hayinu s'meichim. Shuvah Adonai et sh'viteinu ka-afikim banegev. Ha-zor'im b'dim'ah b'rinah yik'tzoru. Haloch yeileich uvacho nosei meshech ha-zara bo yavo v'rinah nosei alumotav.

A song of ascents: When the Holy One returns us to Zion it will seem like a dream. Then our mouths will be filled with laughter, our tongues filled with joyful songs. Others will see and say: "They are filled wih the Eternal's boundless Presence." The Eternal's boundless Presence infuses our beings; rejoice!

Return us to You, once again, Eternal One, like streams watering the Negev again. Those who sow in tears shall reap in joy. Those who go forth weeping, bearing the seeds of sowing, will return bearing the sheaves with song and laughter.

Shiviti (Psalm 16; Music: Stephen Merritt)

Shiviti Adonai l'neg'di tamid שָׁוִּיתִי יהוה לְנֶגְּדִי תְמִיד I set the Eternal (Yod ' – Hay ה - Vav ' – Hay ה) before me always.

### Shiv'ti B'veyt Adonai

(Psalm 27:4; Music: Stephen Merritt)

Shiv'ti b'veyt Adonai kol y'mey chayai

שָׁבִתִּי בָּבֵית יהוה בָּל יִמֵי חַיַּי

One thing I ask of the One, only that do I seek, to dwell in the house of the One all the days of my life.

Sim Shalom (Traditional Liturgy)

# שִּׁים שָׁלוֹם טוֹבָה וּבְרָכָה, חֵן וָחֶסֶד וְרַחֲמִים, עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל עַכֶּּךְ.

Sim shalom, tovah uv'rachah, chen va-chesed v'rachamim, aleynu v'al kol Yisrael Amecha.

Bring us Peace, Goodness and Blessing, Grace, Mercy, and Compassion, Eternal One; that we might know the Light that You are.

T'filat Haderech (Debbie Friedman)

May we be blessed as we go on our way,
May we be guided in peace.
May we be blessed with health and joy,
May this be our blessing, amen.

May we be sheltered by the wings of peace,
May we be kept in safety and in love.
May grace and compassion find their way to every soul,
May this be our blessing, amen.

Torah Orah (Zohar)

יִשְׂרָאֵל וְאוֹרַייתָא קַּדְשָׁא בְּרִיךְ הוּא חַד הוּא. תּוֹרָה אוֹרָה, הַלְלוּיָה.

Israel v'oraita kud'sha b'rich hu chad hu. (x2) Torah Orah, halleluYah! Israel, the Torah and the Eternal are one. The Torah is light. HalleluYah!

#### Tzena Tzena

Tzena, tzena, tzena, tzena
ha-banot, ur'ena chayalim ba-moshava.

Al na, al na, al na,
Al-na tit'chabena mi-ben chayil, ish tzava.

Go out, go out girls and welcome the soldiers back to the moshava.

Do not, do not hide yourself away from a courageous man, an army man.

### U'fros Aleynu

Uf'ros aleynu sukkat sh'lomecha. רַּפְרשׁ עָּלֵינוּ סָבַת שִׁלוֹבֶּן הַּ Spread over us the shelter of Your Peace.

V'asu Li Mik'dash (Deut. 25:8)

# ָוְעָשֹׁוּ לִי מִקְדָשׁ וְשָׁכַנְתִּי בְּתוֹכָם.

V'asu lee mik'dash, v'shah-chan'ti b'tocham.

And let them make Me a Holy Place,
that I might dwell within.

#### V'nomar L'fanay

V'nomar l'fanav shirah chadasha, (x4) וְנֹמֵר לְפָנִיוֹ שִׁירָה חֲדָשְׁהּ HalleluYah (x4). בַּלְלוּיָהּ We will sing in the Presence a new song, HalleluYah.

Yah Ribon (Israel Najara)

Yah ribon alam v'al'maya an'te hu malka melech mal'chaya. Ovad g'vur'teich v'tim'haya sh'far kodamai l'hachavaya. יָהּ רִבּוֹן עָלַם וְעָלְמֵיָא, אַנְתְ הוּא מַלְכָא מֶלֶךְ מַלְכַיָא. עוֹבַד גְבוּרְתֵךְ וְתִמְהַיָּא, שִׁפַר קָדָמֵי לְהַחֲנִיָא. שָׁפַר קָדָמֵי לְהַחֲנִיָא.

Yah, who manifests as this and all worlds, You are supreme, the sovereign Presence. Your mighty, wondrous work moves my heart to praise You.

#### Yism'chu Ha-Shamayim

(Psalm 96:11)

ּיִשְׂמְחוּ הַשָּׁמַיִם, וְתָגֵל הָאָרֶץ; יִרְעַם הַיָם, וּמְלֹאוֹ.

Yis'mechu ha-shamayim, v'tageil ha-aretz. Yiram ha-yam, um'lo'o. Let the heavens rejoice, and the earth be glad! Let the sea roar and all that fills it!

### Y'rushalayim Shel Zahav (Jerusalem of Gold)

(Naomi Shemer)

The mountain is clear as wine
And the scent of pines
Is carried on the breeze of twilight
With the sound of bells.
And in the slumber of tree and stone
Captured in her dream
The city that sits solitary
And in its midst, a wall.

Y'rushalayim shel zahav V'shel n'choshet v'shel or Halo l'chol shirayich ani kinor. Avir harim tzalul kayayin V'reiach oranim,
Nisa b'ruach ha-arbayim
Im kol pa'amonim.
Uv'tar'demat ilan va'even
Sh'vuyah ba-chalomah,
Ha-ir asher badad yoshevet
U-v'libah chomah.

יְרוּשְׁלַיִם שֶׁל זְהָב, וְשֶׁל נְחוֹשֶׁת וְשֶׁל אוֹר, הֲלֹא לְכָל שִׁירַיִךְ אֲנִי כִּנּוֹר.

Jerusalem of gold, and of bronze, and of light, behold I am a violin for all your songs.

How the cisterns have dried
The market-place is empty
And no one frequents the Temple Mount
In the Old City.
And in the caves in the mountain
Winds are howling
And no one descends to the Dead Sea
By way of Jericho.

But as I come to sing to you today,
And to adorn you with crowns
I am the smallest of the youngest of your children
And of the last poets.
For your name scorches the lips
Like the kiss of an angel
If I forget thee, Jerusalem,
Which is all gold...

We have returned to the cisterns
To the market and to the market-place
A ram's horn calls out on the Temple Mount
In the Old City.
And in the caves in the mountain
Thousands of suns shine—
We will once again descend to the Dead Sea
By way of Jericho.

Eicha yav'shu borot hamayim Kikar ha-shuk reikah, V'ein poked et har ha-bayit Ba-ir ha-atikah. Uva-m'arot asher basela M'yal'lot ruchot, V'ein yored el yam hamelach B'derech Yericho.

#### (Chorus)

Ach b'vo-i hayom lashir lach V'lach lik'shor k'tarim, Katon'ti mitz'ir bana-yich Um'acharon ham'shor'rim. Ki sh'meich tzoreiv et ha-s'fatayim Ki-n'shikat saraf, Im esh'kacheich Y'rushalayim Asher kulah zahav...

### (Chorus)

Chazar'nu el borot hamayim
La-shuk v'la-kikar,
Shofar korei b'har ha-bayit
ba-ir ha-atikah.
Uvam'arot asher baselah
Al'fei sh'mashot zor'chot,
V'shuv neireid el yam ha-melach
B'derech Yericho!

(Chorus)

### **HEALING SONGS**

### **A Healing Chant**

(Numbers 12:13; Music: Stephen Merritt)

El na r'fa na lah.(x4) אָל נָא רְפָּא נָא לְה:

Please God, let healing be now. (x4)

#### A Healing Song

(Numbers 12; Words: Aryeh Hirschfield)

From deep within the home of my soul, now let the healing, let the healing begin. (x2)

Ana el na r'fa na la. (x4) אָנָא אֵל נָא רְפָּא נָא לְה

Heal our bodies, open our hearts. Awaken our minds, (x2)

(1) Eh-heh-yeh. (2) Shechinah.

### A Prayer For Healing

(Todd Herzog)

El na r'fa na lah, r'fa na lanu. (x2)

Dear God of our ancestors, Help us renew our faith, Grant us a perfect healing, Bring peace to all our days.

El na r'fa na lah, r'fa na lanu. (x2)

Restore our strength of body, Help clarify our minds, Refresh our tired spirit, Rejuvinate our light.

El na r'fa na lah, r'fa na lanu. (x2)

Thank you for all these blessings, Throughout our days and night, We celebrate the journey, This precious gift of life.

El na r'fa na lah, r'fa na lanu. (x2)

#### It's In You

El na r'fa na lah

It's in you...
The power to emerge from the dark into the light... it's in you. It's in you...
Talk to every fiber of your being with your heart... it's in you.

For God can be the strength, I'm tired but I'm listening, it is in me. The answer's in me.

For God can be the courage to risk battling my brokenness, is it in me? The way is in me.

El na r'fa na lah

Look inside yourself. Talk inside yourself. Be brave inside yourself. Have faith within yourself. The strength is in yourself. (x3) It's in you...

El na r'fa na lah

Mi Shebeirach (Debbie Friedman)

# מִי שֶׁבֵּרַךְ אֲבוֹתֵינוּ מְקוֹר הַבְּרְכָה לְאָמוֹתֵינוּ

Mi shebeirach avoteynu m'kor ha-b'ra-cha l'i-mo-tei-nu, May the Source of strength, Who blessed the ones before us, Help us find the courage to make our lives a blessing, And let us say: Amen.

## And let us say: Amen. מִי שֶׁבֵּרַדְ אָמוֹתִינוּ מְקוֹר הַבְּרְכָה לְאֲבוֹתִינוּ

Mi shebeirach i-mo-tei-nu m'kor ha-b'ra-cha l'avoteinu, Bless those in need of healing with r'fu-a sh'lei-ma, The renewal of body, the renewal of spirit, And let us say: Amen.

### Mi Shebeirach - Hear Our Prayer

(Cantor Lisa Levine)

ָמִי שֶׁבֵּרַךְ אֲבוֹתֵינוּ אַבְרָהָם, יִצְחָק, וְיַעֲקֹב מִי שֵׁבֵּרַךְ אִמוֹתֵינוּ שָּׁרָה, רִבִקָה, לֵאָה, וְרָחֵל

Mi Shebeirach Avoteynu, Avraham, Yitzchak v'Yaacov Mi Shebeirach imoteynu, Sarah, Rivkah, Leah v'Rachel May the One Who blessed our mothers, may the One Who blessed our fathers, hear our prayer (x4) and bless us as well.

Bless us with a vision for tomorrow, help us to reach out to those in pain.

May the warmth of friendship ease our sorrow, give us courage, give us faith, show us the way.

Mi Shebeirach Avoteynu, Mi Shebeirach imoteynu, hear our prayer (x4) and bless us as well.

R'fa-einu

(Music: Hanna Tiferet; Arranged by Fran Avni)

R'fa-einu m'kor rachamim v'nei-rafei Hoshi-einu v'nivashei-a Ki t'hilateinu atah

ְרְפָּאֵנוּ מְקוֹר רַחֲמִים וְנֵרְפֵה הוֹשִׁיעֵנוּ וְנִוָּשֵׁעָה כִּי תְהִלְּתֵנוּ אָתָּה

Heal us when we call for help, save us when we're in need, Source of Compassion, Blessing and Grace, We humbly seek Your embrace.

Waters of Healing

(Music: Hanna Tiferet; Arranged by Fran Avni)

ָאָז יָשִׁיר יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶת הַשִּּירָה הַזֹּאת עֲלִי בְאֵר עֲנוּ לָה.

Az yashir Israel et ha-shirah ha-zot; ali v'eir enu lah. (x2) Waters of healing, waters of life, we thirst for love and truth. Waters of healing, waters of life, rise up and we'll sing with you.

Waters of Healing (Rabbi Shoshana Wiener)

May the waters of healing flow through our soul. May the waters of healing flow through our mind. May the waters of healing flow through our heart. May the waters of healing flow through our form.

Ana el na, please Holy One, r'fa na lah, let Your healing be done.

Ana el na, heal our soul, r'fa na lah, may we be whole.

May the pure light of healing give life to our soul. May the pure light of healing give life to our mind. May the pure light of healing give life to our heart. May the pure light of healing give life to our form.

Ana el na, please Holy One, r'fa na lah, let Your healing be done.

Ana el na, heal our soul, r'fa na lah, may we be whole.

### **MEMORIAL SONGS**

Al Tira (Isaiah 41:10; Music: Monty Turner)

> אל תירא, כי עמד אני Al tira (x3) ki im'cha ani

Don't be afraid for I am with you; and above all, do not fear.

#### Ani Ma'amin

אָנִי מַאֲמִין בֶּאֶמוּנָה שְׁלֵמָה בְּבִיאַת הַמְשִׁיחַ. וְאַף–עַל–פִּי שְׁיִתְמַהְמֵהְ, עם כַּל זָה אָחַכָּה לוֹ, כַּכַל יוֹם שֵיַבֹא.

Ani ma'amin be-emunah sh'ileimah b'viat hamashiach. V'af ahl pi sh'yitmah'meiah, im kol zeh achakeh lo, b'chol yom she-yavoh.

I believe with complete faith in the coming of the Messianic Era. And even though it may tarry, nonetheless I will wait for it, I will wait every day for it to come.

Eili, Eili (Hannah Senesh; Music: David Zehavi)

ָּאַלִי אֱלִי שֶׁלֹא יִגָּמֵר לְעוֹלָם, הַחוֹל וְהַיָּם, רִשְׁרוּשׁ שֵׁל הַמַּיִם, בְּרַק הַשְּׁמֵים, תפלת האדם.

Eili, Eili, sheh-lo yigameir l'olam: ha-chol v'ha-yam, rish'rush sheil ha-mayim, b'rak ha-shamayim, t'filat ha-adam.

O God, my God, I pray that these things never end: the sand and the sea, the rush of the waters, the crash of the heavens, the prayer of the heart.

#### El Maley Rachamim

אֵל מָלֵא רַחֲמִים שׁוֹכֵן בַּמְּרוֹמִים. הַמְצֵא מְנוּחָה נְכוֹנָה תַּחַת כַּנְפֵּי הַשְּׁכִינָה. בְּמַעֲלוֹת קְדוֹשִׁים וּטְהוֹרִים כְּזְהַר הָרָקִיעַ מַזְהִירִים אֶת נִשְׁמוֹת כָּל אֵלֶה שֵׁהִזְכַּרְנוּ הַיּוֹם לִבְרָכָה שֶׁהְלְכוּ לְעוֹלָמָם, בְּגַן עֵדֶן מְּהָא מְנוּחָתָם. אָנָּא בַּעַל הָרַחֲמִים הַסְתִּירֵם בְּמֵתֶר כְּנָפֶּיךְ לְעוֹלָמִים. וּצְרוֹר בִּצְרוֹר הַחַיִּים אֶת נִשְׁמוֹתֵיהֶם. יְיָ הוּא נַחֲלָתָם: וִיָנְוּחוּ בִּשָּׁלוֹם עַל מִשִּׁכִּבוֹתִיהֶם. וִנֹאמֵר אָמֵן:

El maley rachamimm, shochein ba-m'romim. Ham'tzei m'nuchah n'chonah tachat kan'fei ha-Shechinah. B'maalot k'doshim u-t'horim k'zohar ha-rakia maz'hirim et nish'mot kol eileh shei-hiz'kar'nu ha-yom liv'rachah, she-hal'chu l'olamam, b'gan eiden t'hi m'nuchatam. Ana baal ha-rachamim has'tireim b'seiter k'nafecha l'olamim. U-ts'ror bi-ts'ror ha-chayim et nish'moteihem. Adonai Hu nachalatam. V'yanuchu b'shalom al mish'kevoteihem. V'nomar amen.

May the Source of Life, the Fountain of all Being, open our hearts to compassion and our eyes to wisdom, that we might glimpse with perfect peace the way of all things. May our sadness and our grief awaken us to the preciousness of the Life we share. May the memory of those who have died be for the world a blessing, and may we never let the light of their life and the light of their love grow dim in our hearts.

May all their worthy deeds, even all their human struggles, be remembered now with love, that their memory be forever bound up in the bond of Life. God is our Source and our Destination, our beginning and our end. May the deaths that have been awaken us to this truth, that the bonds of love shared be not severed in sorrow. May all be held in Healing. May all be held in Peace. And let us say: Amen.

(Translation based on the Reconstructionist Rabbi's Manual)

Gam Kee Eileich

(Psalm 23; Music: Aryeh Hirschfield)

Though I walk in the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil. (x2) For You are with me. (x3)

ַגַם כִּי־אֵלֵך בְּגִיא צַלְמָנֶת לֹא־אִירָא רָע כִּי־אַתָּה עִמְּדִי

Gam kee eileich b'gey tsal'mavet lo eera ra (x2) kee ata imadee. (x3)

### **TORAH SERVICE**

# פִּי מִצִּיּוֹן תֵּצֵא תוֹרָה וּדְבַר יְיָ מִירוּשְׁלְיִם:

Ki mi-Tzion teitzei Torah, ud'var Adonai mi-rushalayim. For from Zion shall go forth Torah, the Word of the Eternal from Jerusalem.

# בָּרוּךְ שֶׁנָתַן תּוֹרָה לְעַמּוֹ יִשְׂרָאֵל בִּקְדָשְׁתוֹ:

Baruch sheh-natan Torah l'amo Yisrael bik'dushato. Blessed is the One Who gave the Path of Torah to the people Israel in holiness.

# יִשִּׁרָאֵל יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ יהוה אֶחְ**דֹ:**

Shema Yisrael: Adonai Eloheynu Adonai Echad. Listen, Israel: The Eternal manifests as all that Is, the Eternal is One.

# אֶחָד אֱלֹהֵינוּ נָּדוֹל אֲדוֹנֵינוּ קְדוֹשׁ שְׁמוֹ:

Echad Eloheynu, gadol Adoneynu, kadosh Sh'mo. Our God is One, our God is Infinite, Holy is God's Name.

### The Hakafah - Sharing Torah

# לְדְּ יְיָ הַגְֻּּדְלָּה וְהַגְּבוּרָה וְהַתִּפְאֶבֶת וְהַבּּצֵח וְהַהוֹד כִּי כֹל בַּשָׁמִיִם וּבָאֶרֶץ, לְדְ יִיָ הַמַּמְלְכָה וְהַמִּתְנַשֵּׂא לְכֹל לְרֹאשׁ:

L'cha Adonai ha-gedulah, v'ha-gevurah, v'ha-tiferet, v'ha-netzach v'ha-hod, ki chol ba-shamayim uva-aretz (2), l'cha Adonai ha-mam'lachah, v'ha-mit'naseh l'chol l'rosh. Yours, Eternal One, is the Greatness, the Power, the Splendor, the Eternity, and the Majesty. For everything in the heavens and on the earth is under Your sovereignty, and You are Source of all that is.

# עַל שָׁלשָׁה דְבָרִים הָעוֹלְם עוֹמֵד: עַל הַתּוֹרָה וִעַל הַעַבוֹדָה וִעַל גִּמִילוּת חַסָּדִים:

Ahl sh'loshah d'varim ha-olam omed: Ahl ha-Torah, v'ahl ha-avodah, v'ahl g'milut chasadim.

The world is sustained based on three things: Torah, Spiritual Practice, and Acts of Lovingkindness.

# רוֹמְמוּ יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ וְהִשְׁתַּחֲווּ לְהַר קְּדְשׁוֹ. כִּי קַדוֹשׁ יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ רוֹמְמוּ.

Rom'mu Adonai Eloheynu v'hish'tachavu l'har kod'sho.

Ki kadosh Adonai Eloheynu rom'mu.

Exalt the One manifesting as the many, and aspire to ascend God's holy mountain, for Holy is the Eternal One in all Its manifestations.

## אֱלֵה חָמָדָה לְבִּי: חוּסָה נָא וְאַל נָא תִּתְעַלֵם:

Eileh cham'da libi: chusa na v'al na tit'alem. This is my heart's desire: Have pity; do not hide yourself.

# וְנָשְׁוּבָה בִּשָׁלוֹם וְאַהַבָה

*V'nashuvah b'shalom v'ahavah.*We will return in love and peace.

### **Blessing Before the Torah Reading**

בְּרְכוּ אֶת יְיָ הַמְּבֹרָך: בָּרוּך יְיָ הַמְּבֹרָך לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד: בָּרוּך אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶך הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר בְּחַר בְּנוּ מִכָּל הָעַמִּים וְנְתַן לְנוּ אֶת תּוֹרַתוֹ: בַּרוּך אַתַּה יִיַ נוֹתֵן הַתּוֹרָה.

Bar'chu et Adonai ha-M'vorach.

Baruch Adonai ha-M'vorach l'olam va-ed.

Baruch Atah Adonai Eloheynu Melech ha-olam, asher ba-char banu mikol ha-a-mim v'natan lanu et Torato. Baruch Atah Adonai, Notein ha-Torah.

Bless the Eternal, the One Who is Blessing. Blessed is the Eternal One of Blessing. Blessed One, You are the Emptiness that manifests as Form, the Source of all that is. You chose us from among all peoples for the Way called Torah. Blessed are You, Eternal One, Giver of Torah.

### **Blessing Following the Torah Reading**

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלֶם אֲשֶׁר נְתַן לְנוּ תּוֹרַת אֱמֶת וְחַיֵּי עוֹלֶם נְטַע בִּתוֹכֵנוּ: בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יִיָ נוֹתֵן הַתּוֹרָה:

Baruch Atah Adonai, Eloheynu Melech ha-olam, asher natan lanu Torat emet v'chayey olam nata b'tocheinu. Baruch Atah Adonai, Notein ha-Torah.

Blessed One, You are the Emptiness that manifests as Form, the Source of all that is. You have given us the Torah of truth, and have planted Eternal Life within us. Blessed are You, Eternal One, Giver of Torah.

### Hagbah: The Torah is Lifted

# וֹזֹאת הַתּוֹרָה אֲשֶׁר שָׂם מֹשֶה לְפָנֵי בִּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל עַל פִּי יִיָ בִּיַד משָׁה:

V'zot ha-Torah asher sam Mosheh lif'ney b'ney Yisrael ahl pi Adonai b'yad Mosheh.

This is the Torah that Moses placed before the People Israel, words of the Eternal through the hand of Moses.

G'lilah: The Torah is Dressed

הוֹדוֹ עַל אֶבֶץ וְשָׁמֶיִם. וַיְּבֶם קֶבֶן לְעַמּוֹ, תְּהִלְּה לְכָל חֲסִידִיוּ, לִבְנֵי יִשִּׁרָאֵל עַם קרוֹבוֹ, הַלְלוּיָה.

Hodo al eretz v'shamayim, va-yarem keren l'amo, t'hillah l'chol chasidav, liv'ney Yisrael am k'rovo, hal'luyah.

God's splendor envelops heaven and earth, and causes all people to shine; sharing praise with all compassionate ones, with the people Israel drawing near to God. Halleluyah!

### **Returning the Torah to the Ark**

עץ חַיִּים הִיא לַמַּחֲזִיקִים בָּה, וְתוֹמְכֶיהָ מְאֻשָּׁר: דְּרָכֵיהָ דַרְבֵי נְוֹעַם, וְכָל נְתִיבוֹתֵיהָ שָׁלוֹם: הַשִּׁיבֵנוּ יִיָ אֵלֵיךְ וְנָשִׁוּבָה חַדֵּשׁ יָמֵינוּ כִּקֵדִם.

Etz chayim hee, la-machazikim bah, v'tom'che-ha m'ushar. D'rache-ha dar'chey no-am, v'chol n'tivote-ha shalom. Hashiveinu, Adonai, eilecha v'nashuvah. Chadesh yameinu k'kedem.

It is a Tree of Life to all who hold it fast, and those who uphold it find happiness. Its ways are ways of pleasantness, and all its paths are Peace. Turn us to You, Eternal One, and we shall return. Renew our days as in the past.

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