KABBALAT SHABBAT - קבלת שבת

Hinei Mah Tov - هنا מה טוב

Hinei Mah Tov U'Mah Na-im, Shevet Achim Gam Yachad.

How good and how pleasant it is that brothers and sisters dwell together.

Mah Gadlu-Hal'luyah - מהגדוול-הלליה

Mah Gadlu Maasecha Adonai, M'od Amku Machsh'votecha. Hal'luyah.

How great are Your works, Adonai, how very profound Your designs! Hal'luyah.

Blessing over the Shabbat Candles - ברוך נרות שבת

As these Shabbat candles give light to all who behold them, so may we, by our lives, give light to all those who behold us.
As their brightness reminds us of the generations of Israel who have kindled light, so may we, in our own day, be among those who kindle light.

Baruch Atah Adonai Eloheinu Melech HaOlam, Asher Kidshanu B'Mitzvotav V'Tzivanu, L'hadlik Ner Shel Shabbat.

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the Universe, who makes us holy with commandments, and commands us to kindle the lights of Shabbat.
Kiddush

The heaven and the earth were finished, and all their array. On the seventh day God finished the work that God had been doing, and God ceased on the seventh day from all the work that God had done. And God blessed the seventh day and declared it holy, because on it God ceased from all the work of creation that God had done.

ברוך אתה עַסְךָ בְּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ וּבְבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ כְּבַר נַעַר וּבֶשְׂמָהְךָ,c

Baruch Ata Adonai, Eloheinu Melech HaOlam, Boreh P’ri HaGafen.
Baruch Atah Adonai, Eloheinu Melech HaOlam, Asher Kidshanu B’Mitzvotav V’Ratza Vanu.

Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the Universe, Creator of the fruit of the vine. Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the Universe, who made us holy with commandments, took pleasure in us, and with love and favor, gave us the holy Shabbat as a heritage, a remembrance of Creation. For that day is primary among our sacred days, a reminder of the Exodus from Egypt. For you chose us and sanctified us from among all the nations. And your holy Shabbat, with love and favor, did you give to us as a heritage. Blessed are You, Adonai, who makes holy the Shabbat day.
Shalom Aleichem

שלום עליכם

שָׁלוֹם עֲלֵּיכֶם מַלְאֲכֵּי הַשָּׁרֵּּר

שָׁלוֹם עֲלֵּיכֶם מַלְאֲכֵּי הַעֶלְיוֹן

שָׁלוֹם עֲלֵּיכֶם מִמְמֶלֶךְ מַלְכֵּי הַמְלָכִים הַקָדוֹשׁ בָּרוּךְ הוּא.

Shalom Aleichem, Malachei HaShareit, Malachei Elyon, MiMelech Mal’chei Hamlachim, HaKadosh Baruch Hu.

Bo-achem L’Shalom, Malachei HaShalom, Malachei Elyon, MiMelech Mal’chei Hamlachim, HaKadosh Baruch Hu.

Bar’chuni L’Shalom, Malachei HaShalom, Malachei Elyon, MiMelech Mal’chei Hamlachim, HaKadosh Baruch Hu.

Tzeit’chem L’Shalom, Malachei HaShalom, Malachei Elyon, MiMelech Mal’chei Hamlachim, HaKadosh Baruch Hu.

Peace be to you, O ministering angels, messengers of the Most High, Majesty of Majesties, Holy One of Blessing.

Enter in peace, O messengers of peace, messengers of the Most High, Majesty of Majesties, Holy One of Blessing.

Bless me in peace, O messengers of peace, messengers of the Most High, Majesty of Majesties, Holy One of Blessing.

Depart in peace, O messengers of peace, messengers of the Most High, Majesty of Majesties, Holy One of Blessing.
L’cha Dodi - לכה דודי

Come my beloved to greet the bride -- Let us welcome the Shabbat presence.

"Guard" and "Remember" -- in a single utterance the One and Only God made us hear. Adonai is One and God's name is One, for renown, for splendor, and for praise.

Wake up! Wake up! For your light has come, rise up and shine; Awaken, awaken, utter a song. The glory of God is revealed upon you.

Enter in peace, O crown of her mate. Even in celebration and good cheer. Among the faithful of the treasured nation, Enter, O Bride! Enter, O Bride!
Bar’chu

ברך יאת עém בפמברך.

Bar’chu Et Adonai HaM’vorach.
Bless Adonai, The Blessed One.

ברוך יאת מברך לעולם וRTC.

Baruch Adonai HaM’vorach L’Olam Va-ed.
Blessed is Adonai, The Blessed One, forever and ever.

Maariv Aravim

ברוך אאת עém אלהים מלך העולם אשת בר רבינא מעיר ערב, חכמאת פקח שישיר.


Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the Universe, whose word brings on the evening. Your wisdom opens heaven’s gates; Your understanding makes the ages pass and the seasons alternate; and Your will controls the stars as they travel through the skies. You are the Creator of day and night, rolling light away from darkness, and darkness from light; You cause day to pass and bring on the night; You set day and night apart: You are the God of Hosts. May the living and eternal God rule us always to the end of time. Blessed are You, Adonai, whose word makes evening fall.
Ahavat Olam - אהבת עולם

Unending is Your love for Your people, the House of Israel: Torah and Mitzvot, laws and precepts have You taught us. Therefore, Adonai our God, when we lie down and when we rise up, we will meditate on Your laws and rejoice in Your Torah and Mitzvot forever. Day and night we will reflect on them, for they are our life and the length of our days. Then Your love shall never depart from our hearts! Blessed is Adonai, who loves the people Israel.

Sh’mah - שמע

Blessed is God's glorious reign forever and ever.

Sh’ma Yisrael, Adonai Eloheinu, Adonai Echad.

HEAR O ISRAEL: ADONAI IS OUR GOD, ADONAI IS ONE!

Baruch Shem K’vod Malchuto L’Olam Va-ed.

Blessed is God's glorious reign forever and ever.
V’Ahavta – V’Ahavta

And you shall love Adonai, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your might. And these words which I command you on this day, shall be in your heart. And you shall teach them diligently to your children. And you shall speak of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, and when you lie down. And when you rise up. And you shall bind them for a sign upon your hand. And they shall be for frontlets between your eyes. And you shall write them on the doorposts of your house, and upon your gates.

That you may remember, and do all my commandments, and be holy unto your God. I, Adonai, am your God, who led you out of the land of Egypt to be your God. I, Adonai, am your God.
Mi Chamocha - מי כמוך

Who is like You among the gods who are worshipped, Adonai? Who is like you, majestic in holiness, worthy of awesome praise, doing wonders?

Your children witnessed Your reign when You split the sea before Moses. "This is my God!" they exclaimed and said: "Adonai will reign for ever and ever." And it has been said, "For Adonai has rescued Jacob from a power mightier than he."

Blessed are You, Adonai, who redeemed Israel.

Hashkiveinu - השקיבנו

Grant us, Adonai our God, that we may lie down in peace, and raise us up, our Guardian, to life and to peace. Spread over us the shelter of Your peace. Guide us with Your good counsel; for Your Name’s sake, be our help. Shield and shelter us beneath the shadow of Your wings. Defend us against enemies, illness, war, famine, and sorrow. Distance us from wrongdoing. For You, God, watch over us and deliver us. For You, God, are gracious and merciful. Guard our going and coming, to life and to peace, evermore. Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Guardian of Israel, whose shelter of peace is spread over us, over all Your people Israel, and over Jerusalem.
V'Shamru – שָׁמְרוּ וּבְנֵּי יִשְׂרָאֵּל אֶת הַשַּׁבָּת, לַעֲשׂוֹת אֶת הַשַּׁבָּת לְדֹרֹתָם בְּרִית עוֹלָם. בֵּּינִי וּבֵּין בְּנֵּי יִשְׂרָאֵּל אוֹת הִיא לְעוֹלָם, כִּי שֵַּֽׁשֶׁת יָמִים עָשָׂה יְיָ אֶת הַשָּׁמַַֽיִם וְאֶת הָאַָֽרֶץ, וּבַיּוֹם הַשְּׁבִיעִי שָׁבַת וַיִּנָפַשׁ.

The people of Israel shall keep Shabbat, observing Shabbat throughout the ages as a covenant for all time. It is a sign for all time between Me and the people Israel. For in six days Adonai made heaven and earth, and on the seventh day God ceased from work and was refreshed.

TEFILAH – תְפִלָּה

אֲדֹנָי שְׂפָתַי תִּפְתָּח וּפִי יַגִּיד תְּהִלָּתֶךָ

Adonai S'fatai Tiftach U-Fi Yaqid Tehilatecha.

Adonai, open up my lips, that my mouth may declare your praise.

Avot V'Imahot - אבות ואמהות

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ אֱלֹהֵַּֽינוּ וֵּאלֹהֵּי אֲבוֹתֵַּֽינוּ וְאִמּוֹתֵּינוּ, אֱלֹהֵּי אַבְרָהָם, אֱלֹהֵּי יִצְחָק, וֵּאלֹהֵּי יַעֲקֹב, אֱלֹהֵּי שָׂרָה, אֱלֹהֵּי רִבְקָה, אֱלֹהֵּי רָחֵל וֵּאלֹהֵּי לֵּאָה. הָאֵּל הַגָּדוֹל הַגִּבּוֹר וְהַנוֹרָא, אֵל עֶלְיוֹן, גּוֹמֵּל חֲסָדִים טוֹבִים, וְקוֹנֵּה הַכֹּל, וּמֵבִיא גְּאוּלָה לִבְנֵּּוֶּם לְמַעַן שְׁמוֹ בְּאַהֲבָה. מֶַֽלֶךְ עוֹזֵּר וּמוֹשִַֽׁיעַ וּמָגֵּן.


Baruch Ata Adonai, Magen Avraham V'Ezrat Sarah.
Blessed are You, Adonai our God, God of our Fathers and Mothers. God of Abraham, God of Sarah, God of Isaac, God of Rebecca, God of Jacob, God of Rachel, and God of Leah; great, mighty, and awesome God, God supreme. Source of all life, Your ways are ways of love. You remember the devotion of our ancestors, and in love bring redemption to their children's children for the sake of Your name. You are our Ruler and our Helper, our Savior and our Shield. Blessed are you, Adonai, shield of Abraham, help of Sarah.

Gevurot – גבעור

Ata Gibor L'Olam Adonai, M'Chayeih HaKol Atah, Rav L'Hoshi-a.

(summer) * Morid HaTal.

(winter) * Mashiv ha-Ruach u-Morid haGashem.

M'Chalkel Chayim B'Chesed, M'Chayeih HaKol B'Rachamim Rabim, Someich Noflim, V'Rofeh Cholim, U'Matir Asurim, U'M'kayem Emanuto, Li-Shinei Afar, Mi Chamocha Ba'al Gevurot U'Mi Domeh Lach, Melech Meimit U-M'Chayeih U'Matziach Yesuah. V'Ne-eman Atah L'Ha-chayot HaKol.

Baruch Atah Adonai, M'Chayeih HaKol.

You are mighty forever, my God, giving life to everything; great is your power to save.

(summer) *You rain dew upon us.

(winter) *You cause the wind to shift and the rain to fall.

God sustains the living with kindness, brings life to all with great mercy, supports the fallen, heals the sick, frees the captive, and keeps faith with those who sleep in the dust. Who is like you, Source of Might, and who may be compared to You, Who ordains the cycle of life and death and is the source of our salvation? Faithfully, You renew life in all. Blessed are You, Adonai, who brings life to all.

* summer – from Passover to Simchat Torah

* winter – from Simchat Torah to Passover
Kedushat HaShem - קדושת השם

Atah Kadosh, V'Shimcha Kadosh, U-K'doshim B'Chol Yom Y'Halelucha, Selah.
Baruch Ata Adonai, HaEl HaKadosh.

You are holy, Your name is holy, and holy ones praise You every day.
Blessed are You, Adonai, the holy God.

R'tzei

R'tzei Adonai Eloheinu
b'am'cha Yisrael
u-t'filatam b'ahavah t'kabeil.
U-t'hi l'ratzon tamid avodat Yisrael
Yisrael amecha.
Eil karov l'chol
kor'av p'nei el avadecha v'choneinu,
sh'foch ruchacha aleinu.
V'techechezenah eineinu,
b'shu'v'cha l'Tziyon ah... b'rachamim.
Baruch Atah Adonai,
hamachazir shechino l'Tzion.

Find favor, Adonai, our God, with Your people Israel, and accept their prayer in love.
May the worship of Your people Israel always be acceptable.
God who is near to all who call, turn lovingly to Your servants.
Pour out Your spirit upon us.
Let our eyes behold Your loving return to Zion.
Blessed are You, Adonai, whose Presence returns to Zion.
Modim

We give thanks to You that you are the Lord our God, and God of our ancestors forever and ever, Rock of our lives and Shield of our salvation from generation to generation. For all these things, O Sovereign, let Your Name be forever praised and blessed. O God, our Redeemer and Helper, let all who live affirm You and praise Your Name in truth. Blessed are You, Adonai, Yur Name is Goodness, and You are worthy of thanksgiving.

Shalom Rav

Grant abundant peace to Israel Your people forever, for you are the sovereign God of all peace. May it be pleasing to You to bless Your people Israel in every season and moment with Your peace. Blessed are You, Adonai, who blesses Your people Israel with peace.
Elohai N’tzor

Elohai n’tzor l’shoni meira,
Us’fatai midaber mirmah,
v’limkal’lai nafshi tidom,
v’nafshi ke-afar lakol tih’yeh.
P’tach libi... b’Toratecha,
N’tzor l’shoni meira,
Us’fatai midaber mirmah,
v’limkal’lai nafshi tidom,
v’nafshi ke-afar lakol tih’yeh.
Yih’yu l’ratzon imrei fi v’hegyon,
libi l’fanecha,
Adonai tzuri v’goali.

My God, guard my speech from evil and my lips from deception. Before those who slander me, I will hold my tongue; I will practice humility. Open my heart to Your Torah, that I may pursue Your mitzvot. As for all who think evil of me, cancel their designs and frustrate their schemes.
Act for Your own sake, for the sake of Your Power, for the sake of Your Holiness, for the sake of Your Torah, so that Your loved ones may be rescued. Save with Your power, and answer me.

Yih’yu L’Ratzon

יהי לרצון

Yih’yu L’Ratzon imrei fi v’hegyon, libi l’fanecha, Adonai tzuri ve-goali.
May the words of my mouth and the meditations of my heart be acceptable to You, Adonai, my Rock and my Redeemer.

Oseh Shalom

우שו שלום

Oseh Shalom bimromav hu ya-aseh shalom, aleinu v’al kol yisrael v’imru amen.
May the One who makes peace in the High Heavens, make peace for us and for all Israel.
And say, Amen.

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Torah Service

Ki MiTziyon Teitzei Torah, Ud’var Adonai MiY’rushalayim.
For from out of Zion will come the Torah, and the word of Adonai from Jerusalem.

Baruch Shenatan Torah L’Amo Yisrael Bik’dushato
Blessed is God who in holiness gave the Torah to the people Israel.

Sh’ma Yisrael, Adonai Eloheinu, Adonai Echad.
HEAR O ISRAEL: ADONAI IS OUR GOD, ADONAI IS ONE!

Echad Eloheinu, Gadol Adoneinu, Kadosh Sh’mo.
OUR GOD IS ONE; OUR LORD IS GREAT; HOLY IS GOD’S NAME.

L’cha Adonai HaGedulah V’HaGevurah V’HaTiferet V’HaNetzach V’HaHod, Ki Chol BaShamayim U-Va’aretz, L’Cha Adonai HaMamlacha V’HaMitnasei L’Chol L’Rosh.
Yours, Adonai, is the greatness, might, splendor, triumph, and majesty – yes, all that is in heaven and on earth. To You, Adonai, belong sovereignty and preeminence above all.
Blessing before the reading of the Torah

Baruch Adonai ham'vorach.
Baruch Adonai ham'vorach l'olam va-ed.
Baruch Atah Adonai Eloheinu Melech HaOlam, Asher Bachar Banu Mikol HaAmim, V'Natan Lanu Et Torato. Baruch Atah Adonai, Notein HaTorah.

Bless Adonai, The Blessed One,
Blessed is Adonai, The Blessed One, for ever and ever.
Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of the universe, who has chosen us from among the peoples, and given us the Torah.
Blessed are You, Adonai, who gives the Torah.

Blessing after the reading of the Torah


Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of the universe, who has given us a Torah of truth, implanting within us eternal life.
Blessed are You, Adonai, who gives the Torah.
V'Zot ha-Torah –

This is the Torah which Moses placed before the people of Israel, God's word through the hand of Moses.

Eitz Chayim –

It is a tree of life for those who hold fast to it, and all its supporters are happy. Its ways are ways of pleasantness and all its paths are peace.

REFUAH –

Bless those in need of healing
With Refuah Sh'leima
The renewal of body,
The renewal of spirit,
And let us say, Amen.
We must praise the Sovereign of all, the Maker of heaven and earth, who has set us apart from the other families of earth, giving us a destiny unique among the nations.

We therefore bow in awe and thanksgiving before the Ruler of Rulers, The Holy One of Blessing.

And it is said: Adonai will be the Ruler over all the world -- on that day Adonai will be one and God’s name will be one.
Exalted and hallowed be God’s great name in the world which God created, according to plan. May God’s majesty be revealed in the days of our lifetime and the life of all Israel -- speedily, imminently, to which we say Amen.

Blessed be God’s great name to all eternity.

Blessed, praised, honored, exalted, extolled, glorified, adored, and lauded be the name of the Holy Blessed One, beyond all earthly words and songs of blessings, praise and comfort. To which we say Amen.

May there be abundant peace from heaven, and life, for us and all Israel.

To which we say Amen.

May the One who makes peace in the High Heavens, make peace for us and for all Israel.

And say, Amen.

Oseh Shalom - עשית שלום

עשית שלום بمורפתי וזה עשית שלום על כל ישראל, אמרו: אמן.


May the One who makes peace in the High Heavens, make peace for us and for all Israel.

And say, Amen.

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Our praise to You, Adonai our God, Sovereign of the universe, who brings forth bread from the earth.

SHABBAT SHALOM!

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