EVENING SERVICE FOR SUKKOT

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Blessed are You, our Living God, Sovereign of the universe, whose commandments make us holy and who commands us to light the (Sabbath and) Festival candles.

Blessed are You, our Living God, Sovereign of the universe, who has kept us alive and supported us and brought us to this season.

On the fifteenth day of the seventh month, when you gather in the produce of the land you shall celebrate the Festival of the Eternal....

You shall stay in fragile shelters for seven days; all who belong to Israel shall stay in shelters. So that all your generations may know that I made the family of Israel stay in fragile shelters when I brought them out from the land of Egypt, I, the Eternal, your God.

(Leviticus 23:39, 42-43)

God who provides food for our body and soul, we celebrate before You the contrasts of our life, the poverty and plenty we have experienced. We remember how we wandered through the wilderness nourished and sustained by Your presence. For we are on a journey through time and space, fleeing an eternal Egypt on our way to a promised land of freedom.

Our souls abide beneath the shelter of Your peace. We live our lives in the shadow of Your presence. Into Your hands we entrust our souls, and with our souls our bodies also, for in every generation You work to redeem us, God of truth. Our eyes cannot see You, and our minds cannot fathom Your ways, yet we too follow You through the wilderness of this world, trusting You in our hearts. Protect us on our journey and bless our struggle. Forgive

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> בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלֶם. אֲשֶׁר קְּדְשְׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתִיו וְצִוְנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל [שַׁבָּת וְ] יוֹם טוֹב:

בָּרוּך אַתָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם ּ שֶׁהֶחֶיֵנוּ וְקִיְּמֶנוּ וְהִגִּיעֲנוּ לַזְּמַן הַזֶּה:

אַך בַּחָמִשָּׁה עָשָּׁר יוֹם לַחְדֶשׁ הַשְּׁבִיעִי בְּאָסְפְּכֶם אֶת־תְּבוּאַת הַאָרץ תַּהָגוּ אָת־תַג־יִהנַה:

בַּסָכּת תֵּשְׁבוּ שִׁבְעַת יָמִים כָּל־הָאֶזְרָח בְּיִשְּׂרָאֵל יִשְׁבוּ בַּסָכּת: לְמַעַן יִדְעוּ דֹרֹתִיכֶם כִּי בַּסָּכּוֹת הוֹשֲבְתִּי אֶת־בְּנֵי יִשְּׂרָאֵל בְּהוֹצִיאִי אוֹתָם מֵאֶרֶץ מִצְרֵיִם אֲנִי יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיכֶם:

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us when we stray and lead us back into the paths of peace and goodness. Refresh us with Your joy so that we may help build the land You have promised to the righteous, in a world where all may live in freedom and peace.

One of the following two songs:

Right and left, only sand and sand; an endless yellow desert with no trail. A caravan passes, moving slowly like wondrous figures in a dream.

Rhythmic notes rise and fall. Camels trudge through sad terrain. Ding dang, ding dang - the wandering song. Quietly bearing, quietly pacing.

Yaakov Fishman

II

So I looked for You in the holy place, to see Your power and Your glory. My soul is thirsty for You, my flesh is pining for You. [Repeated 2 or 3 times] Psalm 63:3,2

The following study passage or the one on the facing page:

II By moving into the sukkah for a week, Jews demythologize solid LIFE'S walls and controllable security. It is not a renunciation of self-INSECURITY protection but a recognition of its limits. One should accept vulnerability and live more deeply, rather than build thick walls that are intended to protect from hurt but end up cutting us off from life. The sukkah does not deny the value of a solid home or of human effort; fifty-one weeks a year Jews are allowed to live in homes and are encouraged to build up the world and increase security and well-being. But the sukkah teaches that builders of homes should be able to give them up or move out if necessary. Renunciation is the secret of mastery....

> The joy of Sukkot is a celebration of the privilege of starting on the road to freedom, knowing that to finish the task is not decisive but failure to start is.

> > Irving Greenberg

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וצליל עולה יורד קצוב גמלם פוסעים בנוף עצוב לִן לָן לִן לַן זָה שִׁיר הַנַּדֹד שתק ושאת - שתק וצעד

בַן בַקרש חַזִיתִיך לְראוֹת עַזְּדְּ וּכְבוֹדֶךְ: צַמאָה לְדְּ נַפשׁי כַמַה לַדְּ בשׁרי:

The following study passage or the one on the facing page:

But we are not allowed to linger in the sheltering shade of Sinai I ... We must leave our time together with God and go out into the WANDERING world. We must start on our wanderings through the wilderness...

The Festival of Sukkot is the feast of both wanderings and rest. In memory of those long wanderings of the past which finally led to rest, the members of the family do not have a happy meal in the familiar rooms of the house but under a roof which is quickly constructed, a makeshift roof with heaven shining through the gaps. This serves to remind the people that no matter how solid our house may seem, no matter how temptingly it beckons to rest and safe living, it is still just a shelter which gives us a pause in the long wanderings through the wilderness of centuries.

Based on Franz Rosenzweig

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Whenever the cloud lifted from the tabernacle, the children of Israel went forward on all their travels (*Exodus 40:36*). The children of Israel journeyed from Rameses and encamped at Sukkot.

And they journeyed from Sukkot and encamped at Etham which is on the edge of the wilderness.

And they journeyed from Etham and turned back to Pi-Hahiroth ... and they encamped before Migdol.

And they journeyed from Hahirot and passed through the midst of the sea into the wilderness ... and encamped at Marah.

I lift up my eyes to the hills; where shall I find my help? My help is from the Creator, Maker of heaven and earth.

And they journeyed from Marah and came to Elim, where there were twelve springs of water and seventy palm trees ...

And they journeyed from Elim and encamped by the Sea of Reeds.

And they journeyed from the Sea of Reeds and encamped in the wilderness of Sin.

And they journeyed from the wilderness of Sin and encamped at Dofkah.

God will not allow your foot to slip, for your guardian does not slumber. Know that the guardian of Israel never slumbers and never sleeps.

And they journeyed from Dofkah and encamped at Alush.

And they journeyed from Alush and encamped at Refidim where there was no water for the people to drink.

וּבְהַעָלוֹת הָעָנָן מֵעַל הַפִּשְׁכָּן יִסְעוּ בְּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּכֹל מַסְעֵיהֶם: וַיִּסְעוּ בְנֵי־יִשְּׁרָאֵל מֵרַעְמְמֵס וַיַּחֲנוּ בְּסָכֹּת: וַיִּסְעוּ מָאֶתָם וַיִּשְׁב עַל־פִּי הַחִירת … וַיַּחֲנוּ לִפְנֵי מִגְדֹל: וַיִּסְעוּ מֵאֵתָם וַיָּשָׁב עַל־פִּי הַחִירת … וַיַּחֲנוּ לִפְנֵי מִגְדֹל:

ַנְיִּסְעוּ מִפְּנֵי הַחִירת וַיַּעַבְרוּ בְתוֹדְיהַיָּם הַמִּדְבָּרָה ···· יַנְיִּסְעוּ מִפְּנֵי הַחִירת וַיַּעַבְרוּ בְתוֹדְיהַיָּם הַמִּדְבָּרָה ····

וַיַחַנוּ בִּמַרַה:

אָשָא עִינֵי אֶל־הָהָרִים מֵאַיִן יָבא עָזְרִי: עַזְרִי מֵעָם יְהֹוָה עִשֵּׁה שָׁמֵים וַאַרִץ:

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ַנִיּסְעוּ מֵאֵילִם וַיַּחֲנוּ עַל־יַם־סוּף: וַיִּסְעוּ מִיַּם־סוּף וַיַּחֲנוּ בְּמִדְבַּר־סִין:

ויסעו ממדבר־סין ויַחַנוּ בַּדַפַּקָה:

אַל־יִתֵּן לַמּוֹט רַגְלֶךּ אַל־יָנוּם שֹמְרֶךּ: הָנֵּה לֹא־יָנוּם וְלֹא יִישָׁן שׁוֹמֵר יִשְׂרָאֵל:

וַיִּסְעוּ מִדְּפְּקָה וַיַּחֲנוּ בְּאָלוּשׁ:

וַיִּסְעוּ מֵאָלוּשׁ וַיַּחֲנוּ בִּּרְפִּיִדִם וְלֹא־הָיָה שָׁם מַיִּם לָעָם לִשְׁתּוֹת: And they journeyed from Refidim and encamped in the wilderness of Sinai.

And they journeyed from the wilderness of Sinai and encamped at Kivrot-hatta'avah.

And they journeyed from Kivrot-hatta'avah and encamped at Hatzerot.

And they journeyed from Hatzerot and encamped at Ritmah ... (Numbers 33:5-18)

The Creator is your guardian, your shade at your right hand. The sun will not strike you by day nor the moon by night.

And we journey from our land to exile, and from exile to our land. And we journey from slavery to freedom, slavery to freedom, in the pathways of our lives.

And we journey through deserts without water and pastures of plenty.

And we journey through joys without measure and sorrows without relief.

And we journey through times without meaning and days without rest.

And we journey through festivals of gladness and seasons of hope.

The Creator will guard you from all evil, guarding your soul, guarding your going out and your coming in now and for evermore.

וַיִּסְעוּ מֵרְפִּיִדִם וַיַּחֲנוּ בְּמְדְבֵּר סִינְי: וַיִּסְעוּ מִמְּדְבַּר סִינָי וַיַּחֲנוּ בְּקְבְרת הַתַּאֲנָה: וַיִּסְעוּ מִקְבְרת הַתַּאֲנָה וַיַּחֲנוּ בַּחֲצֵרת: וַיִּסְעוּ מִחֲצֵרת וַיַּחֲנוּ בְּרִתְמָה ...

יְתֹּוֶה שׁמְרֶךְ יְתֹּוֶה צִלְּךְ עַל־יֵד יְמִיגֶּךְ: יוֹמָם הַשֵּׁמֶשׁ לֹא־יַבֵּכָּה וְיָרֵהַ בַּלַּילַה:

וֹאֲבְּחְנוּ נוֹסְעִים מֵאֲרְצֵנוּ לַגּוֹלָה וּמְגוֹלָה לְאַרְצֵנוּ: וַאֲבְחְנוּ נוֹסְעִים מֵעַבְדּוּת לְחֵרוּת מֵעַבְדּוּת לְחֵרוּת בָּנְתִיבוֹת חֵיֵּינוּ: וַאֲבַחְנוּ נוֹסְעִים בְּדֶרֶךְ מִדְבָּר לְלֹא מֵיִם וּבִשְּׁדוֹת־מִרְעֵה

וַאֲנַחְנוּ נוֹסְעֵים בְּשִּׁמְחָה אֵין־קֵץ וּבְצַעַר לְלֹא הֲפָּנָה: וַאֲבַחְנוּ נוֹסְעִים בִּתְקוּפּוֹת חַסְרת בֵּשֶׁר וּבְיָמִים נְטוּלֵי מִנוּחָה:

וַאַבְחְנוּ נוֹסְעִים בְּחַגִּים שֶׁל שָׂשׁוֹן וּבְמוֹעֲדִים שֶׁל תִּקְוָה:

יְהֹוֶה יִשְׁמְרְדְ מִכֶּלֹירָע יִשְׁמֹר אֶת־נַפְּשֶׁךְ: יְהֹוֶה יִשְׁמְר־צֵאתְדְ וּבוֹאֶךְ מֵעַתָּה וְעַד־עוֹלָם:

Psalm 84

IN GOD'S SHELTER For the choirmaster. Upon the Gittit. For the sons of Korach. A psalm.

How lovely where Your presence dwells
Source of all creation.

My soul is longing, pining
for the courts of the Eternal.

My heart and my flesh sing out
to the Living God.

Even a sparrow finds a home and a swallow her own nest in which to lay her young such are Your altars, Source of all creation, my Sovereign and my God.

Happy are those who live in Your house and can always praise You.

Happy the pilgrim inspired by You, they journey to You in their heart.

They pass through the dry sad valley and make it seem a place of springs, as if the early rain covered it with blessings.

They go from strength to strength to appear before God in Zion.

O God, Source of all creation, hear my prayer, listen, God of Jacob!
God, our shield, look
and watch over Your anointed!

For one day in Your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

I would rather stand at the doorway of the house of my God than live at ease in the tents of the wicked.

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לַמְנַצֵּחַ עַל־הַגִּתִּית לְבְנֵי־קְרֵח מִזְמוֹר:

מַה־יִּדִידוֹת מִשְׁכְּנוֹתֵיךּ יְהֹנָה צְּבָאוֹת: נִכְסְפָּה וְגַם־בֵּלְתָה נַפְשִׁי לְחַצְרוֹת יְהֹנָה לִבִּי וּבְשָׁרִי יְרַבְּנוּ אֶל אֵל־חָי:

גַּם־צִפּוֹר מֶצְאָה בַיִת וּדְרוֹר מֵן לָהּ אֲשֶׁר־שֶׁתָה אֶפְרֹחֶיהָ אֶת־מִזְבְּחוֹתֵיךּ יְהֹוָה צְבָאוֹת מֵלְכִּי וֵאלֹהָי:

אַשְׁבִי יוֹשְׁבֵי בֵיתֶךּ עוֹד יְהַלְּלְוּךּ פֶּלָה: אַשְׁבִי אָדָם עוֹז־לוֹ בָךְ מְסִלוֹת בִּלְבָבָם: עֹבְבִי בְּעֵמֶק הַבָּכָא מַעְיָן יְשִׁיתְוֹהוּ גַּם־בְּרָכוֹת יַעְטֶה מוֹרֶה: יַלְכוּ מַחַיִל אֶל־חָיִל יֵרָאָה אֶל־אֱלֹהִים בְּצִיוֹן:

יְהנָה אֱלֹהִים צְּבָאוֹת שִׁמְעָה תְפִּלָּתִי הַאֲזִינָה אֱלֹהֵי יַעַקֹב סֶלָה: מָגִנֵּנוּ רְאֵה אֱלֹהִים וְהַבֵּט פְּנֵי מְשִׁיחָךְ:

פִי טוֹב־יוֹם בַּחֲצֵרֶיךּ מֵאֶלֶף בָּחַרְתִּי הִסְתּוֹפֵּף בְּבֵית אֱלֹהַי מִדּוּר בְּאָהֲלֵי־רֶשַׁע:

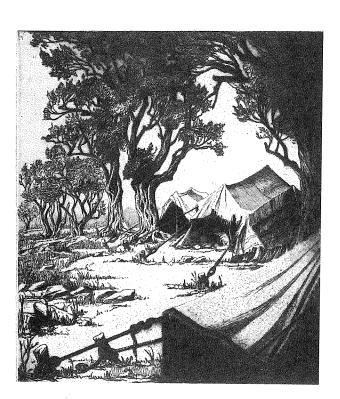
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For the Living God is a sun and a shield, the Creator gives favour and glory, not witholding goodness from those who walk in integrity.

Source of all creation, happy the one who trusts in You!

From Psalm 84

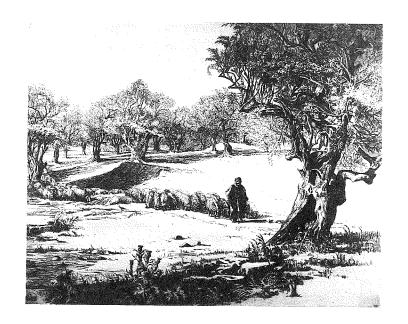
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כִּי שֶׁמֶשׁ וּמָגֵן יְהוָה אֱלֹהִים חֵן וְכָבוֹד יִתֵּן יְהוָה לא יִמְנַע־טוֹב לַהלְכִים בְּתָמִים:

יְהֹוָה צְבָאוֹת אַשְׁרֵי אָדָם בֹּמֵחַ בָּךּ:

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Psalm 122

A Pilgrim Song. David's

JOURNEYING TO JERUSALEM I rejoiced when they said to me:

'Let us go to the house of God!'
And now our feet are standing
inside your gates, O Jerusalem!
Jerusalem rebuilt! As a city
where all are united together.
Here the tribes came up,
the tribes of God
for it is the mark of Israel
to thank the name of God.

There were the seats of justice, the thrones of the house of David.

Pray for the peace of Jerusalem, may those who love you prosper. Peace be within your walls, tranquillity inside your homes.

For the sake of my family and friends
I call out, 'Peace be with you!'
For the sake of the house of the Eternal our God,
I will seek your good.

THE CALL TO COMMUNITY PRAYER Bless the One whom we are called to bless.

Blessed is the Living God, whom we are called to bless forever and ever.

THE CREATOR OF THE UNIVERSE

Blessed are You, our Living God, Sovereign of the universe, whose word brings on the evening twilight; who opens the gates of dawn with wisdom and with foresight makes times pass and seasons change. Your plan sets the stars in their courses in the sky, creating day and night, turning light into darkness and darkness into light. You make the day fade away and bring on the night, separating day and night. You are the ruler of the hosts of heaven. Blessed are You God, who brings on the evening twilight.

All Festival evening services continue here

קנב

שִׁיר הַמַּעֲלוֹת לְדָוִד

שָּׁמַחְתִּי בְּאמְרִים לִי בֵּית יְהֹוָה נֵלֵך: עמְדוֹת הָיוּ רַגְלֵינוּ בִּשְׁעָרַיִךְ יְרוּשָׁלֵיִם: יְרוּשָׁלַיִם הַבְּנוּיָה כְּעִיר שֶׁחָבְּרָה־לָּה יַחְדָּו: שֶׁשָּׁם עָלוּ שְׁבָטִים שִׁבְטֵי־יָה עדות לְיִשְׂרָאֵל לְהדוֹת לְשֵׁם יְהֹוָה: כִּי שֵׁבָּה יֵשְׁבוּ כִסְאוֹת לְמִשְׁפַּט כִּסְאוֹת לְבֵית דְּוִד:

> שַׁאֲלוּ שְׁלוֹם יְרוּשֶׁלֵיִם יִשְׁלֵיוּ אֹהֲבֶיִה: יְהִי־שָׁלוֹם בְּחֵילֵךְ שֵׁלְוָה בְּאַרְמְנוֹתְיִךְ:

לְמַעַן אַחַי וְרֵעָי אֲדַבְּרָה־נָּא שָׁלוֹם בָּךּ: לִמַעַן בִּית־יִהוֹה אֵלֹהֵינוּ אַבַקשָׁה טוֹב לַדְּ:

בַּרְכֹּרָ אֶת־יְיָ הַמְבֹּרָף:

בָּרוּךְ יְיָ הַמְבֹרָךְ לְעוֹלָם וָעֶר:

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם. אֲשֶׁר בִּדְבָרוֹ מַעַרִים. עַּתִים. בְּחָכְמָה פּוֹתֵחַ שְׁעָרִים. וּבִתְבוּנָה מְשַׁנָּה עִתִּים. וּמַחֲלִיף אֶת־הַּוְּמַנִּים וּמְסֵדֵּר אֶת־הַכּוֹכָבִים בְּמִשְׁמְרוֹתִיהֶם בְּחָלֵיף אֶת־הַנְּוֹבוֹנוֹ: בּוֹרֵא יוֹם וָלֵיְלָה. גּוֹלֵל אוֹר מִפְּנֵי חְשֶׁךְ וְחְשֶׁךְ מִפְּנֵי אוֹר: הַמַּעֲבִיר יוֹם וּמִבִיא לֵיְלָה. וּמַבְדִּיל בִּין יוֹם וּבִין לֵיְלָה. וְיָ צְבָאוֹת שְׁמוֹ: בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ. הַמַּעֲרִיב יוֹם וּבִין לֵיְלָה. יְיָ צְבָאוֹת שְׁמוֹ: בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ. הַמַּעֲרִיב ערבים:

GOD'S LOVE

With everlasting love have You loved Your people, the family FOR ISRAEL of Israel. Teaching and practice, duty and justice - these You have taught us. Therefore, our God and Guide, we think upon all this before we sleep and when we wake, and rejoice and delight in Your teaching and its practice forever and ever, for they are our life and the measure of our days. We keep them in mind both day and night. Never take Your love away from us. Blessed are You God, who loves Your people Israel.

THE GOD OF **ISRAEL**

Hear O Israel, the Eternal is our God, the Eternal is One.

Blessed is the knowledge of God's glorious kingdom forever and ever.

Love the Living God with all your heart, and all your soul, and all your might. These words that I command you today shall be upon your heart. Repeat them to your children, and talk about them when you sit in your home, and when you walk in the street; when you lie down and when you rise up. Hold fast to them as a sign upon your hand, and let them be as reminders before your eyes. Write them on the doorposts of your home and at your gates.

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

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FIRST DAY

The children of Israel journeyed from Rameses to Sukkot, about six hundred thousand men on foot, as well as women and children. ISRAEL'S A mixed multitude also went up with them, and very many cattle, LIBERATION both flocks and herds. They baked unleavened cakes of the dough which they had brought out of Egypt. It was not leavened because they were driven out of Egypt and could not delay, and they had not provided food for the journey.

> The time the children of Israel stayed in Egypt was four hundred and thirty years. And on the very day the four hundred and thirty vears ended, all the hosts of the Eternal went out from the land of Egypt. It was a night of vigil by the Eternal, to bring them out of the land of Egypt. So this same night is a night of vigil kept by all the people of Israel for the Eternal throughout their generations.

> > Exodus 12:37-42

אַהַבת עוֹלַם בֵּית יִשְׂרָאֵל עַמַּך אַהַבַתַּ. תוֹרָה וּמְצוֹת הַקִּים וּמִשְׁפַּטִים אוֹתָנוּ לְמַדְתַּ: עַל־כֵּן יִי אֵלהֵינוּ בִּשְּׁכְבֵּנוּ וּבְקוּמֵנוּ נָשִׂיחַ בְּחָקֵידְּ וְנִשְּׁמַח וְנַצֻלוֹז בְּדְבְרֵי תוֹרְתֶךְ וּמְצוֹתֵיך וְחָקוֹתֵיך לְעוֹלָם וַצֵּד: כִּי הַם חַיֵּינוּ וְאָוֹרֶךְ יָמֵינוּי וּבָהֶם נַהְגָּה יוֹמֶם וַלֶּיִלָה וּאַהֲבֶתְּךּ אַל־תְּסִיר מִמֶּנוּ ּלְעוֹלֶמִים: בַּרוּךְ אַתָּה יִיָּ אוֹהֵב אֵת־עַמּוֹ יִשְּׂרָאֵל:

יִשְׁרָאֵלּ יְהֹוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ יְהֹוָה אֶחָך:

בַּרוּךְ שֵׁם כַּבוֹד מַלְכוּתוֹ לְעוֹלַם וַעֵּד:

וְאָהַרָּה אָת יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיףּ בְּכָל־לְבָבְּדְּ וּבְכָל־נַפְּשְׁדְּ וּבְכָל־מְאֹדֶך: וְהָיוּ הַדְּבָרִים הָאֵלֵה אֲשֵׁר אָנֹכִי מִצַּוּךְ הַיּוֹם עַל־לְבָבֶה: וִשְׁבַּנְתָּם לְבָנֵיךּ וִדבַּרִתָּ בָּם. בְּשִׁבְתַּךּ בְּבִיתֶךְ וקשרתם לאות עַל־יַבֶּךּ. וְהַיוּ לִטטַפת בֵּין עִיבֵיך: וּכְתַבְתַם עַל־מְזִזות ביתה ובשעתיה:

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וַיִּסְעוּ בְנֵי־יִשְׁרָאֵל מֵרַעִמְסֵם סַכְּתָה כִּשִׁשׁ־מֵאוֹת אֱלֶף רַגִּלִי הַגָּבָרִים לְבַד מִטָּף: וְגַם־עֵרֵב רַב עַלָה אָתָם וְצֹאן וּבָקָר מִקְנֵה כַּבֶּד מָאד: וַיֹּאפוּ אָת־הַבָּצִק אֲשֵׁר הוֹצֵיאוּ ממצרים עגת מצות כי לא חמץ כייגרשו ממצרים ולא ַיַכְלוּ לְהָתְמַהְמֶהַ וְגַם־צֶּדָה לֹא־עֲשׁוּ לַהָם:

וּמוֹשַׁב בְּנֵי יִשְּׂרָאֵל אֲשֶׁר יֶשְׁבוּ בְּמִצְרָיִם שְׁלֹשִׁים שָׁנָה ואַרבע מאות שַנה: וַיָּהִי מְקָץ שְׁלֹשִׁים שַנה וְאַרְבַּע מָאוֹת שַנַה וַיָהִי בִּעָצֵם הַיוֹם הָזֶה יַצָאוּ כַּל־צָבָאוֹת יָהוָה מֵאָרֵץ מצרים: לֵיל שַּמְרִים הוּא לַיהוָה לְהוֹצִיאַם מַאַרִץ מצרים הוא־הלילה הזה ליהוה שמרים לכל־בני ישראל לדרתם: ISRAEL'S TRUST

God, You are my God, with longing do I seek You. My soul is thirsty for You, my flesh is pining for You in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

So I looked for You in the holy place, to see Your power and glory. Because Your love is better than life, my lips shall praise You. So I bless You as long as I live, in Your name I raise my hands in prayer.

My soul is satisfied as at a feast, my mouth and lips sing out Your praise. I remember You as I lie down. and think about You through the night, for You have been my help, and in the shadow of Your wings I sing for joy.

My soul clings to You, Your right hand supports me.

Psalm 63:2-9

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SEVENTH

Jacob arose that night and took his two wives and two hand-DAY PESACH maids and his eleven children and passed over the Yabbok cross-JACOB'S ing. He took them and sent them over the river, sending over all STRUGGLE that he had. Then Jacob remained alone and a man wrestled with him until the dawn arose. When he saw he could not defeat him, he struck the hollow of his thigh and Jacob's thigh was wrenched in wrestling with him. Then he said, 'Let me go,' because the dawn was rising. But he said, 'I will not let you go until you bless me.' So he said to him, 'What is your name?' And he answered, 'Jacob.' So he said, 'No longer shall your name be Jacob but Israel, for you have struggled with God and with men and have

אֵלהִים אֵלִי אַתָּה אֲשַׁחֲרֶךָ צְמְאָה לְדָּ נַפְשִׁי כָּמֵה לְדְּ בְשָׁרִי בארץ־ציה ועיף בלי־מים:

כָן בַּקְדַשׁ חַוִיתִיךּ לְרָאוֹת עַזְּךְ וּכְבוֹדֵךְ: בי־טוב חַסִּדְּדְ מָחַיִּים שְפַתַי ישַבְּחוּנְדְּ: בָן אַבָרֶכָך בִחַיֵּי בִשְׁמִך אָשָׂא כַפַּי:

כמו חֱלֶב וַדֶשֶׁן תִשְבַע נַפְשִׁי וְשִׂפְתֵי רַנַנוֹת יָהַלֶּל־פִּי: יאָם־וֹכַרתִּיךּ עַל־יִצוּעַי בָּאַשְׁמְרוֹת אָהגָה־בַּךְ: פי־הַיִיתַ עַזְרַתָה לִי וּבְצֵל כַּנַפִּיךְ אַרַבַּן:

בַבָקה בַפִּשִׁי אַחַרִיךּ בִּי תַמְכָה יִמִינֵדְ:

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וַיָּקָם בַּלַיִּלָה הוּא וַיִּקָּח אֶת־שְׁתִּי נָשְׁיו וְאֶת־שְׁתִּי שִׁפְחֹתְיו וְאֶת־אַחַד עָשֶּׁר יְלָדִיו וַיַּצְבֹר אָת מַצְבַר יַבֹּק: וַיִּקְחֵם וַיַּעַבְרַם אֶת־הַבָּחַל וַיַּעֲבֵר אֶת־אֲשֶׁר־לוֹ: וַיִּוְתֵר יַעַקֹב לְבַדּוֹ וַיַּאָבֵק אִישׁ עִמּוֹ עַד עֲלוֹת הַשְּׁחַר: וַיַּרְא כִּי לֹא יָכל לוֹ וִיגַע בְּכַף־יִרֵכוֹ וַתְּקַע כַּף־יֵרֶך יַעִקב בְּהָאָבְקוֹ עְמוֹ: וַיִּאמֶר שַׁלְחֵנִי כִּי עָלָה הַשַּׁחַר וַיִּאמֵר לֹא אֲשַׁלְחַךּ כִּי אָם־בַּרַכְתַנִי: וַיְּאמֶר אֵלָיו מַה־שְּׁמֶךְ וַיְּאמֶר יַצַקב: וַיִּאמֶר לא יַצַקב יָאָמֵר עוֹד שִׁמְךּ כִּי אָם־יִשְׂרָאֵל כִּי־שַׁרָיתַ עִם־אֵלהִים יֵאָמַר עוֹד שִׁמְדָּ ועם־אנשים ותוכל:

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prevailed.' Then Jacob asked, 'Tell me now your name.' But he said, 'Why do you ask my name?' And he blessed him there. Then Jacob called the name of that place, Peniel, 'The Face of God', because 'I have seen God face to face and my life has been saved.' Then the sun arose as he passed over from Penuel, and he was limping on his hip.

Genesis 32:23-32

ISRAEL'S

The Egyptians pursued them and overtook them encamped be-FAITH side the sea, all the horses and chariots of Pharaoh, his commanders and army beside Pi-hahirot before Baal-Tzefon. As Pharaoh drew near, the children of Israel raised their eyes - See! Egypt was coming after them! Then they were terribly afraid and the children of Israel cried out to the Eternal. They said to Moses: 'There weren't enough graves in Egypt that you brought us to die in the wilderness! What is this that you have done to us, bringing us out of Egypt. Isn't this what we said when we spoke to you in Egypt saying, Keep away from us and let us serve the Egyptians, for it is better for us to be slaves to Egypt than to die in the wilderness.' Then Moses said to the people, 'Do not fear! Take up your position and see the deliverance that the Eternal will accomplish for you this day, for as you have seen Egypt today you will never see them again. The Eternal will battle for you and you must be still.'

Exodus 14:9-14

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God said, 'This is the sign of the covenant which I establish THE between Myself and you and every living creature with you, to COVENANT endless generations:

WITH CREATION My bow I set in the cloud.

the sign of the covenant between Myself and the earth.

When I cloud the sky over the earth, the bow shall be seen in the cloud.

Then I will remember the covenant which I have made between Myself and you and living things of every kind. Never again shall the waters become a flood to destroy all living creatures. The bow shall be in the cloud; when I see it, it will remind Me of the

וַיִּאמֶר הַגִּידָה־נָּא שָׁמֶךְ וַיִּאמֶר לֻמָּה זֶה תִשָּאַל לִשְׁמִי וַיְבֶּרֶךְ אֹתוֹ שָׁם: וַיִּקְרָא יַעַקֹב שֵׁם הַמֵּקוֹם פַניאַל כִּי־רַאָיתִי אֱלֹהִים פַנִים אֶל־פַנִים וַתְנַּצֵל נַפְשִׁי: וַיַּזַרַח־לוֹ הַשָּׁמֵשׁ כַּאָשֶׁר עַבַר אָת־פּנוּאָל וְהוּא צַלַעַ על־ירכו:

וַיִּרְדְפוּ מִצְרַיִם אַחַרִיהֵם וַיַּשֵּׁיגוּ אוֹתַם חנים על־הים כָּל־סוּס רֶכֶב פַּרְעה וּפָּרָשָׁיו וְחֵילוֹ עַל־פִּי הַחִירת לִפּגִי בַּעַל צָפֹן: וּפַרְעה הִקְרִיב וַיִּשְאוּ בְנֵי־יִשְׂרָאֵל אַת־עִינֵיהָם מצרים נסע אַחריהם וַיִּיראוּ מאד וַיאמָרוּ אָל־משָה בני־ישראל אל־יהוה: אָין־קְבָרִים בְּמִצְרֵיִם לְקַחְתָּנוּ לָמוּת בַּמִּדְבָּר מַה־זֹאת צָשְׂיתָ לַנוּ לְהוֹצִיאַנוּ מִמְּצְרֵיִם: הַלֹא־זֵה הַדָּבַר אֲשֵׁר דְבַּרְנוּ אֲלֵיךְּ בָמָצְרַיִם לֵאמר חַדַל מָמֵנוּ וְנַעַבְדָה אֶת־מִצְרָיִם כִּי טוֹב לֶנוּ עַבד אָת־מִצְרֵיִם מִמְּתֵנוּ בַּמְּדְבָּר: וַיִּאמֵר משה אֵל־הָעָם אַל־תִירָאוּ הִתִיצִבוּ וּרְאוּ אֶת־יִשׁוּעַת יְהוָה אֲשֶׁר־יַעֲשֶׂה לָכֶם הַיּוֹם כִּי אֲשֶׁר רָאִיתָם אָת־מִצְרֵיִם הַיּוֹם לֹא תֹסֶיפּוּ לְרָאתָם עוד עד־עולַם: יָהוָה יַלַחֵם לַכֶם וְאַתֵּם תַּחַרְשוּן:

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וַיָּאמֶר אֱלֹהִים זֹאת אוֹת־הַבָּרִית אֲשֶׁר־אֲנִי נֹתֵן בֵּינִי וביניכם ובין כַל־נַפָּשׁ חַיָּה אַשֶּׁר אַתְּכָם לְדרת עולַם:

אָת־קַשְׁתִּי נַתַתִּי בַּעַבַן ּוָהַיִּתָה לְאוֹת בְּרִית בֵּינִי וּבֵין הָאֶרֶץ: ּוְהָיָה בְּעַנְנִי עָנָן עַל־הָאָרֶץ וְנִרְאֲתָה הַקֵּשֶׁת בֶּעָנָן:

וּוָכַרְתִּי אֶת־בִּרִיתִי אֲשֵׁר בִּינִי וּבִינִיכֵם וּבִין כַּל־גַבָּשׁ חַיַה בָּכָל־בָּשָׂר וִלֹא־יִהְיָה עוֹד הַמַּיִם לְמַבּוּל לְשַׁחֵת כַּל־בָּשָׂר: והַיִתָה הַקֵּשֵׁת בַּעַנַן וּרְאִיתֵיהַ לְזַכֹּר בַּרִית עוֹלם

everlasting covenant between God and living things on earth of every kind.' God said to Noah, 'This is the sign of the covenant which I make between Myself and all that lives on earth.'

Genesis 9:12-17

COVENANT WITH ISRAEL

In the third month after Israel had left Egypt, they came to the wilderness of Sinai. They set out from Rephidim and entered the wilderness of Sinai, where they encamped, pitching their tents opposite the mountain. Moses went up the mountain of God and the Eternal called to him from the mountain and said, 'Speak thus to the house of Jacob, and tell this to the children of Israel: You have seen with your own eyes what I did to Egypt, and how I have carried you on eagles' wings and brought you here to Me. If only you will now listen to Me and keep My covenant, then out of all the peoples you shall become My special possession; for the whole earth is Mine. You shall be My kingdom of priests, My holy nation. These are the words you shall speak to the children of Israel.'

Exodus 19:1-6

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The Eternal said to Abram: Go for your own sake, from your SUKKOT land and your birthplace and your father's house to the land which THE I shall show you. And I will make you into a great nation and I JOURNEY OF will bless you and make your name great so that you become a ABRAHAM blessing. I will bless those that bless you, and I will curse those who degrade you, and in you shall all the nations of the earth be blessed. So Abram went as the Eternal had spoken to him, and with him went Lot. Now Abram was seventy-five years old when he left Haran. And Abram took with him Sarai his wife and Lot his nephew and all their possessions that they had gathered and all the people they had gained in Haran, and they left to go to the land of Canaan, and they came to the land of Canaan.

Genesis 12:1-5

בין אַלהִים ובין כָּל־גַפָּשׁ חַיָּה בְּכָל־בָּשָּׁר אֲשֵׁר עַל־הָאָרֵץ: וַיִּאמֵר אֲלֹהִים אֵל־רְהַ זֹאת אוֹת־הַבְּרִית אֲשֶׁר הַקְמְתִי בֵּינִי וּבִין כַּל־בַשָּׁר אֲשֵׁר עַל־הַאַרִץ:

בַּחָרָשׁ הַשַּׁלִישִׁי לְצָאת בַּנִי־יִשְׁרָאַל מָאַרִץ מִצְרִיִם בַּיוֹם הַזֶּה בָּאוּ מִדְבַּר סִינָי: וַיִּסְעוּ מֵרְפִּיִדִים וַיַּבְאוּ מִדְבַּר סִינֵי: וַיַּחַבוּ בַּמְּדָבַּר וַיִּחַן־שָׁם יִשְׁרָאֵל גַגֵּד הָהַר: ומשָה עַלָה אַל־הָאֵלהִים וַיִּקְרָא אֵלֵיו יְהֹוָה מְן־הַהַר לֵאמר כֹּה תֹאמֵר לְבֵית יַעַקֹב וְתַגֵּיד לְבַנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל: אַתָּם רְאִיתָם אֲשֶׁר עשִיתִי לִמִצְרֵיִם וָאָשָּׂא אֵתְכֵם עַל־כַּנְפֵּי נְשָׁרִים וָאָבָא אֵתְכֵם אָלַי: וְעַתַּה אָם־שַׁמִוֹעַ תִּשָּׁמְעוֹ בִּקְלִי וּשְׁמַרְתָּם אָת־בַּרִיתִי וְהָיִיתֵם לִי סִגְלָה מְכַּל־הַעְמִים כִּי־לִי כַּל־הַאַרץ: וְאָתֵּם תָּהִיוֹ־לִי מַמְלֵבֶת כֹהָנִים וָגוֹי קַדוֹשׁ אֵלֶה הַדבַרִים אשר תַדבר אַל־בני ישראל:

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וַיָּאמֶר יִהֹוָה אֶל־אַבָּרָם לֵּדְ־לִּדְּ מֵאַרִצְדְּ וּמְמּוֹלַדְתִּדְּ וּמִבֵּית אָבִיךּ אֶל־הָאָרֶץ אֲשֶׁר אַרְאֶדָ: וְאֶעֶשְׂךּ לְגוֹי גָּדוֹל וַאֲבָרֶכְךּ וַאֲגַדְלָה שְׁמֶךּ וֶהִיֵה בִּרֶכָה: וַאֲבָרַכָה מִבָּרְכֵיךּ וּמְקַלֶּלְךָּ אָאר וִנִבְרָכוּ בִדְּ כֹּל מִשְׁפָּחֹת הָאַדָמָה: וַיֵּלֵךְ אַבָרֶם כַּאֲשֵׁר דְבֵּר אֶלָיו יְהֹוֶה וַיֵּלֶךְ אָתוֹ לוֹט וְאַבַרֶם בֶּן־חָמֵשׁ שָׁנִים וִשִּׁבְעִים שָׁנָה בִּצֵאתוֹ מֵחָרַן: וַיִּקַח אַבְרַם אֶת־שָּׁרֵי אִשְׁתּוֹ וְאֶת־לוֹט בֶּן־אָחִיו וְאֶת־כָּל־רְכוּשְׁם אֲשֶׁר רָכֶשׁוּ וְאֶתִיהַנֶּפֶשׁ אֲשֶׁריעָשׁוּ בִחָרָן וַיִּצְאוּ לָלֵכֶת אַרְצָה כנען ויבאו ארצה כנען:

THEOF ISRAEL

Remember the way which the Eternal your God led you these JOURNEY forty years in the wilderness, to make you humble and test you to know what was in your heart - would you keep God's commandments or not. God humbled you and made you hunger, then fed you with manna which you did not know, neither did your ancestors, so that you might know that people do not live by bread alone, but that people live through all that comes from the mouth of the Creator. Your clothing did not wear out, and your feet did not swell, these forty years. So know in your heart that just as a man disciplines his son, so the Eternal your God disciplines you. So keep the commandments, walking in God's ways in awe. For the Eternal your God is bringing you to a good land, a land of brooks of water, of fountains and springs, flowing through valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land in which you will eat bread without scarcity, in which you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron, and out of whose hills you can dig copper. And you shall eat and be satisfied and you shall bless the Eternal your God for the good land God has given you.

Deuteronomy 8:2-10

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SHEMINI

Now, Israel, pay heed to the laws and judgments that I am teach-ATZERET/ ing you to apply so that you may live and enter and inherit the land SIMCHAT which the Eternal, the God of your ancestors, is giving to you. Do not add to the word which I command you and do not take THE OUTER away from it, but keep the commandment of the Eternal your God TORAH which I command you today...

> See, I have taught you laws and judgments, just as the Eternal my God commanded me, that you should apply in the land that you are entering to inherit. Keep them and do them, for they are your wisdom and understanding in the eyes of the peoples who will hear all these laws and say, 'What a wise and understanding people is this great nation!' For what nation is there that has God so close to them as is the Eternal our God whenever we call? And what great nation has laws and fair judgments like all this Torah which I am setting before you today?

> > Deuteronomy 4:1-2,5-8

וְזָכַרִתָּ אֵת־כָּל־הַדֵּרֶךְ אֲשֵׁר הֹלִיכָךְ יְהֹוָה אֱלֹהֵיךְ זֶה אַרבַעִים שַנַה בַּמִּדְבַּר לְמַעַן עַנֹּתְךּ לְנַסֹתְךּ לַדַעַת אָת־אַשֵּׁר בּלְבַבָּךְ הַתְשָׁמֹר מִצְוֹתֵו אָם־לֹא: וַיָעַבָּךְ וַיַּרְעָבֵּךְ וַיַּאַכַלְּךְ אָת־הַמֶּן אֲשֵׁר לֹא־יַדַעָתַ וְלֹא יַדְעוּן אֲבֹתֵיךְ לְמַעַן הוֹדְעַךְ כִּי לא עַל־הַלֵּחֶם לְבַדוֹ יִחָיֵה הָאָדָם כִּי עַל־כַּל־מוֹצַא פִּי־יִהוַה יִתְיָה הָאָדָם: שִׂמְלֶתְךּ לֹא בֵלְתָה מֵעַלֵיךּ וְרַגְלְךּ לֹא בַצֵּקַה זֶה אַרְבָּעִים שָׁנָה: וְיָדַעָתָּ עִם־לְבָבֶךּ כִּי כַּאֲשֶׁר יִיַפֶּר אִישׁ אֶת־בְּנוֹ יְהֹוָה אֱלֹהֶיךּ מְיַפְּהֶךָ: וְשָׁמַרְתָּ אֶת־מִצְוֹת יְהֹוָה אַלהֵיךּ לָלֵכֶת בִּדְרַכִיו וּלִירָאַה אתוֹ: כִּי יָהוַה אַלהֵיךּ מְבִיאַךּ אֶל־אָרֶץ טוֹבָה אֱרִץ נַחֲלֵי מָיִם עַיַנת ותהמת יצאים בַּבִּקעָה וּבָהָר: אֱרץ חִטָּה וּשִערָה וְגֵפֵן וּתְאָנַה וְרְמּוֹן אֶרץ־זֵית שֶׁמֶן וּדְבָשׁ: אָרֶץ אֲשֶׁר לֹא בִמְסְכֵּנָת תֹאכַל־בָּה לֶחֶם לֹא־תֶחְסַר כֹּל בָּה אֶרֶץ אֲשֶׁר אֲבָגֶיה בַרְזֶל וּמֵהַרְרֶיה קּהָיף אֶלהָיף אָלהָיף אָלהָיף אָלהָיף אָלהָיף אָלהָיף אָלהָיף אָלהָיף הָּהְצב בְּחְשֶׁת: וְאָכַלְתָּ וְשָּׁבְצְתָּ וּבַרַכְתָּ אָת־יְהֹוָה אֶלהֵיף ַצַל־הַאָרַץ הַטּבָה אֵשֶׁר גַתַּן־לַך:

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ועַתַה יִשְרָאֵל שָׁמַע אָל־הַחָקִים וָאֵל־הַמִּשְׁפַּטִים אַשֵּׁר אַנכִי מַלָּמֵד אָתְכֶם לַעֲשׁוֹת למַעָן תחיו ובאתם וירשתם אַת־הָאָרֵץ אֲשֶׁר יָהֹוָה אֵלֹהֵי אַבֹּתִיכָם נֹתָן לַכָם: לא תֹסְפוּ עַל־הַדָּבָר אֲשֵׁר אָבֹכִי מִצְוָה אָתְכֶם וְלֹא תְגַרְעוּ מִמֵּנוּ לְשָׁמֹר אָת־מִצְוֹת יָהוָה אֵלהֵיכָם אַשֶּׁר אַנכִי מצוה אַתְכַם:

ראַה למַדִתִּי אַתְכֵם חָקִים ומִשְׁפָּטִים כַּאַשֵּׁר צַוַנִי יהוָה אֱלֹהָי לַצַשׁוֹת כֵּן בִּקָרֶב הָאָרֵץ אֲשֶׁר אַהֶּם בָּאִים שֶׁפֶּה לִרשִׁתָּה: ושִׁמַרתִם וַעַשִּיתִם כִּי הָוֹא חַכְמַתְכֵם וּבִינַתְכֵם לְצִינֵי הָעַמִּים אֲשֶׁר יִשְׁמְעוּן אֵת כָּל־הַחָקִים הַאֵּלֵה וְאַמְרוּ רַק עַם־חַכֶם וְנַבוֹן הַגוֹי הַגַּדוֹל הַזָה: כִּי מי־גוֹי גדוֹל אַשֶּר־לוֹ אֵלהִים קרבִים אַלַיו כִּיהוָה אַלהֵינוּ בַּכַל־קַרְאַנוּ אָלָיו: ומִי גוֹי גַדוֹל אֲשֶׁר־לוֹ חָקִים וּמְשְׁפַּטִים צַדִּיקם כַּכל התורה הזאת אשר אנכי נתן לפניכם היום: THE INNER

See, the days are coming, so says the Eternal, when I will make TORAH a new covenant with the House of Israel and the House of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors on the day when I took them by the hand to lead them out of the land of Egypt, for they set aside that covenant even though I was like a husband to them, says the Eternal. But this shall be the covenant which I will make with the House of Israel after those days, says the Eternal: I will put My Torah within them and write it upon their hearts, then I shall be their God and they shall be My people. Then people will no longer instruct their neighbour or kin saying, 'Know the Eternal!', for all shall know Me, from the least to the greatest, says the Eternal.

Jeremiah 31:31-34

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TRADITIONAL **PARAGRAPHS**

This will happen if you listen carefully to My commands which I give you today, to love and to serve the Eternal your God with all your heart and all your soul. I shall then give your land rain at the right time, the autumn rain and the spring rain, so that you can harvest your corn, your wine and your oil. I shall also give grass in your fields for your cattle, and you will eat and be full. Take care that your heart is not deceived into straying, obeying other gods and worshipping them. The anger of the Eternal will then blaze out against you. God will shut up the sky. There will be no rain. The land will not produce, and you will quickly be destroyed from the good land which the Eternal gives you. So put these words of Mine in your heart and in your soul, and hold fast to them as a sign upon your hand and as reminders before your eyes. Repeat them to your children, and talk about them when you sit in your home, and when you walk in the street, when you lie down and when you rise up. Write them on the doorposts of your home and at your gates. Then you and your children may live long on the good land that the Eternal promised to give your ancestors, as long as there is a sky over the earth.

Deuteronomy 11:13-21

הָבָּה יַמִים בָּאִים נִאָם־יִהוַה וְכַרַתִּי אֵת־בִּית יִשְׂרַאֵל וְאֶת־בֵּית יְהוּדָה בִּרִית חַדָשָׁה: לֹא כַבִּרִית אֲשֵׁר כַּרַתִּי אַת־אַבוֹתַם בִּיוֹם הַחַוִיקִי בִיַדָם לְהוֹצִיאָם מֵאָרֵץ מִצְרֵיִם אַשֶּׁר־הֵמֶּה הָפֵּרוּ אֵת־בָּרִיתִי וְאַנֹכִי בַּעַלְתִּי בַם נאם־יהוֹה: כִּי זֹאת הַבַּרִית אֲשֶׁר אֵכִרֹת אֵת־בֵּית יִשְׂרַאֵל אַחַרֵי הַיַּמִים הַהֶּם נִאָם־יִהֹוָה נַתַּתִּי אֵת־תוֹרָתִי בִּקְרַבָּם וַעֵל־לְבָּם אָכַתְבַנָּה וָהַיִיתִי לַהָם לֵאלֹהִים וְהַמָּה יִהִיוֹ־לִי לְעַם: וְלֹא יַלַמַדו עוד איש אַת־רַעָהוּ וָאִישׁ אַת־אַחִיו לֵאמר דְעוּ את־יָהוָה כִּי־כוּלֵם יָדְעוּ אוֹתִי לְמִקְטַנָּם וְעַד־גִּדוֹלָם נאָם־יָהוָה כִּי אָסְלַח לַעַונַם וּלְחַשָּאתָם לא אָזְכַּר־עוֹד:

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והיה אם־שמע תשמעו אל־מצותי אשר אנכי מצוה אַת־יָהוַה לאהבה היוםי וְנַתַּתִּי יורה ומַלְקוֹשׁ וַאֲסַפַּתַּ דְגַנֵּךְ וִתִירשׁךְ וִיצְהַרֵּךְ: וסרתם וָהִשְּׁמַחֵוִיתֵם לֶהֶם: וְחָרָה אַף־יִהוָה בָּכֶם וְעָצֵר אֶת־הַשְּׁמַיִם וְלֹא־יִהְיֵה מָטֶר וְהָאֲדָמָה לֹא תִתּן אֵת־יִבוּלָהּ וַאַבַּדְתֵּם מהַרה מַעַל הַאָרֵץ הַטֹבָה אֲשֶׁר יְהֹוָה נֹתָן לָכֶם: וְשַּׁמְתֵּם אָת־דְבַרֵי אֵלֶה עַל־לְבַבַכֶם וְעַל־נַפְשָׁכֶם. וּקְשַׁרְתָם אֹתָם לאות על־יַרְכָם וְהַיוּ לְטוֹטַפֹּת בֵּין עֵינֵיכָם: וַלְמַּרְתָּם אתַם אַת־בּנֵיכֵם לְדַבֵּר בַּםּ בִּשְׁבַתְּךְ בְּבֵיתֵךְ וּבַלֵּכְתִּךְ ובשַכבָּד ובקומָד: וכִתַבַתַּם עַל־מִזווות בֵּיתֵד ובשְעַרֵיד: לְמַעַן יִרבּוּ יִמֵיכֵם וִימֵי בְנֵיכֵם עַל הָאַדָּמָה אֲשֵׁר נִשְׁבַּע יהוה לאבתיכם לתת להם. כימי השמים על־הארץ:

The Eternal said to Moses: 'Speak to the children of Israel and tell them that each generation shall put tassels on the corner of their clothes, and put a blue thread on the corner tassel. Then when this tassel catches your eye, you will remember all the commands of the Eternal and do them. Then you will no longer wander after the desires of your heart and your eyes which led you to lust. Then you will remember all My commands and do them and you will be set apart for your God. I am the Eternal your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, to be your own God. I, the Eternal, am your God.

Numbers 15:37-41

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All this is true and firmly held by us, that You are our Living REDEEMER God and no other exists, and that we are Israel, Your people. You perform great deeds beyond research, too wonderful to tell. Your children saw Your power, praised and thanked Your name, and willingly accepted Your rule over them. With great joy Moses and the children of Israel answered You in song, all of them saying:

'God, who is like You among the gods people worship! Who, like You, is majestic in holiness,

awesome in praise, working wonders!'

Almighty God, Your children saw Your rule over the Sea of Reeds. All of them honoured You as Sovereign, saying: 'God shall rule forever and ever!'

And it is prophesied: 'For the Almighty has set Jacob free and rescued him from a hand stronger than his own.'

Blessed are You God, who rescues Israel.

GOD'S GIFTS

Source of our life and our Sovereign, cause us to lie down in - PEACE, JOY peace and rise again to enjoy life. Spread over us the covering of Your peace, guide us with Your good counsel and save us for the sake of Your name. Be a shield about us, turning away every enemy, disease, violence, hunger and sorrow. Shelter us in the shadow of Your wings, for You are a God who guards and protects us, a ruler of mercy and compassion. Guard us when we go out and when we come in, to enjoy life and peace both now and forever, and spread over us the shelter of Your peace. Blessed are You God, spreading the shelter of peace over us, over Your people Israel and over all the world.

וַיאמר יהוָה אַל־משה לאמר: דַבָּר אל־בני ישראל וְאָמַרְתָּ אֲלֵהֶם וְעָשׁוּ לָהֶם צִיצִת עַל־כַּנְפֵּי בִגְּדִיהֶם לְדרֹתָם-וְנָתְנוּ עַל־צִיצִת הַכְּנָף פְּתִיל תְּכֵלֶת: וְהָיָה לְכֶם לְצִיצִת וּרְאִיתֵם אתו וּזְכַרְתֵּם אָת־כַּלֹ־מִצְוֹת יְהוָה וַעֲשִׂיתֵם אתם. וְלֹא־תָתְוּרוּ אַחֲרֵי לְבַבְּכֶם וְאַחֲרֵי עֵינֵיכֶם אֲשֶׁר־אַתֶּם זֹנִים אַחֲרִיהֶם: לְמֵעַן תִּזְכְּרוּ וַעֲשִּׁיתֶם אֶת־כָּל־מִצְוֹתֶי. וְהִיִּיתֵם קרשים לֵאלֹהֵיכֶם: אֲנִי יְהֹוָה אֱלֹהֵיכֶם אֲשֶׁר הוֹצֵאתִי אֶתְכֶם מאַרץ מִצְרֵים לְהִיוֹת לַכָם לֵאלהִים. אַנִי יְהוָה אַלהֵיכָם:

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אָמֶת וָאֵמוּנָה כָּל־זֹאת וְקַיָּם עַלֵינוּ כִּי הוּא יִי אֵלהֵינוּ וְאֵין זוּלָתוֹ וַאֲבַחְנוּ יִשְּׂרָאֵל עַפוֹּ הָעשֶׁה גְדלוֹת עַד־אֵין הַקֶּר וְנִפְּלָאוֹת עַד־אֵין מִסְפָּר וְרָאוֹ בָנָיוֹ גְבוּרָתוֹ שִׁבְּחוֹּ וְהוֹדוֹ לִשְׁמוֹ וּמַלְכוּתוֹ בְּרָצוֹן קִבְּלוּ עֲלֵיהֶם משֶׁה וּבְנֵי ישראל לד ענו שירה בשמחה רבה. ואמרו כלם.

מייבַמבה בַּאַלִם יהוָה מִי כַּמבָה נָאָדַר בַּקְּדָשׁ נוֹרָא תהלת עשה פלא:

מַלְכוּתְּךְּ יְהֹנָה אֲלֹהֵינוּ רָאוּ בָנֵיךְ עַל הַיָּם. יַחַד כָּלָם הוֹדוּ וְהִמְלִיכוּ וְאָמֶרוּ. יְהוָה יִמְלֹךְ לְעַלֶם וָעֶד:

וְבֶּאֲמֵרֹ בִּי־פָּדָּה יְהֹוָהֹ אֶת־יַצְלְקֹב וּגְאָלוֹ מִיֵּד חָזָק מִמֶּבּוּ٠ בָּרוּך אַתָּה יְיָּ גָאַל יִשְּׁרָאֵל:

השכיבנו אבינו לשלום והעמידנו מלכנו לחיים. וּפְרוֹשׁ עְלֵינִוּ סָכַּת שְׁלוֹמֶךּ וְתַקְּנֵנוּ בְּעֵצָה טוֹבָה מִלְפָּנֵיךּ וְהוֹשִׁיעֵנוּ לְמַעַן שְׁמֶּךּ וְהָגֵן בַּעַבֵנוּ וְהָמֵר מֵעַלֵינוּ אוֹיֵב בֶּבֶר וְחֵבֶב וְרָעָב וְיָגוֹן וּבְצֵלְ כְּנָפֵיךּ תַּסְתִּיבֵנוֹ כִּי אֵל שׁוֹמְרֵנוֹ וֹמַצִּילֵנוּ אֲתָּה כִּי אֵל מֶלֶךְ חַנּוּן וְרַחוּם אֲתָּהּ ושמור צאתנו ובואנו לחיים ולשלום מעתה ועד עולם. וּפְרוֹשׁ עֶׁלֵינוּ סֻכַּת שְׁלוֹמֶּךְּ בָּרוֹךְ אַתָּה יְיַיִּ הַפּוֹרִשׁ סֻבַּת שָׁלוֹם עָלֵינוּ וְעַל־עַמּוֹ יִשְּׂרָאֵל וְעַל־כָּל־הָעוֹלְם: 101

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On Shabbat

The children of Israel shall keep the Sabbath, observing the Sabbath as a timeless covenant for all generations. It is a sign between Me and the children of Israel forever. For in six days the Creator made heaven and earth and on the seventh day ceased from work and was at rest.

Exodus 31:16-17

These are the festivals of the Almighty which you shall proclaim at their appointed time as holy gatherings.

Leviticus 23:4

The half Kaddish (page 111) may be inserted here.

My God, open my lips and my mouth shall declare Your praise.

THE AMIDAH

One of the following two paragraphs

GOD OF Blessed are You, our God HISTORY and God of our ancestors, God of Abraham, God of Isaac and God of Jacob, the great, the mighty and the awesome God, God beyond, generous in love and kindness, and possessing all. You remember the good deeds of our ancestors and therefore in love bring rescue to the generations, for such is Your being. Sovereign who helps and saves and shields. Blessed are You God, the shield of Abraham.

Blessed are You, our God and God of our ancestors, God of Abraham and God of Sarah, God of Isaac and God of Rebecca, God of Jacob, God of Rachel and God of Leah, the great, the mighty and the awesome God, God beyond, generous in love and kindness, and possessing all. You remember the good deeds of our ancestors and therefore in love bring rescue to the generations, for such is Your being. Sovereign who helps and saves and shields. Blessed are You God, the shield of Abraham and Sarah.

On Shabbat

בנֵייִשֹּרָאֵל אֵת־הַשַּׁבָּת לַעשות אָת־הַשַּׁבַת לדרתם ברית עולם: ביני ובין בני ישראל אות היא ּלְעוֹלַם כִּי־שֵׁשֶׁת יָמִים עֲשָׂה יְיָ אֶת־הַשְּׁמֵיִם וְאֶת־הָאָבֶץ לֹּעוֹלַם. וביום השביעי שבת וינפש:

אַלֶּה מוֹצַרִי יְיָּ מִקְרָאֵי קֹדֶשׁי אֲשֶׁר במועדם:

The half Kaddish (page 110) may be inserted here.

אַדני שפתי תפתח. ופי יַגִיד תהלַתַד:

One of the following two paragraphs

בַרוּך אַתַּה יִיַ אֵלהֵינוּ וָאלהֵי ואמותינוי אבותינו אַבַרהַם וַאלהַי שַׂרַהּ אַלהַי יִצְּחָק וַאלהֵי רִבְקָה. אֱלהֵי יעקב אַלהֵי רַחַל וַאלהִי לַאַה. האל הגדול הגבור והנורא. אַל עַלִיוֹן. גוֹמֵל חַסְדִים טוֹבִים קוֹנָה הַכֹּל וְזוֹכֶר חַסְדֵי אַבוֹת ואָמַהוֹת וּמָביא גוֹאֵל מַלֶּךְ עוֹוֶר וּמוֹשִׁיעַ וּמַגֶּן. בַּרוּךְ אַתַה יִיּ מָגן אַבַרַהַם וְשַׂרַה:

ואלהי אַבוֹתֵינוּ אַלהי ואלהי הַגַּדוֹל הַגְּבוֹר וְהַנּוֹרָא. אל עליון. גומל חסדים טובים קונה הַכל וזוֹכֵר חסדי אבות ומביא גואל לבני בניהם למען שמו עוור ברוּר ומגוי אַתַּה יִיַּ מַגָּן אַבְרַהַם: GOD OF You are the endless power that renews life beyond death; You MIGHT are the greatness that saves.

(On First Day Pesach add: making the wind blow and the rain fall.)

You care for the living with love. You renew life beyond death with unending mercy. You support the falling and heal the sick. You free prisoners, and keep faith with those who sleep in the dust. Who can perform such mighty deeds, and who can compare with You, a Sovereign who brings death and life, and renews salvation! You are faithful to renew life beyond death. Blessed are You God, who renews life beyond death.

GOD OF HOLINESS You are holy, dwelling in the prayers of Israel.

Holy, holy, holy is the Creator of all, whose glory fills all the earth.

Blessed is God's glory revealed in every place.

The Almighty shall rule forever! Your God, O Zion, for all generations!

Praise God! Blessed are You Eternal, the Holy God.

You are holy and Your Name is holy and those who seek holiness praise You day by day.

Blessed are You Eternal, the Holy God.

THE HOLINESS OF THE FESTIVAL

You chose to love us from among all peoples and delight in us, exalting us in holiness among the nations through Your commands. Our Sovereign, You summoned us to serve You, by bearing Your great and holy name.

With love You gave us [Sabbaths for rest and] festivals for joy and seasons of gladness,

On Shabbat:

this Sabbath of rest and

On Pesach:

this Festival of Unleavened Bread,

the season of our freedom,

On Shavuot:

this Festival of Weeks, the season of

giving us the Torah,

ּ אַתָּה גִבּוֹר לְעוֹלָם יְיָּ מְחַיֵּה מֵתִים אַתָּה רַב לְהוֹשְׁיצֵּ [מַשִּׁיב הָרוֹחַ וּמוֹרִיד הַגָּשֶׁם]

מְכַלְכֵּל חַיִּים בְּחָטֶד. מְחַיֵּה מֵתִים בְּרַחֲמִים רַבִּים. סוֹמֵךְ נוֹפְלִים. וְרוֹפֵּא חוֹלִים. וּמַתִּיר אֲסוּרִים. וּמְקַיֵּם אֱמוּנְתוֹ לִישִׁיבֵי עָפָר: מִי כָמְוֹךְ בַּעַל גְּבוּרוֹת וּמִי דוֹמֶה לָךְּ. מֶלֶךְ מֵמִית וּמְחַיֶּה. וּמַצְמְיחַ יְשׁוּעָה: וְנֶאֲמָן אַתָּה לְהַחֲיוֹת מֵתִים. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ. מְחַיֵּה הַמֵּתִים:

אַתָּה קָדוֹשׁ וְשִׁמְּךּ קָדוֹשׁ וּקְדוֹשִׁים בּכל־יוֹם יהללוּהּ

בְּבְל־יוֹם יְהַלְּלְוּךְ

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָּ· הָאֵל הקרוש: וְאַתָּה קָדוֹשׁ יוֹשֵׁב תְּהִלּוֹת ישראל:

קָרוֹשׁ קָרוֹשׁ קָרוֹשׁ יְהוֶה צְבָאוֹת· מֵלֹא כַל־תָאֵרִץ כְּבוֹדוֹ:

בָרוּךְ כְבוֹד־יְהֹוָה מִמְּקוֹמוֹ:

יִמְלֹדְ יִהֹוָה לְעוֹלֶם· אֱלֹהַיִּדְ צִיּוֹן לְדר וָדר הַלְלוּיָה:

בָרוּך אַתָּה יְיָּ הָאֵל הַקְּדוֹשׁ:

בפסח

אַתָּה בְחַרְתָּנוּ מִכָּל־הָעַמִּים אָהַבְתָּ אוֹתְנוּ וְרָצִיתָ בָּנוּ וְרוֹמֵמְתְּנוּ מִכְּל־הַלְּשׁוֹנוֹת וְקִדְּשְׁתְּנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתֶיךּ וְקַרַבְתְּנוּ מַלְמֵנוּ לַעֲבוֹדָתֶךְ וְשִׁמְךּ הַגָּדוֹל וְהַקָּדוֹשׁ עָלֵינוּ קָּרָאת: וַתִּתֶּן־לֵנוּ יִי אֱלֹהֵינוּ בְּאַהֲכָה [שַׁבָּתוֹת לִמְנוּחָה וּ] מוֹעֲדֵים לְשִׁמְחָה חַגִּים וּזְמַבִּים לְשָׁשוֹן.

בשבת [אֶת־יוֹם הַמְּנוֹחַ הַזֶּה וְ...]

ּאֶת־יוֹם חָג הַפַּצוֹת הַגֶּה זְמַן חֵרוּתְנוּ

בשבועות אֶת־יוֹם חַג הַשָּׁבָעוֹת הַגָּה וְמַן מַתַּן תּוֹרָתְנוּי

On Sukkot:

this Festival of Shelters, the season

of our rejoicing,

On Simchat Torah:

this Eighth Day of Completion, the season of our rejoicing in the Torah,

gathering us together in holiness to recall the Exodus from Egypt.

Our God and God of the generations, may Your regard and concern for us and for our ancestors, for the time of our redemption, for Jerusalem the city of Your holiness and for all Your people, the family of Israel, come close to You and please You. Renew in us the love of freedom and goodness, the growth of grace, kindness and compassion, for a happy, peaceful life. On this day of

On Pesach:

the Festival of Unleavened Bread,

On Shavuot:

the Festival of Weeks,

On Sukkot:

the Festival of Shelters,

On Simchat Torah:

this Eight Day of Completion,

Our Living God

remember us for our good,

(Amen)

bring us Your blessing,

(Amen)

and grant us a good life.

(Amen)

Spare us, and have compassion upon us according to Your promise of deliverance and mercy. Our eyes are turned towards You, Source of salvation and mercy.

Bestow on us the blessing of Your festivals, and make us worthy of the new life, joy and peace You promised us. Make us holy through Your commands and let us share in the work of Your Torah. Satisfy us with Your goodness, and let our souls know the joy of Your salvation. Purify our hearts to serve You in truth. In Your love and goodwill, let us inherit [the Sabbath and] Your holy festivals with joy and happiness and may all Israel who seek holiness, find their happiness, fulfilled in You. Blessed are You God, who hallows Israel and the festivals.

בסוכות אֶת־יוֹם חַג הַסָּכּוֹת הַזֶּה זְמַן שִּׁמְחָתְנוּ בשמיני חג העצרת אֶת־יוֹם הַשְּׁמִינִי חַג הָעֲצֶרֶת הַזֶּהּ זְמַן שִּׁמְחָתְנוּ מִקְרָא קָרָשׁ זֵכֵר לִיצִיאַת מִצְרֵיִם.

אֶלהִינוּ גאלהֵי אֲבוֹתִינוּ יַעֵלֶה וְיָבֹא וְיַבְּיעַ וְיֵרָאָה וְיֵרֶצֶה וְיִבְּאָה וְיִבְּהוֹן אֲבוֹתִינוּ וְיִפְּקְרוֹן מְשִׁיִם עִיר קְּדְשֶׁהְ וְזִכְרוֹן כְּלִישָׁה וּלְטוֹבָה לְחֵן וְזִכְרוֹן כָּל־עַמְּךְ בִּית יִשְּׂרָאֵל לְפָבֵיְהּ לִפְלֵיטָה וּלְטוֹבָה לְחֵן וּלְחֵלֵים לִרַחֲמִים לְחַיִּים וּלְשַׁלוֹם בִּיוֹם

בפסח חַג הַפַּצוֹת הַנֶּה.
בשבועות חַג הַשְּׁבֻעוֹת הַנֶּה.
בסוכות חַג הַסְּבּוֹת הַנֶּה.
בשמיני חג העצרת הַשְּׁמִינִי חַג הַעַצֵרַת הַזָּה.

זָכְרֵנוּ יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ בּוֹ לְטוֹבָהּ וּפָּקְדֵנוּ בוֹ לִבְרָכָה וְהוֹשִׁיעֵנוּ בוֹ לְחַיִּים

ובְדְבַר יְשׁוּעָה וְרַחֲמִים חוּס וְחָבְּנוּ כִּי אֵלֶיךּ עֵינִינוּ כִּי אֵל מֶלֶךְ חַנּוּן וְרַחוּם אָתָה:

וְהַשִּׁיאֵנוּ יְיָ אֱלֹהִינוּ אֶת־בִּרְכַּת מוֹעֲדֶיךּ לְחַיִּים וּלְשָׁלוֹם לְשִׁמְחָה וּלְשָׁשׁוֹן כַּאֲשֶׁר רָצִיתָ וְאָמַרְתָּ לְבֶרְבֵנוּ: קַדְּשֵׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתִיךּ שִׁיִם חֶלְקֵנוּ בְּתוֹרָתֶךְ: שַׁבְּעֵנוּ מִטוּבֶךְ שַׁמְחֵנוּ בִּישׁוּעֵתֶךְ וְטַהֵר לִבֵּנוּ לְעָבְדְּךְ בָּאֶמֶת: וְהַנְחִילֵנוּ יְיָ אֱלֹהִינוּ בִּישׁוּעָתֶךְ וְטַהַר לִבֵּנוּ לְעָבְדְּךְ בָּאֶמֶת: וְהַנְּתִילֵנוּ יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ בְּשִׁמְחָה וּבְשָׁשׁוֹן [שַבָּת וּ] מוֹעֲדִי קְּדְשֵׁךְ: בְּעִקְהְוֹ אַתָּה יְיָ מְקַדְּשֵׁי שְׁמֶךְ: בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ מְקַדְּשֵׁי שְׁמֶך: בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ מְקַבְּים:

THANKS-AND PEACE

Be pleased with Your people Israel and listen to their prayers. GIVING In Your great mercy delight in us so that Your presence may rest upon Zion. Our eves look forward to Your return to Zion in mercy. Blessed are You God, ever restoring Your presence to Zion.

> We declare with gratitude that You are our God and the God of the generations before us. You are our Rock, the Rock of our life and the Shield that saves us. In every generation we thank You and recount Your praise for our lives held in Your hand, for our souls that are in Your care, and for the signs of Your presence that are with us every day. At every moment, at evening, morning and noon, we experience Your wonders and Your goodness. You are goodness itself, for Your mercy has no end. You are mercy itself, for Your love has no limit. Forever have we put our hope in You. And for all these things may Your name, our Sovereign, be blessed, exalted and honoured forever and ever. May every living being thank You; may they praise and bless Your great name in truth for You are the God who saves and helps us. Blessed are You God, known as goodness, whom it is right to praise.

> Set true peace upon Your people Israel forever. For You are the only source of peace, and in Your eyes it is good to bless Your people at every time and in every hour with Your peace. Blessed are You God, blessing Your people with peace.

At the conclusion of the Amidah, private prayers may be added.

MEDITATION

My God, keep my tongue from causing harm and my lips from telling lies. Let me be silent if people curse me, my soul still humble and at peace with all. Open my heart to Your teaching and give me the will to practise it. May the plans and schemes of those who seek my harm come to nothing. May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to You, O God, my Rock and my Redeemer.

May the Maker of peace in the highest bring this peace upon us and upon all Israel. Amen.

רצה יִיַ אֱלֹהֵינוּ בְּעַמְּךְ יִשְׂרָאֵלּ וְלְתִפְּלַתַם שָׁצַהּי וּבְרַחֲמֶיךּ הָרַבִּים תַּחִפּץ בָּנוּ וִתַשְׁרֵה שָׁכִינָתְךּ עַל צִיּוֹן. וַתָּחֵזִינָה עִינֵינוּ בִּשׁוּבָךּ לְצִיוֹן בַּרַחֲמִים בַּרוּךְ אַתַּה יִיַּי הַמַּחַזִיר שׁכינַתוֹ לציוֹן:

מוֹדִים אַנַחָנו לַךְ שֵׁאַתָּה הוּא יִיַ אֵלהֵינוּ וָאלהִי אֲבוֹתֵינוּ לְעוֹלֶם וָעֵד. צוֹרֶנוּ צוֹר חַיֵּינוּ וּמָגוְ יִשְׁעֵנוּ אַתַּה הוּא לְדוֹר וַדוֹר: נוֹדָה לְדְּ וּנְסָפֶּר תִּהְלַתֵּךְ עַל חַיֵּינוּ הַמְּסוּרִים בַּיַדְּדּּ ועל נשמותינו הפקודות לָך. ועל נְפֵיך שַבְּכֶל־יוֹם עְמָבוּ. ּוְעַל נִפְּלְאוֹתֶיךּ וְטוֹבוֹתֵיךּ שֶׁבְּכָל־עַת עֶׁרֶב וַבְקֶר וְצָהֲרֵים: הַטוֹב כִּי לֹא כָלוּ רַחֲמֵיך. הַמְרַחֵם כִּי לֹא תַמוּ חַסַדֵיך. כִּי מַעוֹלַם קוִינוּ לַךְ:

וְעַל כָּלָם יִתבָּרַך וִיתִרוֹמֵם וִיתִנַשֵּׂא תַּמִיד שִׁמְךּ מַלְבֵּנוּ לְעוֹלֶם וָעֶד: וְכָל־הַחַיִּים יוֹדְוּךְ מֶּלֶה. וִיהַלְלוּ וִיבֶּרְכוּ אַת־שִׁמְךּ הַגָּדוֹל בַּאֲמֶת הַאֵּל יִשׁוּעַתֵנוּ וְעָזְרַתֵנוּ מֵלַה: בַרוּךְ אַתַּה יִיַּ הַטוֹב שִׁמְךּ וּלְךְ נַאָה לְהוֹדוֹת:

שָׁלוֹם רָב עַל יִשְׂרָאֵל עַמְּךְ תַּשִּׁים לְעוֹלָם. כִּי אַתַה הוא מֶלֶךְ אָדוֹן לְכָל־הַשָּׁלוֹם. וְטוֹב בְּצִינֶיךְ לְבָרֵךְ אֶת־עַמְּךְ יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּכָל־צֵת וּבְכָל־שָׁצָה בִּשְׁלוֹמֶךְ: בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָּ. המברך את־עמו ישראל בשלום:

At the conclusion of the Amidah, private prayers may be added.

אַלהַי נִצוֹר לִשׁוֹנִי מַרַע. וְשִּׁפַתוֹתֵי מַדְבַּר מרמה. וְלִמְקַלְלֵי נַפְשִׁי תִדּוֹם. וְנַפְשִׁי בֶּעָפָר לַכּל תִהְיֶה: פְּתַח לְבִּי בְּתוֹרָתֶּךּ וְאַחֲרֵי מִצְוֹתֶיִּךְ תִּרְדּוֹףְ נַפְּשִׁיּ וְכָלֹיהַקָּמִים עֲלֵי לְרָעָה מְהַרָה הָפֵּר עֲצָתָם וְקַלְּקֵל מַחְשְׁבוֹתָם: יִהְיוּ לְרָצוֹן אִמְרֵי־פִיּ וְהָגְיוֹן לִבִּי לְפָּנֵיךּ יִהֹוָה צוּרִי וְגֹאֵלִי:

עַשֶּׁה שָׁלוֹם בַּמְרוֹמָיו הוא יַצַשֶּׁה שָׁלוֹם עַלֵּיבוּ ועל־כַּל־יִשְׁרָאֵלּ וָאָמָרוּ אַמַן:

SIMCHAT TORAH

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BUILDING THE KINGDOM OF

THE DUTY OF WISRAEL

It is our duty to praise the Ruler of all, to recognise the greatness of the Creator of first things, who has chosen us from all peoples by giving us Torah. Therefore we bend low and submit, and give thanks before the supreme Sovereign, the Holy One, whose name be blessed, who extends the limits of space and makes the world firm, whose glory extends through the universe beyond and whose strength into farthest space. This is our God, no other exists. Our ruler is truth; the rest is nothing. It is written in the Torah: 'Realise today and take it to heart: That God is Sovereign in the heavens above and on the earth beneath; no other exists.' (Deuteronomy 4:39).

THE HOPE FOR HUMANITY

Therefore, Almighty God, we put our hope in You. Soon let us witness the glory of Your power; when the worship of material things shall pass away from the earth, and prejudice and superstition shall at last be cut off; when the world will be set right by Your rule, and all humanity shall speak out in Your name, and all the wicked of the earth shall turn to You. Then all who inhabit this world shall meet in understanding, and shall know that to You alone each one shall submit, and pledge themselves in every tongue. In Your presence, Almighty God, they shall bow down and be humble, honouring the glory of Your being. All shall accept the duty of building Your kingdom, so that Your reign of goodness shall come soon and last forever. For Yours alone is the true kingdom, and only the glory of Your rule endures forever. So it is written in Your Torah: 'God shall rule forever and ever.' (Exodus 15:18)

So it is prophesied: 'God shall be Sovereign over all the earth. On that day God shall be One, and known as One.' (Zechariah 14:9)

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עָלֵינוּ לְשַׁבֵּחַ לַאֲדוֹן הַכּל לָתֵת גְּדָלָה לְיוֹצֵר בְּרֵאשִׁיתּ
אֲשֶׁר בְּחַר־בָּנוּ מִכְּל־הָעַמִּים ּ וְנְתַן־לֵנוּ אֶת־תּוֹרָתוֹּ וַאֲבְּחְנוּ
כַּרְעִים וּמִשְׁתַּחֲוִים וּמוֹדִים לִפְּנִי מֶלֶךְ מֵלְכֵי הַמְּלְכִים הַּקְּדוֹשׁ בָּרוּךְ הוּאּ שֶׁהוּא נוֹטֶה שָׁמֵיִם וְיוֹמֵד אֲרֶץ וּמוֹשֵׁב יְקָרוֹ בַּשְּמַיִם מִמְּעַל וּשְׁכִינַת עֲזוֹ בְּגָבְהֵי מְרוֹמִים: הוּא אֱלֹהִינוּ אֵין עוֹד. אֱמֶת מֵלְבֵּנוּ אֶפֶס זוּלָתוֹּ כַּכְּתוֹב בְּתוֹרַתוֹּ וְיָדַעְתָּ הַיּוֹם וַהְשֵּׁבֹתָ אֶל־לְבָבֶךְ כִּי יִיָ הוּא בְּתוֹרָתוֹ וְיָדַעְתָּ הַיִּוֹם וַהְשֵּׁבֹתָ אֶלִּלְבְבֶּךְ כִּי יִיִ הוּא הָאֵלהִים בַּשָּׁמִים מִמְּעַל וְעַל־הָאָרֶץ מִתְּחַת אֵין עוֹד:

עַל־כֵּן נְקַנָּה לְּךְ יְיָ אֱלֹהִינוּ לִרְאוֹת מְהַרָה בְּתִפְּאֶרֶת עָזֶדְּ לְהַעֲבִיר גּלוּלִים מֶן הָאֶרֶץ וְהָאֵלִילִים כָּרוֹת יִכְּרֵתוּן לְתַקֵּן עוֹלָם בְּמַלְכוּת שַׁדִּי וְכָל־בְּנֵי בָשָּׁר יִקְרְאוּ בִשְׁמֶּךּ לְהַפְּנוֹת עוֹלָם בְּמַלְכוּת שַׁדִּי וְכָל־בְּנֵי בָשָּׁר יִקְרְאוּ בִשְׁמֶדְ לְהַיְנוּ כִּי לְּדְּ אֵלְהִינוּ יִכְרְעוּ בְּל־יוֹשְׁבֵי תִבֵּל כִּי לְּדְּ אֵלֶיךְ כָּלְם אָת־עַל תְּכְרַע כָּל־בֶּרֶךְ תִּשְׁבִּע כָּל־לָשׁוֹן: לְפָּנֵיךְ יִיְ אֱלֹהִינוּ יִכְרְעוּ וְיִפְבְּלוּ כָלָם אָת־עַל וְיִבְּוּלוּ וְיִבְּלוּ כָלָם אָת־עַל מַלְכוּת מְלְדְּ וְעִלִּקְם וְעֻדּי כִּלְם אָתִרעַל שֵּלְךְ הִיא וּלְעוֹלְם וְעֵד. כִּלְם הָתִּרְבּ בְּתוֹרְתֶּךְ. וְנִיְלְבְּ לְעוֹלְם וְעֶד. בְּתוֹרְתְּךְ בְּיוֹם הָהוּא יִהְיָה יְהְנָה אָחָד וּשְׁמוֹ אָחָד: יִנְאֶבִר. וְהָיָה יְהֹוָה לְמֶלֶךְ בִּיוֹם הַהוּא יִהְיָה יְהֹיָה אָחָד וּשְׁמוֹ אָחָד:

SUKKOT

We remember all those who must wander the world and have no shelter. We think of the homeless and the refugees of all peoples, far and near, who never found their rest in this life. May we always help them find their home, as we pray for those who have gone to their eternal rest.

EVENING SERVICE

SIMCHAT

We remember all those who have handed down Torah TORAH throughout the generations so that it still is part of our lives today. And we think of all who have been our teachers and guides in life who have now gone to their eternal rest.

We remember in our heart those we have known and who no longer share this Festival with us.

Many have no mourners to remember them, and their names are lost beyond recall. But they are never forgotten by You. May this Kaddish be our memorial to them in this world. They have their reward in their place of rest, for You are faithful.

Let us magnify and let us sanctify in this world the great name of God whose will created it. May God's kingdom come in your lifetime, and in your days, and the lifetime of the family of Israel quickly and speedily may it come. Amen.

May the greatness of God's being be blessed from eternity to eternity.

Let us bless and let us extol, let us tell aloud and let us raise aloft, let us set on high and let us honour, let us exalt and let us praise the Holy One, whose name be blessed, who is far beyond any blessing or song, any honour or any consolation that can be spoken of in this world. Amen.

May great peace from heaven and the gift of life be granted to us and to all the family of Israel. Amen.

May the Maker of peace in the highest bring this peace upon us and upon all Israel. Amen.

One of the following:

We remember all those, Jew and Gentile alike, who helped their PESACH fellow creatures to freedom, who assisted the poor and persecuted, and have now gone to their eternal rest.

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We remember all those who have entered the covenant with God throughout the generations to become part of the people of Israel. SHAVUOT And we think of all those who have felt themselves to be part of the family of Israel, who have shared our fate, and have now gone to their eternal rest.

We remember in our heart those we have known and who no longer share this Festival with us.

Many have no mourners to remember them, and their names are lost beyond recall. But they are never forgotten by You. May this Kaddish be our memorial to them in this world. They have their reward in their place of rest, for You are faithful.

יִתְגַדַל וְיִתְקַדַשׁ שְׁמֵה רַבָּא בְּעָלְמָא דִּי־בְרָא כִרְעוּתֵהּ-וְיַמְלִיךְ מַלְכוּתָהּ בְּחַיֵּיכוֹן וּבְיוֹמֵיכוֹן וּבְחַיֵּי דִּי־כָל־בֵּית יִשְּׂרָאֵל בַּעֻנָלָא וּבִוְמַן קָרִיבּ וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן:

יהא שמה רבא מברך לעלם ולעלמי עלמיא.

יַתַבַּרָך וַיִשְׁתַבָּח וַיִתְפַּאָר וְיִתְרוֹמָם וְיִתְנַשָּא וִיִתְהַדַּר וִיתִעַלֵּה וִיתִהַלַל שָׁמֵה דִּי־קָדְשָׁא. בִּרִיךְ הוּא. מן־כַל־בַּרְכַתָּא וִשִּׁירָתָא תִּשְׁבַּחַתָּא וְנָחֲמַתָּא בעלמא. ואמרו אמן:

שַלַמַא רַבַּא מְן־שִׁמַיַא וְחַיִּים עַלֵּינוּ וְעַל־כַּל ישראל ואמרו אמן:

עשה שלום בּמְרוֹמָיו הוא יַעַשֵּׁה שָׁלוֹם ועל־כַל־ישראַל ואָמָרוּ אַמָן:

We praise the Living God, the One whom we adore who is outside the bounds of space and time; who is unique, alone and far beyond compare, outside all limitations we define; who has no human frame, no human shape or form, alone the source of holiness and awe. When not a single form appeared within the world God was the first where nothing was before. Such is the Sovereign power that rules the universe, each creature knows it lives in God's domain. But through a special grace the prophets learned God's will, those chosen ones who guide our journeying. No prophet has there been since Moses was our guide, who knew the Living God and came so close. God gave to Israel truth by which to lead their lives taught by the faithful prophet that God chose. God will never change the teaching we received nor ever put another in its place. God watches and can see the secrets in our hearts, before each deed foresees its final ways. Whoever loves good deeds rejoices in God's love but evil leads to evil that destroys. And at the end of days, an anointed one will come redeeming those who wait for God to save. Life beyond all death, God gives with greatest love. We bless for evermore Your glorious name.

May God's face shine upon you and be gracious to you. May God's face turn towards you and give you peace.

Festival Greetings:

Chag sameach

A joyful festival.

Moadim lesimchah

Seasons for joy.

Response:

Chagim uzmanim lesasson Festivals and times for gladness.

יִגְדַּל אֱלֹהִים חַי וְיִשְׁתַּבַּחּ נִמְצָא וְאֵין עֵת אֶל־מְצִיאוּתוֹ: אֶחָד וְאֵין יָחִיד כְּיִחוּדוֹּ נֶעְלָם וְגַם אֵין סוֹף לְאַחְדּוּתוֹ: אֵין לוֹ דְמוּת הַגּוּף וְאֵינוֹ גוּףּ לֹא נַעֲרוֹךְ אֵלָיו קְדָשְׁתוֹ: קַדְמוֹן לְכָל־דָּבָר אֲשֶׁר נִבְרָא רִאשׁוֹן וְאֵין רֵאשִׁית לְרֵאשִׁיתוֹ:

הָנּוֹ אֲדוֹן עוֹלֶם. לְכָל־נוֹצֶר יוֹרֶה גְדֻלָּתוֹ וִמִּלְכוּתוֹ:
שֶׁפַּע נְבוּאָתוֹ נְתָנוֹ אֶל־אַנְשֵׁי סְגֻלָּתוֹ וְתִפְּאַרְתּוֹ:
לֹא קָם בְּיִשְׂרָאֵל כְּמשֶׁה עוֹד נָבִיא. וּמַבִּיט אֶל־הְמוּנָתוֹ:
תּוֹרַת אֱמֶת נָתַן לְעֵמוֹ אֵל. עֵל יֵד נְבִיאוֹ נֶאֱמַן בִּיתוֹ:
לֹא יַחֲלִיף הָאֵל וְלֹא יָמִיר־דָּתוֹ לְעוֹלָמִים לְזוּלָתוֹ:
צוֹפֶה וְיוֹדֵעַ סְתָרֵינוּ. מַבִּיט לְסוֹף דְּבָר בְּקַדְמוּתוֹ:
גוֹמֵל לְאִישׁ חָסִיד בְּמִפְּעָלוֹ. נוֹתֵן לְרָשָׁע רָע בְּרִשְׁעָתוֹ:
יִשְׁלַח לְמֵץ יָמִים מְשִׁיחֵנוּ. לִפְּדּוֹת מְחַבֵּי מֵץ יְשׁוּעָתוֹ:
מִתִים יְחֵיֵה אֵל בְּרֹב חַסְדוֹ. בַּרוּךְ עֲדֵי עֵד שֵׁם תִּהְלַתוֹ:

יְבָרֶכְהְ יְיָ וְיִשְׁמְרֶהְּ יָאֵר יְיָ פָּנָיו אֵלֵיךְ וִיחֻנֶּךְ. יִשָּׂא יְיָ פָּנָיו אֵלֵיךְ וְיִשֵׁם לְךְ שָׁלוֹם:

Festival Greetings:

חג שמח מועדים לשמחה

Response:

חגים וזמנים לששון