

יְזוּר

MEMORIAL PRAYERS

The souls of the righteous are in the hands of God, and no harm shall touch them. In the eyes of the ignorant they appeared to die, and their going seemed to be their hurt. But they are at peace, and their hope is full of immortality. Their chastening was slight compared to the great good they shall receive. God has put them to the test and proved them worthy to be with God.

Wisdom of Solomon 3: 1-5

Eternal God, source of all being and fountain of life, what can we say to You, for You see and know all things. In Your wisdom You formed the universe and in Your love You provide for all Your creatures. What can we do but acknowledge Your power, accept Your gifts with gratitude, and according to Your will, give You back Your own.

Eternal God, source of all being, may the light of Your presence shine on us as we gather here, our hearts bowed down by the loss of _____ whom You have gathered to Yourself. Accept in Your great mercy the earthly life which has now ended and shelter with Your tender care this soul that is so precious to our hearts.

For a man

We thank You for all that was gentle and noble in his life. Through his name inspire us with strength and light. Help us to use our grief itself for acts of service and of love.

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God of our strength, in our weakness help us; in our sorrow comfort us; in our confusion guide us. Without You our lives are diminished; with You there is fullness of life for evermore.

May the words of our mouths and the meditations of our hearts be acceptable to You, God, our Rock and our Redeemer.

For a man

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whose presence is over us,
grant perfect rest beneath the
shelter of Your presence with
the holy and pure on high
who shine as the lights of
heaven, to _____ who
has gone to his everlasting
home. Source of mercy,
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of life. It is God who is his
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ונאמר אמן:

יִתְגַּדֵּל Let us magnify
and let us sanctify in this world
the great name of God
whose will created it.
May God's reign come in your
lifetime, and in your days,
and in 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 is blessed,

who is far beyond any blessing or
song,

During the Ten Days of Penitence:
who is far above and beyond any
blessing

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

and upon all the world.

Amen.

יִתְגַּדֵּל וְיִתְקַדֵּשׁ שְׁמֵהּ רַבָּא (אָמֵן)
בְּעָלְמָא דִּי-בְרָא כְרַעוּתָהּ: וְיִמְלִיךְ
מְלְכוּתָהּ

בְּחַיֵּיכוּן וּבְיוֹמֵיכוּן
וּבְחַיֵּי דִי-כָּל-בֵּית יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּעָגְלָא
וּבְזַמַּן קָרִיב.
וְאָמְרוּ אָמֵן:

יְהֵא שְׁמֵהּ רַבָּא מְבָרַךְ
לְעָלְמָא וּלְעָלְמֵי עָלְמַיָּא:
יְתְּבָרַךְ וְיִשְׁתַּבַּח וְיִתְפָּאֵר וְיִתְרוֹמֵם
וְיִתְנַשֵּׂא וְיִתְהַדָּר וְיִתְעַלֶּה וְיִתְהַלָּל
שְׁמֵהּ דִּי-קְדֻשָּׁא.
בְּרִיךְ הוּא.

לְעָלְמָא מִן-כָּל-בְּרַכְתָּא

During the Ten Days of Penitence:

לְעָלְמָא לְעָלְמָא מְכָל-בְּרַכְתָּא וְשִׁירְתָּא
תְּשַׁבַּחְתָּא וְנַחֲמַתָּא דִּי-אָמִירָן
בְּעָלְמָא.

וְאָמְרוּ אָמֵן:

יְהֵא שְׁלָמָא רַבָּא מִן שְׁמַיָּא
וְחַיִּים עָלֵינוּ וְעַל-כָּל-יִשְׂרָאֵל. וְאָמְרוּ
אָמֵן:

עֲשֵׂה שְׁלוֹם בְּמִרוֹמָיו
הוּא יַעֲשֵׂה שְׁלוֹם
עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל-יִשְׂרָאֵל
וְעַל-כָּל-הָעוֹלָם.

וְאָמְרוּ אָמֵן:

יְתַגַּדֵּל *Yitgaddal v'yitkaddash sh'meih rabba (amen),*

b'alma di v'ra chiruteih,

v'yamlich malchuteih

b'chayyeichon uv'yomeichon

uv'chayyei di chol beit yisra'el

ba'agala u'vizman kariv,

*v'imru **amen.***

Y'hei sh'meih rabba m'varach

l'alam ul'almei almaya.

Yitbarach v'yishtabbach v'yitpa'ar

v'yitromam v'yitnassei v'yit-haddar

v'yit'alleh v'yit-hallal

sh'meih di kudsha,

b'rich hu,

l'eilla min kol birchata

During the Ten Days of Penitence:

l'eilla l'eilla mikol birchata

v'shirata tushb'chata v'nechemata

di amiran b'alma,

*v'imru **amen.***

Y'hei sh'lama rabba min sh'maya,

v'chayyim aleinu v'al kol yisra'el,

*v'imru **amen.***

Oseh shalom bimromav

hu ya'aseh shalom

aleinu v'al kol yisra'el,

v'al kol ha-olam,

*v'imru **amen.***