

Chanukah Blessings

(Each night, the following two blessings are recited as the candles are lit.)

פְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יי אֱלֹהֵנוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו
וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל חֲנֻכָּה.

*Ba-ruch a-tah A-do-nai e-lo-hey-nu me-lech ha-o-lam,
a-she-r kid-sha-nu b-mitz-vo-tav v-tzi-va-nu l-had-lik ner
shel Cha-nu-kah.*



Praised are You, Adonai our God, ruler of the universe, who makes us holy with mitzvot and who commands us to kindle the lights of Chanukah.

פְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יי אֱלֹהֵנוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, שְׁעָשָׂה נִסִּים לְאַבוֹתֵינוּ בַּיָּמִים הָהֵם בְּזִמְנֵי הַזֶּה.

*Ba-ruch a-tah A-do-nai e-lo-hey-nu me-lech ha-o-lam,
she-a-sa nis-sim la-a-vo-tey-nu ba-ya-min ha-hey-m ba-z'man ha-zeh.*

Praised are You, Adonai our God, ruler of the universe, who performed wondrous deeds for our ancestors in days of old at this season.

(On the first night of Chanukah ONLY, the following prayer is added):

פְּרוּךְ אַתָּה יי אֱלֹהֵנוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, שְׁהַחַיֵּנוּ וְקִיַּמְנוּ וְהַנִּיעַנוּ לְזִמְנֵי הַזֶּה.

*Ba-ruch a-tah A-do-nai e-lo-hey-nu me-lech ha-o-lam,
she-he-che-ya-nu v'ki-y'ma-nu v'hi-gi-ya-nu la-z'man ha-zeh.*

Praised are You, Adonai our God, ruler of the universe, for giving us life, for sustaining us and for enabling us to celebrate this joyous season.