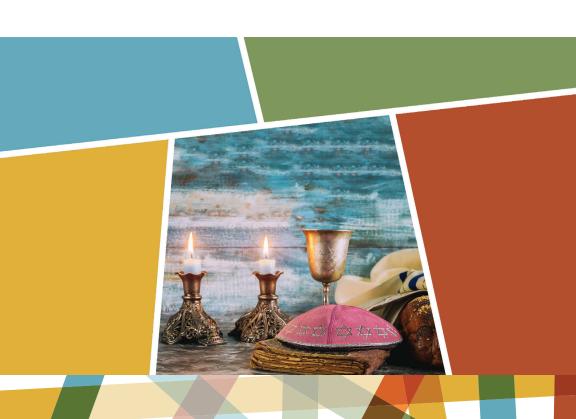


# **Judaism Your Way**

# **Shabbat and Havdalah Siddur**



# Shabbat Shalom Your presence is a blessing!

We are so grateful to gather with you to bring in Shabbat, our weekly moment to reset, recharge and connect with your soul, your loved ones, and the Divine.

At Judaism Your Way, we're an open tent, embracing everyone who seeks connection to Jewish Life. Whether this is your first or your hundredth time participating in Jewish space, we welcome you exactly as you are, with only love and appreciation, and without judgment. We invite you to embrace this present moment by dropping your shoulders, loosening your jaw, opening your heart and taking a deep, cleansing breath.

Welcome to this space and this moment!

Many of us struggle with the dominant metaphor of the Divine in our culture: God is some sort of ruling, male entity. If you resonate with this struggle, you are not alone! Fortunately, Judaism contains a multitude of ways to refer to that Divine Source with an array of alternative metaphors like: Havayah - Being and Becoming, Yah - Breath of Life, Shechinah - God's feminine essence literally meaning Dwelling, Creator, Rock, Oneness, That Which has no Name, just to name a few. You will encounter these metaphors throughout this siddur and we hope that you find one or a few that you feel connected with. You can experiment and step beyond what you may be most familiar with! Many translations were edited to include various names for the Divine.

Our services are designed to help everyone feel included and offer short teachings/intentions or kavanot to deepen learning and understanding of the prayers and blessings included in Shabbat liturgy.

Feel free to connect to our services in whatever way feels good for you: sing along, sign along, hum, dance, move, close your eyes, listen, cry, mourn, smile, and enjoy.

May our services uplift your soul and help you connect deeply to the essence of Shabbat: K'dushah - holiness or literally, separation from the mundane, M'nuchah - rest and rejuvenation, and Oneg - pleasure and enjoyment.

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# **Gratitude and Appreciation for Our Beloveds**

Rabbi Caryn Aviv

We welcome and appreciate all our loved ones and allies who share in building Jewish life together. Thank you for loving Jewish people as partners, family members, and friends. Thank you for standing by Jewish people, especially when we feel scared about our safety, worth, and belonging in an uncertain world. Thank you for walking with us to raise children with Jewish culture in a world where that's not always easy. We see you. We value your presence. We appreciate all the gifts you bring to our families and communities. May you feel blessed in this space.

# 1. Opening Nigun (Wordless Melody) of the Month

Yai lai lai...

# 2. Or shel Shabbat / Light of Shabbat

Author Unknown

I lift a match to the candles Watching as the flame catches; The brightness of yellow and blue; A flicker of heat in the air.

As the fire dances with shadows on the wall, The stress in my body eases Releasing the burdens that have Seeped into my core.

My neck lightens as my shoulders calm; My spine flexes with more ease; My heart slows to a languid pace Gratefully surrendering to the peace of the seventh day.

The Sabbath has arrived.

I no longer need effort to relax on this holy day. My eyes see the lights As my voice chants the prayers, And my body responds. My mind instantly stops, Ceasing its hectic path of have-to's, Reveling in this restoration of stillness So lacking in the previous days.

The grace of a dedicated separation Between the mundane and the sacred, Prescribed by the Divine's compassion, Restores my soul's tranquility.

The Sabbath has arrived.

# 3. Shabbat Candle Blessing

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ רוּחַ הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קִדְשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל שָׁבַּת.

Baruch atah Adonai Eloheinu ruach ha'olam asher kidshanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu l'hadlik ner shel Shabbat.

בְּרוּכָה אַתְּ שְׁכִינָה אֱלֹתֵינוּ רוּחַ הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קִדַשְׁתַנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתֶיהָ וְצִוְתָנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל שַׁבָּת.

B'ruchah at Sh'chinah Eloteinu Ruach ha'olam asher kidashtanu b'mitzvoteha v'tzivtanu l'hadlik ner shel Shabbat.

Blessed are You, Source of Light, Spirit of the world, bringing holiness to our lives through the lights of Shabbat.

# **4. Created in Your Image / A Blessing for Inclusion** *Gabrielle Ariella Kaplan-Meyer*

Makor HaHayim,
Source of Life,
You created human beings in your image,
B'tzelem Flohim.

Each one of us a unique creation– genetic material that holds a neshamah a soul that is pure. Our bodies and our minds are different and diverse creations– Full of strengths and vulnerabilities, talents, challenges, abilities, struggles.

Some of us born into our bodies needing help to move, to see, to hear, to talk, to eat.

Some of us will take our bodies and minds for granted until they change with age... reminding us that there are times when we all need support.

The human body is a vessel that we can see—but deeper, what is constant and in common among us all is the unseen—the souls that you have placed within us.

Makor HaHayim, Source of Life, Help us to encounter one another

as that pure soul created in Your image; that we see ourselves and one another as *B'tzelem Elohim*.

# **Warming Up Our Souls**

#### 5. Shalom Aleichem

Translation edited by Dan Yolles

Shalom aleichem malachei hashareit malachei elyon. Mimelech malachei ham'lachim Hakadosh baruch hu.

Bo-achem l'shalom malachei hashalom malachei elyon Mimelech malachei ham'lachim Hakadosh baruch hu.

Barchuni l'shalom malachei hashalom malachei elyon Mimelech malachei ham'lachim Hakadosh baruch hu.

Tzeitchem l'shalom malachei hashalom malachei elyon Mimelech malachei ham'lachim Hakadosh baruch hu. שָׁלוֹם עֲלֵיכֶם מַלְאֲכֵי הַשָּׁרֵת מַלְאֲכֵי עָלְיוֹן מִמֶּלֶךְ מַלְכֵי הַמְּלָכִים הַקָּדוֹשׁ בָּרוּךְ הוּא

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Come in peace, messengers of peace, messengers of the Most High. Messengers of the Holy One, Blessed be the Source.

Bless me with peace, messengers of peace, messengers of the Most High.

Messengers of the Holy One, Blessed be the Source.

Go in peace, messengers of peace, messengers of the Most High. Messengers of the Holy One, Blessed be the Source.

#### 6. Hinei Mah Tov / Psalm 133:1

ֹהְנֵּה מַה־טוֹב וּמַה־נָּעִים שֶׁבֶת אַחִים גַּם־יָחַד:

Hinei mah tov umah naim, shevet achim gam yachad.(x10)

How good it is for sisters, brothers, and siblings to be here together.

#### One Love

English Lyrics: Bob Marley, mashup by Hal Aqua and Reb Jack Gabriel

One Love, One Heart, let's get together and feel alright.

Talking 'bout One, One Love, One Heart, give thanks and praise to the One and we will feel alright, singing, let's get together and feel alright.

#### **Brothers and Sisters**

English words/music by Nefesh Mountain

Yai dai dai dai...

We come from a tale told long ago, Passed on by the waves and the wind, We've made it this far together you know, Come brothers and sisters let's sing

Chorus
Hinei mah tov umah naim,
shevet achim gam yachad (x4)

Come gather 'round and hear the song,
If you're the wandering kind
You can make it alone but just so you know,
We leave no one behind
Our mothers and fathers who've weathered the storms,
Grew strong through the trials of their times,
So we brothers and sisters, I'dor vador
Carry on with this song in our lives

#### Chorus

We'll sing out this song for years to come, In a story without an end, For how good it is to be among, Our family, siblings and friends

Chorus

#### 7. Y'did Nefesh

Translation by Gabe Seed, edited by Dan Yolles

Y'did nefesh, Av harachaman, M'shoch Avd'ach El rtzonach. Yarutz avdach k'mo ayal, Yishtachaveh mul hadarach. Ki yerav lo y'didutach, Minofet tsuf v'chol ta'am.

Hadur naeh ziv ha'olam,
Nafshi cholat ahavatach.
Ana El na r'fa na lah,
B'harot lah noam zivach,
Az titchazeik v'titrapei,
V'haytah lach shifchat olam.

Vatik yehemu rachamecha
V'chus na al ben ohavach.
Ki zeh kamah nichsof nichsaf,
Lir'ot b'tiferet uzach.
Anah Eyli, machmad libi,
Chushah nah v'al titalam.

Higaleh nah uf'ros chaviv alai, Et sukkat shelomach Tair eretz mikevodach, Nagilah v'nismechah bach. Maher ahuv, ki va moed, v'choneni kimei olam. יְדִיד נֶפֶשׁ, אָב הָרַחְמָן, מְשֹׁךְ עַבְדָּךְ אֶל רְצוֹנָךְ, יִרוּץ עַבְדָךְ כְּמוֹ אַיָל, יִשְתַחֲוֶה מוּל הֲדָרָךְ כִּי יֶעְרַב לוֹ יְדִידוּתָךְ מִנּפֶת צוּף וְכָל טָעַם

הָדוּר, נָאָה, זִיו הָעוֹלָם נַפְשִי חוֹלַת אַהֲבָתָך אָנָּא אֵל נָא, רְפָא נָא לָהּ בְּהַרְאוֹת לָהּ נֹעַם זִינָךְּ אָז תִּתְחַזֵּק וְתִתְרַפֵּא וְהָיְתָה לָךְ שִׁפְחַת עוֹלָם

ָּוֹתִיקּ, יֶהֱמוּ רַחֲמֶיךּ וְחוּס נָא עַל בֵּן אוֹהֲבָךּ כִּי זֶה כָּמֶה נִכְסוֹף נִכְסִף לִרְאוֹת בְּתִפְאֶרֶת עֻזָּךְ אָנָא אֵלִי, מַחְמָד לִבִּי חוּסָה נָּא, וְאַל תִּתְעַלָּם

הָגֶלֵה נָא וּפְרוֹשׂ, חֲבִיב עָלֵי אֶת סֻכָּת שְׁלוֹמָך תָּאִיר אֶרֶץ מִכְּבוֹדֶךְ נָגִילָה וְנִשְׂמְחָה בָּךְ מַהֵר אָהוּב, כִּי בָא מוֹעֵד וְחָנֵנִי כִּימֵי עוֹלָם Lover of my soul, merciful One, bring your servant close to Your will. Your servant will run like a gazelle to prostrate before Your glory. For Your companionship is purer than any fine taste or flavor.

Perfect, pleasing, radiance of the world, my soul desires Your love. Please, God, heal her now, as You show her the pleasantness of Your light. Now, strengthen and heal her, and she will be for You an eternal servant.

Ancient one, many your mercies be made manifest, And have compassion on the child of Your lover. For it is so long that I have faithfully waited, to see the glory of Your strength. Please, my God, the desire of my Heart, hurry and do not hide!

Please, my beloved, reveal yourself and spread over me the shelter of Your peace. Fill the world with the light of your glory, so that we may rejoice and be happy in You. Be quick, my lover, for the time has come, and have mercy on me for all time.

# 8. Psalm 95:1-3 / L'Chu N'ran'nah

L'chu n'ran'nah IAdonai,לְכוּ נְרַנְנָה לַיִּינָNariah I'tzur yisheinu.נַרִיעָה לְצוּר יִשְׁעֵנוּ.N'kadmah fanav b'todah,בְּקְמָה פָנָיו בְּתוֹדָהbizmirot naria Io.בִּזְמָרוֹת נָרִיעַ לוֹ.

Ki El gadol Adonai/Havayah פָּי אֵל גָּדוֹל יְיָ umelech gadol al kol Elohim. װֶּמֶלֶךְ גָּדוֹל עַל כָּל אֱלֹהִים.

O come, let us sing unto the Source; let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before the Divine presence with thanksgiving, let us shout for joy unto our Creator with psalms. For Adonai is a great God, and a great power above all others.

### 9. Psalm 96:1-2 / Shiru Ladonai

Shiru lAadonai shir chadash; שִׁירוּ לַיהוּה, שִׁיר חָדָשׁ;
Shiru lAadonai kol ha'aretz. בְּשִׂרוּ לַיהוּה, בָּרְכוּ שְׁמוֹ;
Shiru lAadonai barechu shemo; שִׁירוּ לַיהוּה, בַּרְכוּ שְׁמוֹ;
bas'ru miyom leyom yeshuato.

O sing unto Yah a new song; sing unto Yah, all the earth. Sing unto Yah, bless the name of the Source; proclaim our Creator's salvation from day to day.

# 10. Psalm 97:11 / Or Zarua

Or zarua latzadik, אוֹר זָרֶע לַצַּדִּיק; אוֹר זָרֶע לַצַּדִּיק; ווּלְיִשְׁרֵי-לֵב שִׂמְחָה

Light is sown for the righteous, radiance for the upright!

# 11. Psalm 98:5, 8 / Zamru, Yiram Hayam

זַמְרוּ לַיהוה בְּכִנּוֹר; בְּכִנּוֹר, וְקוֹל זִמְרָה.

Zam'ru lAdonai b'chinor, b'chinor v'kol zimrah.

Sing praise to the Divine with the lyre, with the lyre and melodious song.

יִרְעַם הַיָּם, וּמְלֹאוֹ; תַּבֵל, וְיֹשְבֵי בָהּ. נָהָרוֹת יִמְחֲאוּ-כָף; יַחַד, הָרִים יְרַנֵּנוּ.

Yiram hayam umlo'o, teiveil v'yosh'vei vah. N'harot yimcha'u-chaf, yachad harim y'raneinu.

Let the sea and all within it thunder, the world and its inhabitants; let the rivers clap their hands, the mountains sing joyously together.

#### 12. Psalm 99:9 / Rom'mu

Rom'mu Havayah Eloheinu, V'hishtachavu l'har kodsho. רוֹמְמוּ, הֲנָיָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ, וְהִשְׁתַּחֲוּ, לְהַר קָדְשׁוֹ.

Exalt the Source our God, and bow toward God's holy hill, for Yah our God is holy!

# 13. Psalm 29:1-3 / Mizmor L'David

Mizmor l'david:

Havu lAdonai, b'nei eilim,

havu IAdonai kavod va'oz.

Havu lAdonai k'vod sh'mo,

hishtachavu lAdonai

b'hadrat kodesh.

Kol Adonai al hamayim,

El hakavod hirim

Adonai al mayim rabim.

מִזְמוֹר, לְדָוִד:

ָהָבוּ לַיהוָה, בְּנֵי אֵלִים;

ָהָבוּ לַיהוָה, כָּבוֹד וָעֹז.

ָהָבוּ לַיהוָה, כְּבוֹד שְׁמוֹ;

ָהִשְׁתַּחֲווּ לַיהנָה,

בְּהַדְרַת-קֹדֶשׁ.

קוֹל יְהוָה, עַל-הַמָּיִם:

אַל-הַכָּבוֹד הַרְעִים

יְהוָה עַל-מַיִם רַבִּים.

A psalm of David. Ascribe to Yah, O divine beings, ascribe to the Creator glory and strength. Ascribe to Yah the glory of the Divine name; bow down to the Source, majestic in holiness. The voice of the Divine is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the Creator, over the mighty waters.

# 14. L'chah Dodi (Verses 1, 2, 5, 9)

# L'chah dodi likrat kalah, p'nei Shabbat n'kab'lah!

Shamor v'zachor b'dibur echad, Hishmianu el ha'm'yuchad. Adonai echad ushmo echad; L'shem ul'tiferet v'lit'hilah.

Likrat Shabbat I'chu v'neil'cha Ki hi m'kor hab'rachah Meirosh mikedem n'suchah Sof ma'aseh b'machashavah t'chilah

Hitor'ri, hitor'ri, Ki va oreich, kumi ori. Uri, uri, shir dabeiri; K'vod Adonai alayich niglah

(rise and face the entrance):

Bo'i v'shalom, ateret balah, Gam b'simchah uv'tzoholah. Toch emunei am segulah; Bo'i chalah, bo'i chalah.

# לְכָה דוֹדִי לִקְרָאת כִּלָּה. פְּנֵי שִׁבָּת נְקַבְּלָה

שָׁמוֹר וְזָכוֹר בְּדִבּוּר אֶחָד, הִשְּמִיעֵנוּ אֵל הַמְּיֻחָד ה' אֶחָד וּשְמוֹ אֶחָד. לְשֵׁם וּלְתִפְאֶרֶת וְלִתְהִלָּה

לִקְרַאת שַׁבָּת לְכוּ וְנֵלְכָה, כִּי הִיא מְקוֹר הַבְּּרָכָה מֵרֹאשׁ מִקֶּדֶם נְסוּכָה סוֹף מַעֲשֶׂה בְּמַחֲשָׁבָה תְּחִלָּה

> הָתְעוֹרְרִי הִתְעוֹרְרִי. כִּי בָא אוֹרֵךְ קוּמִי אְוֹרִי עְוּרִי עְוּרִי שִׁיר דַבֵּרִי. כְבוֹד ה' עָלַיִרְ נִגְלָה

בְּוֹאִי בְשָׁלוֹם עֲטֶרֶת בַּעְלָהּ. גַּם בְּשִׂמְחָה וּבְצֶהֱלָה תּוֹךְ אֱמוּנֵי עַם סְגֻּלָּה. בִּוֹאִי כִלָּה, בְּוֹאִי כִלָּה Come, my friend, to meet the Beloved; let us welcome Shabbat!

"Observe" and "Remember," in a single word. The Divine One announced to us. Oneness, named One, for fame, for glory and for praise.

Toward Shabbat, come hurry, she has every blessing's taste, for that is the source, from which to bless. From the beginning, chosen before time, last made, the first in mind.

Wake up, wake up, Your light has come, rise and shine. Awaken, awaken; sing a melody, The glory of the Divine to be revealed upon thee.

Come in peace, crown of the Divine, come with joy and cheerfulness; amidst the faithful of our people come O bride; come, O Beloved...

### 15. Psalm 92 / Mizmor Shir

A Psalm, a Song for the Sabbath day: It's good to give thanks to the Divine, and to sing praises to the Name, to the Beyond; to declare Divine lovingkindness in the morning, and Divine faithfulness in the night seasons.

ַמָה-גָּדְלוּ מַעֲשֶׂיךּ יְהוָה מְאֹד עָמְקוּ מַחְשְׁבֹּתֶיךָ.

Ma-gadlu ma'asecha Yah, m'od amku machsh'votecha.

How great are Your works, Creator, how very subtle Your designs.

# Sh'ma and her Blessings: Entering Community and Oneness

#### 16. Barchu

בָּרְכוּ אֶת יהוה הַמְבֹרָך: בָּרוּךְ יהוה הַמְבֹרָךְ לְעוֹלֶם וָעֶד:

Bar'chu et Adonai/Havayah ham'vorach. Baruch Adonai ham'vorach l'olam va'ed.

Bless the Infinite, the Blessed One. Blessed is the Infinite, the Blessed One, now and for all time.

#### Am I Awake

Am I awake? Am I prepared? Are you listening to my prayer? Can you hear my voice? Can you understand? Am I awake? Am I prepared?

#### **One Voice**

The Wailin' Jennys

This is the sound of one voice.
One spirit. One voice.
The sound of one who makes a choice.
This is the sound of one voice.

This is the sound of voices two.
The sound of me singing with you.
Helping each other to make it through.
This is the sound of voices two.

This is the sound of voices three. Singing together in harmony. Surrendering to the mystery. This is the sound of voices three. This is the sound of all of us.
Singing with love and the will to trust.
Leave the rest behind, it will turn to dust.
This is the sound of all of us.

This is the sound of one voice. One people, one voice. A song for every one of us. This is the sound of one voice.

#### 17. Ma'ariv Aravim

Baruch atah Adonai Eloheinu Ruach ha'olam,
Asher bidvaro ma'ariv aravim:
B'chochmah potei'ach sh'arim
Uvit'vunah m'shaneh itim
umachalif et haz'manim,
um'sadeir et hakochavim
b'mishm'roteihem barakia
kirtzono.

Borei yom valailah, goleil or mipnei choshech, v'choshech mipnei or. Uma'avir yom umeivi lailah, umavdil bein yom uvein lailah, Adonai Tz'vaot sh'mo.

El chai v'kayam,
tamid yimloch aleinu
l'olam va'ed.
Baruch atah, Adonai,
hama'ariy arayim.

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ רוּחַ הָעוֹלֶם אֲשֶׁר בִּדְבָרוֹ מַעֲרִים וּבִתְבוּנָה מְשַׁנֶּה עִתִּים וּמַחֲלִיף אֶת הַזֹּמֵנִּים וּמְשָׁמְרוֹתֵיהֶם בָּרָקִיע כְּרְצוֹנוֹ:

בּוֹרֵא יוֹם וָלֵיְלָה גּוֹלֵל אוֹר מִפְּנֵי חְשֶׁךְ וְחְשֶׁךְ מִפְּנֵי אוֹר: וּמִעֲבִיר יוֹם וּמֵבִיא לֵיְלָה וּמִבְדִּיל בֵּין יוֹם וּבֵין לֵיְלָה יִי צְבָאוֹת שְׁמוֹ:

> אֵל חַי וְקַיָּם תָּמִיד יִמְלוֹךְ עָלֵינוּ לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד: בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ הַמַּעֵרִיב עַרָבִים:

We praise You, Yah. By Your command, pleasant evenings appear. With good judgment, You open gates to new awareness.

You vary the seasons... Setting the sky's light as You adjust the times to conform to their appointed tasks. You create day and night. You make for dawn and dusk. Now the day is over, and you bring on the night.

You give us discernment, to know the difference between day and night.

Source of Diversity is Your Name.

Oh! Living, Present God, may You always govern our lives. Baruch atah Yah, ha-ma'ariv aravim.

# Alternative Ma'ariv Reading / The Moon Sings to the Stream Lea Goldberg

I am the unity on high,
I am the multiple in the pond,
Looking up to me from the stream
My image, my double.
I am the truth on high,
I am the fabrication in the pond
Looking up to me from the stream
My image, in its fated deception.
Above - I am enwrapped in silence,
Whispering, singing, in the pond.
On high I am divine,
In the stream, I am the prayer.

#### 18. Ahavat Olam

Ahavat olam, beit Yisrael Am'cha ahavta. Torah umitzvot chukim umishpatim otanu limad'ta. אַהֲבַת עוֹלָם בֵּית יִשְׂרָאֵל עַמְּךּ אָהַבְתָּ תּוֹרָה וּמִצְוֹת חֻקִּים וּמִשְׁפָּטִים אוֹתָנוּ לִמַּדְתָּ

Baruch atah Adonai/Havayah, oheiv amo Yisrael. בָּרוּך אַתָּה יְהנָה אוֹהֵב עַמּוֹ יִשְׂרָאֵל Eternal love for Your people, House of Yisrael, Holy teachings and mitzvot, and guidelines have You taught us. Blessed are you, Source of life, who loves the souls of this existence.

#### 19. Sh'ma

Sh'ma Yisrael
Adonai Eloheinu Adonai echad
Baruch shem k'vod malchuto
l'olam va'ed.

שְׁמֵע יִשְׂרָאֵל יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ יהוה אֶחָד: בָּרוּךְ שֵׁם כְּבוֹד מַלְכוּתוֹ לעוֹלם ועד:

Listen, those who dance with the Divine, the Source of our being is one! Blessed is the Presence whose splendor shines through all time and space.

# **20. V'Ahavta / And You Will Love / Deuteronomy 6:5-9** *Translation by Rabbi Brian Field*

וְאָהַבְתָּ אֵת יְהוָה אֱלֹהֶיךּ בְּכָל־לְבֵבְךָּ וּבְכָל־נַפְשְׁךָ וּבְכָל־ מְאֹדֶךּ: וְהִיּוּ הִדְּבָרִים הָאֵׁלֶּה אֲשֶׁר אֵנֹכִי מְצִוּךְּ הַיָּוֹם עַל־לְבָבֵך: וְשִׁנַּנְתָּם לְבָנֶיךּ וִדִבַּרְתָּ בָּם בְּשִׁבְתְּךָ בְּבֵיתֶׁרְ וּבְלֶכְתְּךָ בַּדֶּרֶרְ עִינֶיך: וּכְתַבְתָּם עַל־מְזֻּוֹת בֵּיתָךְ וּבִשְׁעַרֶיךּ:

V'ahavta et Adonai Elohecha b'chol l'vav'cha uv'chol nafsh'cha uv'chol m'odecha. V'hayu had'varim ha'eileh asher anochi m'tzav'cha hayom al l'vavecha. V'shinantam l'vanecha v'dibarta bam b'shivt'cha b'veitecha uv'lecht'cha vaderech uv'shoch'b'cha uv'kumecha. Uk'shartam l'ot al yadecha v'hayu l'totafot bein einecha. Uchtavtam al m'zuzot beitecha uvisharecha.

When you love with your whole heart, your whole being and all that you do, these teachings cannot help but connect your heart today to your interactions with your children and in all the ways that you rest and move, dream and wake. Therefore create practices to remind you to dedicate to love all you do with your hands, and conceive with your mind, bringing special awareness to the boundaries of your homes, communities and imaginations.

#### 21. Mi Chamochah

Mi chamochah ba'eilim Adonai! Mi kamochah nedar bakodesh Nora t'hilot, oseih fele! מִי כָמֹכָה בָּאֵלִים יְיָ מִי כָּמֹכָה נֶאדָר בַּקֹדֶש נוֹרָא תְהִלֹּת עֹשֵׂה פֶּלֶא

Who is like You, Source of Life, dressed with holiness, awesome in splendor, doing wonders!

# 22. Hashkiveinu

'Let It Be' lyrics by Lennon/McCartney

שָׁלוֹם, שָׁלוֹם הַשְׁכִּיבֵנוּ יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ לְשָׁלוֹם וָהָעֲמִידֵנוּ שׁוֹמָרֵנוּ לְחַיִּים

> וּשְמֹר צֵאתֵנוּ וּבֹאֵנוּ לְחַיִּים וּלְשָׁלוֹם מֵעַתָּה וְעַד עוֹלָם

Shalom, Shalom (x4)
Hashkiveinu Adonai,
Eloheinu l'shalom
V'ha'amideinu shomreinu l'chayim (x2)
Ushmor tzeiteinu uvo-einu
L'chayim ul'shalom mei'atah v'ad olam

When I find myself in times of trouble, HaSh'chinah comes to me Speaking words of wisdom, let it be And in my hour of darkness she is standing right in front of me Speaking words of wisdom, let it be

Let it be, let it be, let it be Whisper words of wisdom, let it be

And when the brokenhearted people living in the world agree There will be an answer, let it be For though they may be parted, there is still a chance that they will see There will be an answer, let it be

Let it be, let it be, let it be, let it be There will be an answer, let it be

Let it be, let it be, let it be Whisper words of wisdom, let it be

Translation: Cause us to lie down, Divine Source, in peace; and raise us up, our Protector of life. Guard us in our goings and comings, for life, and peace, for now and forever more.

# 23. Keeping Kabbalat Shabbat

Suzanne Zabrinsky

We do not celebrate Shabbat, We receive it. As it was that very first time, Creator has blessed us with a holy day

We open our hearts, our minds, our beings, To accept the gift that is Shabbat. It is a covenant between our people and our Creator; We keep Shabbat, and Shabbat keeps us.

It is a day of returning to our roots, For reconnecting with our Source. A time to pray, and to study, To learn, and to rest.

Each week on this holy day We turn our vision inward. We seek out the still, small, voice, Which is the Divine calling to us.

The Torah speaks of the heaven and the earth, The sky and the land. Yet the Eternal lives in none of these places... Yah, lives within each of us.

And so on each Shabbat As we welcome the Shechina's return, We are asked to contemplate righteousness, To see that we have failed to behave righteously.

We remember the words of Ray Hillel who said:

"That which Is hateful to you, do not do to your fellow! That is the whole Torah; the rest is interpretation."

On this and every Shabbat, Let us all go forth into the world Speaking truth, doing good, And practicing Tikkun Olam

We can truly embrace Shabbat By becoming more humane, Learning to appreciate our differences, And honoring our promise to The One.

#### 24. V'Shamru V'nei Yisrael

V'shamru v'nei Yisrael et haShabbat La'asot et haShabat l'dorotam b'rit olam. וְשָׁמְרוּ בְנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶת הַשִּׁבָּת, לַעֲשׂוֹת אֶת הַשַּׁבָּת לְדֹרֹתָם בְּרִית עוֹלָם.

Beini uvein b'nei Yisrael, Ot hi l'olam, בֵּינִי וּבֵן בְּנֵי יִשׂרָאֵל אוֹת הִיא לְעֹלָם.

Ki sheishet yamim asah Adonai Et hashamayim v'et ha'aretz, כִּי שֵׁשֶׁת יָמִים עָשָׂה יהוה אֶת הַשָּׁמִיִם וְאֶת הָאֶרֶץ,

Uvayom hash'vi'i Shavat vayinafash. וּבַיּוֹם הַשְּׁבִיעִי שָׁבַת וַיִּנָּפַשׁ.

And the children of Israel will keep Shabbat Make Shabbat in all generations,
As an everlasting covenant.
It will forever be a sign,
Between Me and the children of Israel
That for six days the Source laboured
Over the heavens and the Earth,
And on the seventh day,
The Source rested and was refreshed.

# T'filah: Personal Prayer and Reflection

#### 25. Amidah

#### **Seven Breath Meditation**

Siddur Ha-Kohanot, A Hebrew Priestess Prayerbook

Breathing in, I take breath into myself. Breathing out, I join the web of being.

Breathing in, I rest in the present. Breathing out, I am part of past and future.

Breathing in, I honor the shrine of my body. Breathing out, I honor the shrine of the cosmos.

Breathing in, Presence fills me. Breathing out, Presence enfolds me.

Breathing in, I witness what's broken. Breathing out, I bow to what is perfect.

Breathing in, I offer gratitude for what is. Breathing out, I accept all that changes.

Breathing in, I pray for peace for myself. Breathing out, I pray for peace for all beings.

### Adonai S'fatai

Yai lai lai...

Adonai, s'fatai tiftach U'fi yagid tehilatecha אֲדֹנָי שְׂפָתַי תִּפְתָּח וּפִי יַגִּיד תְּהִלֶּתֶךְ

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

# Alternate Adonai S'fatai Reading

Rabbi Emily Stern

Adonai, s'fatai tiftach U'fi yaqid tehilatecha

Adonai, open up my lips So my mouth can speak Your praises. Open up my ears So my heart can appreciate Your words.

Shaddai, open up my eyes So I can behold Your glory.

El Elyon, open up my back So what's beyond my knowledge can feel You.

Ruakh, open up my mind So my soul can experience Your love.

Shekhinah, let me be present to You inside me.

Ha Kol, open me up to include Your wholeness So I can serve All.

Blessed are you, Holy One, for expanding my awareness So L can know Shalom

You may continue with your own silent prayer and meditation, engage with the full Shabbat Amidah below or there are a couple Amidah poems and readings.

If you are standing, please be seated when you are finished.

#### **Shabbat Amidah**

#### **Avot v'Imahot: Ancestors**

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ וֵאלֹהֵי אֲבוֹתֵינוּ וְאִמוֹתֵינוּ, אֱלֹהֵי אַבְרָהָם, אֱלֹהֵי יִצְחָק, וֵאלֹהֵי יַעֲקֹב, אֱלֹהֵי שָׂרָה, אֱלֹהֵי רִבְקָה, אֱלֹהֵי רָחֵל וֵאלֹהֵי לֵאָה. הָאֵל הַגָּדוֹל הַגִּבּוֹר וְהַנּוֹרָא, אֵל עֶלְיוֹן, גּוֹמֵל חֲסָדִים טוֹבִים, וְקוֹנֵה הַכֹּל, וְזוֹכֵר חַסְדֵי אָבוֹת וְאִמָּהוֹת, וּמֵבִיא גִאֻלָּה לִבְנֵי בְנֵיהֶם לְמַעַן שְׁמוֹ בִּאַהֲבָה

מֶלֶךְ עוֹזֵר וּמוֹשֵׁיעַ וּמָגֵן. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יהוה, מָגֵן אַבְרָהָם וְעֶזְרַת שַׂרַה.

Baruch atah Adonai, Eloheinu vElohei avoteinu v'imoteinu. Elohei Avraham, Elohei Yitzchak, Elohei Ya'akov, Elohei Sarah, Elohei Rivkah, Elohei Rachel, vElohei Leah. Ha'El hagadol hagibor v'hanora, El elyon, gomeil chasadim tovim, v'koneh hakol, v'zocheir chasdei avot v'imahot, umeivi g'ulah livnei v'neihem l'ma'an sh'mo b'ahavah. Melech ozeir umoshia umagein. Baruch atah Adonai, magein Avraham v'ezrat Sarah.

### G'vurot: The Power of the Sacred

אַתָּה גִּבּוֹר לְעוֹלָם אֲדֹנַי, רַב לְהוֹשִׁיעַ. מַשִּׁיב הָרְוֹחַ וּמוֹרִיד הַגֵּשֶׂם (winter) מוֹרִיד הַטָּל (summer)

מְכַלכֵּל חַיִּים בְּחֶסֶד, מְחַיֵּה הכֹּל בְּרַחֲמִים רַבִּים, סוֹמֵך נוֹפְלִים וְרוֹפֵא חוֹלִים וּמִטִּיר אֲסוּרִים וּמְקַיֵם אֱמוּנָתוֹ לִישׁנֵי עָפָר. מִי כָמוֹךְ בִּעַל גְּבוּרוֹת וּמִי דּוֹמֶה לָךְּ, מֶלֶךְ מֵמִית וּמְחַיֶּה וּמַצְמִיחַ יְשׁוּעָה. וְנָאֱמָן אַתָּה לְהַחֲיוֹת הכֹּל. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יהוה, מְחַיֵּה הכֹּל.

Atah gibor l'olam Adonai, rav l'hoshia. (Winter) Mashiv haruach umorid hagashem (Summer) Morid hatal M'chalkeil chayim b'chesed. M'chayei hakol b'rachamim rabim, someich noflim v'rofei cholim umatir asurim, um'kayeim emunato lisheinei afar. Mi chamochah ba'al g'vurot umi domeh lach, melech meimit um'chayei umatzmiach y'shuah. V'ne'eman atah l'hachayot hakol. Baruch atah Adonai, m'chayeih hakol.

#### K'dushah: Holiness

אַתָּה קָדוֹשׁ וְשִׁמְךּ קָדוֹשׁ וּקְדוֹשִׁים בְּכָל־יוֹם יְהַלְלוּךּ סֶּלָה. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוָה הָאֵל הַקָּדוֹשׁ:

Atah kadosh v'shimcha kadosh uk'doshim b'chol yom y'hal'lucha, selah. Baruch atah Adonai, ha'El hakadosh.

# K'dushat HaYom: This Holy Day

אַתָּה קִדִּשְׁתָּ אֶת יוֹם הַשְּׁבִיעִי לִשְׁמֶךּ. תַּכְלִית מַעֲשֵׂה שָׁמַיִם וָאָרֶץ. וּבַרַכְתּוֹ מִכָּל הַיָּמִים. וְקִדִּשְׁתּוֹ מִכָּל הַזְּמַנִּים וְכֵן כָּתוּב בְּתוֹרָתֶךּ: וַיְכֻלוּ הַשָּׁמִיִם וְהָאָרֶץ וְכָל־צְבָאָם: וַיְכַל אֱלֹהִים בִּיּוֹם הַשְּׁבִיעִי מְלַאכְתּוֹ אֲשֶׁר עָשָׂה. וַיִּשְׁבֹּת בִּיּוֹם הַשְּׁבִיעִי מִכָּל־ מְלַאכְתּוֹ אֲשֶׁר עָשָׂה: וַיְבָרֶךְ אֱלֹהִים אֶת־יוֹם הַשְּׁבִיעִי וַיְקַדֵּשׁ אֹתוֹ. כִּי בוֹ שָׁבַת מִכָּל־מְלַאכְתּוֹ אֲשֶׁר־בָּרָא אֱלֹהִים לַעֲשׁוֹת:

Atah kidashta et yom hashvi'i lishmecha, tachlit ma'aseih shamayim va'aretz. Uveirachto mikol hayamim, v'kidashto mikol haz'manim, v'chein katuv b'Toratecha: Vay'chulu hashamayim v'ha'aretz v'chol tz'vaam. Vay'chal Elohim bayom hashvi'i m'lachto asher asah, vayishbot bayom hashvi'i mikol m'lachto asher asah. Vay'varech Elohim et yom hashvi'i vay'kadeish oto, ki vo shavat mikol m'lachto asher bara Elohim la'asot.

אֶלהֵינוּ וֵאלֹהֵי אֲבוֹתֵינוּ וְאִמוֹתֵינוּ רְצֵה בִמְנוּחָתֵנוּ. קַדְשֵׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתֶיךּ וְתֵן חֶלְקֵנוּ בְּתוֹרָתֶךּ שַׂבְּעֵנוּ מִטּוּבֶךּ. וְשַׂמְחֵנוּ בִּישׁוּעָתֶךּ. וְטָהֵר לִבֵּנוּ לְעָבְדְּךּ בָּאֱמֶת. וְהַנְחִילֵנוּ יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ בְּאַהְבָה וּבְרָצוֹן שַׁבַּת קָדְשֶׁךּ. וְיָנוּחוּ בָהּ יִשְׂרָאֵל מְקַדְשׁי שְׁמֶךְ. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוֹּה מְקַדֵּשׁ הַשַּׁבָּת: Eloheinu vElohei avoteinu v'imoteinu, r'tzeih vim'nuchateinu. Kad'sheinu b'mitzvotecha v'tein chelkeinu b'Toratecha. Sabeinu mituvecha, v'samcheinu biy'shuatecha, v'taheir libeinu l'ovd'cha be'emet, v'hanchileinu Adonai Eloheinu b'ahavah uv'ratzon Shabbat kodshecha, v'yanuchu vah Yisrael m'kadshei sh'mecha. Baruch atah, Adonai, m'kadeish HaShabbat.

# **Avodah: Prayerful Service**

ְרָצֵה יְהנָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ בְּעַמְּךּ יִשְׂרָאֵל וּבִתְפִלָּתָם וְהָשֵׁב אֶת הָעֲבוֹדָה לִדְבִיר בִּיתֶךּ וּתְפִלָּתָם בְּאַהֲבָה תְקַבֵּל בְּרָצוֹן וּתְהִי לְרָצוֹן תָּמִיד עֲבוֹדַת יִשְׂרָאֵל עַמֶּך:

R'tzei, Adonai Eloheinu, b'amcha Yisrael, uvit'filatam v'hasheiv et ha'avodah ledvir beitecha ut'filatam b'ahavah t'kabeil b'ratzon ut'hi l'ratzon tamid avodat Yisrael amecha.

וְתֶחֶזֶינָה עֵינֵינוּ בְּשׁוּבְךָ לְצִיּוֹן בְּרַחֲמִים: בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוָה הִמּחֵזיר שׁכינתוֹ לִציּוֹן:

V'techezenah eineinu b'shuv'cha l'Tzion b'rachamim. Baruch atah, Adonai, hamachazir Shechinato l'Tzion.

# **Hoda'ah: Giving Thanks**

מוֹדִים אֲנַחְנוּ לֶךְ שָׁאַתָּה הוּא יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ וֵאלֹהֵי אֲבוֹתֵינוּ וְאִמוֹתֵינוּ לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד צוּר חַיֵּינוּ מָגֵן יִשְׁעֵנוּ אַתָּה הוּא לְדוֹר וָדוֹר נוֹדֶה לְךְּ וּנְסַפֵּר תְּהִלֶּתֶךְ עַל־חַיֵּינוּ הַמְּסוּרִים בְּיָדֶךְ וְעַל נִשְׁמוֹתֵינוּ הַפְּקוּדוֹת לָךְ וְעַל נָסֶיךְ שֶׁבְּכָל יוֹם עִמָּנוּ וְעַל נִפְלְאוֹתֶיךְ וְטוֹבוֹתֶיךְ שֶׁבְּכָל עֵת עֶרֶב וָבֹקֶר וְצָהֶרִיִם הַטוֹב כִּי לֹא כָלוּ רַחֲמֶיךְ וְהַמְרַחֵם כִּי לֹא תַמּוּ חֲסָדֶיךְ מֵעוֹלָם קִוִּינוּ לָךְ:

Modim anachnu lach, sha'atah hu Adonai Eloheinu vElohei avoteinu v'imoteinu l'olam va'ed. Tzur chayeinu, magen yisheinu, atah hu l'dor vador. Nodeh l'cha un'sapeir t'hilatecha. Al chayeinu ham'surim b'yadecha, v'al nishmoteinu hap'kudot lach, v'al nisecha sheb'chol yom imanu, v'al niflotecha v'tovotecha sheb'chol eit, erev vavoker v'tzohorayim. Hatov ki lo chalu rachamecha, v'ham'racheim ki lo tamu chasadecha, mei'olam kivinu lach.

# ּוְעַל־כֻּלָם יִתְבָּרַךְ וְיִתְרוֹמַם שִׁמְךָ מַלְכֵּנוּ תָּמִיד לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד:

V'al kulam yitbarach v'yitromam shimcha, Malkeinu, tamid l'olam va'ed.

וְכֹל הַחַיִּים יוֹדוּךּ סֶּלָה וִיהַלְלוּ אֶת־שִׁמְךּ בֶּאֱמֶת הָאֵל יְשׁוּעָתֵנוּ וְעֶזְרָתֵנוּ סֶלָה: בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוָה הַטוֹב שִׁמְךְ וּלְךְ נָאֶה לְהוֹדוֹת:

V'chol hachayim yoducha selah, viy'hal'lu et shimcha be'emet, Ha-El y'shuateinu v'ezrateinu selah. Baruch atah, Adonai, hatov shimcha ul'cha na-eh l'hodot.

#### **Shalom: Peace & Wholeness**

שָׁלוֹם רָב עַל יִשְׂרָאֵל עַמְּךְ תָּשִׂים לְעוֹלָם כִּי אַתָּה הוּא מֶלֶךְ אָדוֹן לְכָל־הַשָּׁלוֹם וְטוֹב בְּעֵינֶיךְ לְבָרֵךְ אֶת־עַמְּךְ יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּכָל־ עַת וּבְכָל־שָׁעָה בִּשְׁלוֹמֶךְ. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוָה הַמְבָרֵךְ אֶת־עַמּוֹ יִשְׂרָאֵל בַּשָּׁלוֹם:

Shalom rav al Yisrael amcha tasim l'olam, ki atah hu Melech Adon l'chol hashalom. V'tov b'einecha l'vareich et amcha Yisrael b'chol eit uv'chol sha'ah bish'lomecha. Baruch atah, Adonai, ham'yareich et amo Yisrael bashalom.

#### A Sewn Amida

Lisa Lynn Vendeland

Each stitch is a name, a voice, a memory, a mitzvah of old; Each stitch connects them with me and me with mine, Each stitch securing us in the fabric of life. Each stitch, Holy, Holy; Each stitch calling the Angels, who call to more, "Come see the Holy One praised in the stitches."

Each stitch piecing together a picture of where the next stitch will lead.
Each stitch turning back and forth; stopping where it is meant to be.
Each stitch no matter how small, how loosened, can be repaired. Each stitch releasing stitches that have bound, separating instead of joining.

Each stitch repairing the body, the heart, the spirit; finding holes needing repair.

Each stitch placed in its proper time and place; sustaining the woven web.

Each stitch drawing the scattered fabrics in to the whole.

Each stitch loyal to the ones before it, judging its place in relationship to the pattern,

Each stitch making humble those that would damage the weave.

Each stitch connecting to the East, free of oppression and fear.

Each stitch counts, as if it were the only one; the finished piece depending only on it.

Each stitch a prayer, a call;

Each stitch placed with joy to serve the Holy One. Each stitch placed in thanksgiving for the miracle of its existence in the construction, Each stitch a moment in a time of peace, a time of beauty, a time that touches, Each stitch.

Amen

connecting all other stitches to the hand of the tailor.

### Modim

Cathleen Cohen

We practice giving thanks as You knit together dusk, dawn and afternoon, filling them with miracles: with light and sparkling dark, with voice and touch through winding paths of our desires, ups and downs, peaks and troughs.

Our days move like sea waves, sound waves, electrical heart pulses.
We swim among wonders and pause to pray
Your compassion won't leave us,
Your mercy won't cease.

#### 26. Oseh Shalom

עוֹשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם בִּמְרוֹמָיו, הוּא יַעֲשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם עָלֵיְנוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל וְעַל כֹּל יוֹשׁבֵי תֵבֵל וְאִמְרוּ: אָמֵן.

Oseh shalom bimromav hu ya'aseh shalom aleinu v'al kol Yisrael v'al kol yoshvei teiveil, v'imru, Amen

May the one who creates peace on high bring peace to us and to all Israel and all beings. And we say: Amen.

# Healing the Body, Mind, and Soul

#### 27. Mi Shebeirach

Mi shebeirach avoteinu, m'kor hab'rachah l'imoteinu מִי שֶׁבֵּרָךְ אַבוֹתֵינוּ מְקוֹר הַבְּרָכָה לְאִמוֹתֵינוּ.

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.

Mi shebeirach imoteinu, m'kor habrachah l'avoteinu

Bless those in need of healing with refuah sh'leimah, the renewal of body, the renewal of spirit. And let us say: Amen.

### 28. Tree of Life Healing Prayer

Nefesh Mountain

O sweet Spirit, hear my prayer Help these words heal someone out there I am but a voice, just a cry in the air But I sing, nonetheless, in this pain we share.

O sweet friends, come and dry your eyes And hold each other by this Tree of Life I'm angry and tired of this great divide But I sing, nonetheless, with love on our side.

Ana El na refa na la (x4) (Translation: Please God heal her now)

O sweet souls who feel broken now We'll heal together, somewhere, somehow Time and again, we have been let down But we sing, nonetheless, still whole and still proud.

Ana El na refa na la (x4)

O sweet Spirit, hear our prayer, And help these words, Heal someone out there.

Translation: Please, Source of Life, heal her/him/us/them now.

# Aleinu: Committing to Making a Better World

# 29. Vahasheivota / You shall return / Deuteronomy 4:39; Zechariah 14:9

Rabbi Shir Yaakov

וֹהֲשֵׁבֹתָ אֶל לְבָבֶרְ, כִּי הֲוָיָה הוּא הָאֱלֹהִים: וְנֶאֱמַר וְהָיָה יהוֹה לְמֶלֶךְ עַל כָּל הָאָרֶץ. בַּיוֹם הַהוּא יִהְיָה יהוֹה אֶחָד וּשְׁמוֹ אֶחָד:

Vahasheivota (repeat)
El l'vavecha (repeat)
Ki Havayah (repeat)
Hu ha-Elohim (repeat).
V'ne'emar: V'hayah Adonai l'melech al kol ha'aretz.
Bayom hahu yihyeh Adonai echad ush'mo echad.

You shall return to your hearts, for Being and Becoming is the Source. With reverence and thanksgiving we accept our destiny the day on which all will be one.

# It is Upon Us

Trisha Arlin

It is upon us to repair the broken places.

It is upon us to face the truth no matter how difficult. It is upon us to see that justice is complex and not always easy. It is upon us to know when we have choices, and to make them.

It is upon us to understand that our prayers are holy conversations.

It is upon us to be mindful and to take our spirituality seriously. It is upon us to hold more than one idea of God in our heads at any given time.

It is upon us to enjoy our bodies without shame. It is upon us to listen when others say no, and when they say yes. It is upon us to have fun and to spread it around. יִתְגַדֵּל וְיִתְקַדַּשׁ שְׁמֵהּ רַבָּא בְּעַלְמָא דִּי בְרָא כִרְעוּתֵיהּ, וְיַמְלִיךְ מַלְכוּתֵיהּ בְּחַיֵּיכוֹן וּבְיוֹמֵיכוֹן וּבְחַיֵּי דְכָל בֵּית יִשְׂרָאֵל. בַּעֲגָלָא וּבִזְמַן קָרִיב וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן:

יָהֵא שְׁמֵהּ רַבָּא מְבָרַךּ לְעָלַם וּלְעָלְמֵי עָלְמַיָּא: יִתְבָּרַךּ וְיִשְׁתַּבַּח וְיִתְפָּאַר וְיִתְרוֹמַם וְיִתְנַשֵּׂא וְיִתְהַדָּר וְיִתְעַלֶּה וְיִתְהַלָּל שְׁמֵהּ דְּקָדְשָׁא בְּרִיךְ הוּא לְעֵלָּא מִן כָּל בִּרְכָתָא וְשִׁירָתָא תַּשְׁבְּחָתָא וְנֶחֱמָתָא, דַּאֲמִירָן בְּעָלְמָא, וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן:

יָהֵא שְׁלָמָא רַבָּא מִן שְׁמַיָּא וְחַיִּים עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל, וְאִמְרוּ: אָמֵן.

עֹשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם בִּמְרוֹמָיו, הוּא יַעֲשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם עָלֵיְנוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל, וְאִמְרוּ : אָמֵן.

Yitgadal v'yitkadash sh'meih raba — b'alma di vra chiruteih v'yamlich malchuteih, b'chayeichon uv'yomeichon uv'chayei d'chol beit Yisrael, ba'agala uvizman kariv, v'imru: **Amen.** 

# Y'hei sh'meih raba m'varach l'alam ul'almei almaya.

Yitbarach v'yishtabach v'yitpa'ar v'yitromam v'yitnasei, v'yit'hadar v'yitaleh v'yit-halal sh'meih d'kud'sha **b'rich hu**, l'eila min kol birchata v'shirata, tushb'chata v'nechemata, da'amiran bealma, v'imru: **Amen**.

Y'hei sh'lama raba min sh'maya, v'chayim aleinu v'al kol Yisrael. V'imru: **Amen**.

Oseh shalom bimromav, hu ya'aseh shalom aleinu, v'al kol Yisrael. V'imru: **Amen**.

#### **Alternative Translation**

Rabbi Daniel Brenner

Make the God-name big. Big and holy.
Do it in this world, this creation, sprung from consciousness, and bring some order to this.
Do it fast, in the days ahead.
Everybody join with me:
May the Name be blessed, forever and ever.

Yes, blessed! Blessed, sung out, shouted, honored, this holy blessed name. The name is beyond any song, poem or comforting words we could ever speak.

Everybody say: That's the truth!

May peace descend for all our peoples, for all beings, and let everybody say: May it be true!

Make that peace in the heavens, great One who creates wholeness.

Everybody say: Amen. May it be true!

### **Shabbat Blessings**

#### 31. Kiddush/Motzi

בָרוּך אַתָּה יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם בּוֹרֵא פְּרִי הַגָּפֶן:

Baruch atah Adonai Eloheinu melech ha'olam borei p'ri hagafen.

בְּרוּכָה אַתְּ שְׁכִינָה אֱלֹתֵינוּ רוּחַ הָעוֹלָם בוּרֵאת פְּרִי הַגָּפֶן:

B'ruchah at Sh'chinah Eloteinu Ruach ha'olam, boreit p'ri hagafen.

Blessed are You and all those who bring forth the fruit of the vine.

בָרוּך אַתָּה יהוה אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם הַמוֹצִיא לֶחֶם מִן הָאָרֶץ:

Baruch atah Adonai Eloheinu melech ha'olam hamotzi lechem min ha'aretz.

בְּרוּכָה אַתְּ שְׁכִינָה אֱלֹתֵינוּ רוּחַ הָעוֹלָם הַמוֹצִיאָה לֶחֶם מִן הָאָרֵץ:

B'ruchah at Sh'chinah Eloteinu Ruach ha'olam, hamotziah lechem min ha'aretz.

Blessed are you, Source of abundance, bringing forth bread from the earth.

# **Closing Songs**

#### 32. Adon Olam

Adon olam, asher malach, b'terem kol y'tzir nivra. L'eit na'asah v'cheftzo kol, azai melech sh'mo nikra.

V'acharei kichlot hakol, I'vado yimloch nora. V'hu hayah, v'hu hoveh, v'hu yih'yeh b'tifarah.

V'hu echad, v'ein sheni I'hamshil lo, l'hachbirah. B'li reishit, b'li tachlit, v'lo ha'oz v'hamisrah.

V'hu Eli, v'chai go'ali, v'tzur chevli b'eit tzarah. V'hu nisi umanos li, m'nat kosi b'yom ekra.

B'yado afkid ruchi b'eit ishan v'a'irah. V'im ruchi g'viyati, Adonai li v'lo ira. אֲדוֹן עוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר מָלַךּ, בְּטֶרֶם כָּל יְצִיר נִבְרָא. לְעֵת נַעֲשָׂה בְחֶפְצוֹ כֹּל, אֲזִי מֶלֶךְ שְׁמוֹ נִקְרָא.

וְאַחֲרֵי כָּכְלוֹת הַכַּל, לְבַדּוֹ יִמְלוֹךְ נוֹרָא. וְהוּא הָיָה, וְהוּא הֹנֶה, וְהוּא יִהְיֶה, בְּתִפְאָרָה.

וְהוּא אֶחָד וְאֵין שֵׁנִי, לְהַמְשִׁיל לוֹ לְהַחְבִּירָה. בְּלִי רֵאשִׁית בְּלִי תַכְלִית, וְלוֹ הָעֹז וְהַמִּשְׂרָה.

וְהוּא אֵלִי וְחֵי גֹּאֲלִי, וְצוּר חֶבְלִי בְּעֵת צָרָה. הוּא נִסִּי וּמָנוֹס לִי, מַנַת כּוֹסִי בִּיוֹם אֵקְרָא.

> בְּיָדוֹ אַפְקִיד רוּחִי, בְּעֵת אִישַׁן וְאָעִירָה. וְעָם רוּחִי גְּוִיָּתִי, יָיָ לִי וְלֹא אִירָא.

The Divine Presence of the Universe who reigned before anything was created.
When all was made by that power
The Source was acknowledged as Power.

And when all ends The Divine still all alone will exist. Being was, Being is, and Being will be in glory.

And Being is One, and there's no other, to compare or join Being and Becoming. Without beginning, without end and to Being belongs existence and power.

And Being is my God, my living God. to Yah I flee in time of grief, and the Divine is my miracle and my refuge, who answers the day I call.

To Being and Becoming I commit my spirit, in the time of sleep and awakening, even if my spirit leaves, Yah is with(in) me, I will not be afraid.

### 33. Olam Chesed

Olam chesed yibaneh yai dai dai (x4) עוֹלָם חֶסֶד יִבָּנֶה

I will build this world from love...yai dai dai And you must build this world from love...yai dai dai And if we build this world from love...yai dai dai Then Yah will build this world from love...yai dai dai

#### 34. Od Yavo

Od yavo shalom aleinu (x3); V'al kulam עוֹד יָבוֹא שָלוֹם עַלֵינוּ וְעַל כוּלָם!

Salaam, aleinu v'al kol ha'olam; סָלַאם, עַלֵינוּ וְעַל כּל הַעוֹּלָם Salaam, salaam,

Shalom, aleinu v'al kol ha'olam; Shalom, shalom

Bring peace to us and everyone, peace to us and the entire world.

# 35. One Day

Matisyahu

Sometimes I lay under the moon, and I thank God I'm breathin' Then I pray don't take me soon, 'cause I am here for a reason

Sometimes in my tears I drown, but I never let it get me down So when negativity surrounds, I know someday it'll all turn around because

All my life I been waitin' for, I been prayin' for, for the people to say
That we don't want to fight no more, there'll be no more wars, and our children will play

One day, one day (2x)

It's not about win or lose
'Cause they all lose when they feed on
The souls of the innocent
Blood drenched pavement
Keep on moving though the waters stay ragin'

In this maze, You can lose your way, your way It might drive you crazy But don't let it faze you no way, no way!

All my life I been waitin' for, I been prayin' for, for the people to say
That we don't want to fight no more, there'll be no more wars, and our children will play

One day, one day, one day (2x)

One day this all will change, treat people the same, stop with the violence, down with the hate

One day we'll all be free and proud to be under the same sun, singing songs of freedom like

Wayohhhhh! Wayoh oh oh oh (x2)

All my life I been waitin' for, I been prayin' for, for the people to say
That we don't want to fight no more, there'll be no more wars, and our children will play
One day, one day, one day (2x)

#### 36. Oseh Shalom

Oseh Shalom, bimromav Hu ya'aseh shalom Aleinu v'al kol Yisrael V'imru Amen (x2) עוֹשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם בִּמְרוֹמִיוּ, הוּא יַעֲשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם עָלֵיְנוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל וְאִמְרוּ: אָמֵן.

Grant us peace, grant us peace For every weary heart that beats find a moment of relief Grant us peace

May the one who creates peace on high bring peace to us and to all Israel and all beings. And we say: Amen.

# Havdalah: Saying Goodbye to Shabbat Welcome!

We are so grateful you are here to join us for Havdalah, a beautiful, weekly ritual where we say goodbye to Shabbat, our holy day of rest, rejuvenation and reconnection, and welcome in the coming week! The intention of this ritual is for us to take a bit of the spirit and life-spark we acquired on Shabbat and infuse it into the coming week, so we feel energized and motivated to be the best versions of ourselves as we move through the 'mundane.'

This ritual is one that enlivens the senses available to us, so we invite you to take a deep, wholesome breath and open your heart to aligning your available senses to the various elements of Havdalah.

You are welcome to sing, sign, hum, breathe, dance, sit and/or do whatever your body and soul needs at this moment to prepare yourself for entering into the new week ahead.

#### **Opening Niggun**

Yai lai lai...

#### La-Yhudim / Esther 8:16

The Jews of old had light, and happiness and joy and love — may it be so for us!

#### **A Separation**

Reb Debra Smith

Eternal One of Blessing:
The weekly time of separation is here.
We reach out to hold You close a bit lo

We reach out to hold You close a bit longer.

As we step away, we also reach out.

We draw You near.

Stay with us a little while longer.

Your fragrance, Your brilliant glow, Your sweet delights:

Reminders of who we can be, of where we can go...

Separation: a time of missed opportunities.

Separation: a time of new possibilities.

As the Shabbat flames flicker and die,

The light of each soul glows steady.

A heart renewed, a life reborn.

# Lo Yisa Goy / Isaiah 2

Aaayyy ohhhh, ohhhh aaayyy

Lo yisa goy el goy cherev lo yilm'du od milchamah. לא יִשָּׂא גוֹי אֶל גוֹי חֶרֶב לא יִלְמְדוּ עוֹד מִלְחָמָה Don't walk in front of me I may not follow, Don't walk behind me I may not lead Just walk in front of me and be my friend And together we will walk in the path of Yah

Translation: No nation shall lift a sword, nor shall they learn war any longer

### **Havdalah Blessings**

Rabbi Rachel Barenblat

A ritual, such as Havdalah, creates a spiritual change while it is taking place. I love Havdalah because it's the second bookend, the close parenthesis, which balances the ritual of making Shabbat in the first place. I love Havdalah because, even without all the extra teachings and interpretations we can lay on top of it, it works. It makes a difference. Spending five minutes in a darkened room holding that braided candle aloft, making these blessings, breathing in the sweet spices, and then plunging the candle into the wine -- it does something. You can feel the change in the energy of the room. Something has ended and something else has begun.

# **Blessing over Wine**

Wine is a symbol of the sweetness of Shabbat. The glass of wine that we use symbolizes our wish for the blessings of Shabbat to flow into the coming week.

Baruch atah, Adonai, Eloheinu melech ha'olam, borei p'ri hagafen.

We bless the Source of delight, for creating the fruit of the vine.

# **Blessing over Spices**

The spices are used to replenish and refresh our soul as our 'extra soul' we acquire on Shabbat departs our presence. We enter the coming week feeling refreshed and refocused by the fragrance of havdalah.

# בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ, אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֱלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, בּוֹרֵא מִינֵי בְשָׂמִים

Baruch atah, Adonai, Eloheinu melech ha'olam, borei minei v'samim.

We bless Life Unfolding, for creating fragrant spices and smells.

## **Blessing over the Havdalah Candle**

With the braided candle, we are twisting the energy of holiness, peace and pleasure we experienced and acquired on Shabbat into the new week, reminding us to not let our inner light go extinguished from the business of life and responsibilities.

Baruch atah, Adonai, Eloheinu melech ha'olam, borei m'orei ha'eish.

We bless the Source of radiant illumination, for creating the light of fire.

### Blessing to say goodbye to Shabbat time

The sound of the candle sizzling out from the wine and going from light to dark marks the moment Shabbat has left us, so we can go about our week, strive to accomplish our goals and tasks at hand, and await Shabbat's arrival next week.

Baruch atah, Adonai, Eloheinu melech ha'olam, hamavdil bein kodesh l'chol.

We bless Being and Becoming, for creating the distinction between the sacred and the ordinary in time and space.

#### After the Ritual

Some people dip their fingers in the wine and dab their fingers on their eyes or eyebrows - to be able to see things more clearly, with wisdom, and from multiple points of view.

Shavua Tov (x8)

A good week, a week of peace, may gladness reign and joy increase. (repeat twice)

# Eliyahu Hanavi

אקיבו במוחבו
אֵלִיָּהוּ הַתִּשְׁבִּי
אֵלְיָהוּ אֵלְיָהוּ
אֵלִיָּהוּ הַגִּלְעָדִי
בִּמְהֵרָה בְּיַמֵנוּ
יָבוֹא אֵלֵינוּ
עם מָשִׁיחַ בֶּן דָּוִד.

Elijah the prophet, Elijah the Tishbite, Elijah the Gileadite. May he soon in our days come to us, with the anointed son of David.

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