- 17. I shall not die but live, and shall declare the works and recount the illustrious acts of YHVH.
- 18. YHVH has chastened me sorely, but He has not given me over to death.
- 19. Open to me the Temple Gates of Righteousness; I will enter through them, and I will confess and praise YHVH.
- 20. This is the gate of YHVH; the uncompromisingly righteous shall enter through it.
- I will confess, praise, and give thanks to You, for You have become my Salvation and Deliverer.
- 22. The Stone which the builders rejected has become the Chief Cornerstone.
- 23. This is from YHVH and is His doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24. This is the Day which YHVH has brought about; we will rejoice and be glad in it.
- 25. Save now, we beseech You, O YHVH; send now prosperity, O YHVH, we beseech You, and give to us success!
- 26. Blessed is He who comes in the Name of YHVH; we bless you from the House of YHVH, you who come into His Sanctuary under His Guardianship.
- 27. YHVH is GOD, Who has shown and given us Light. He has illuminated us with grace, freedom, and joy. Decorate the festival with leafy boughs and bind the sacrifice to be offered with thick cords all over the priest's court, right up to the horns of the altar.
- <sup>28.</sup> YHVH, You are my GOD, and I will confess, praise, and give thanks to You; You are my GOD, I will extol You.
- 29. O give thanks to YHVH, for He is good; for His Mercy and Loving-kindness endure forever.



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- 1. Not to us, O YHVH, not to us but to Your Name give glory, for Your Mercy and Loving-kindness and for the sake of Your Truth and Faithfulness!
- 2. Why should the nations say, where is now their GOD?
- 3. But YHVH our GOD is in Heaven; He does whatever He pleases.
- 4. The idols of the nations are silver and gold, the work of men's hands.
- 5. They have mouths, but they speak not; eyes have they, but they see not;
- 6. They have ears, but they hear not; noses but they smell not;
- 7. They have hands, but they handle not; feet have they but they walk not; neither can they make a sound with their throats.
- 8. They who make idols are like them; so are all who trust in and lean on them.
- 9. O Israel, trust and take refuge in YHVH! Lean on, rely on, and be confident in Him! He is their Help and their Shield.
- 10. O house of Aaron, the priesthood, trust in and lean on YHVH! He is their Help and their Shield.
- You who reverently fear YHVH, trust in and lean on YHVH! He is their Help and their Shield.
- 12. YHVH has been mindful of us, He will bless us: He will bless the house of Israel, He will bless the house of Aaron the priesthood,
- 13. He will bless those who reverently and worshipfully fear YHVH, both small and great.
- 14. May YHVH give you increase more and more, you and your children.
- 15. May you be blessed of YHVH, Who made Heaven and earth!
- 16. The Heavens are YHVH's Heavens, but the earth has He given to the children of men.
- 17. The dead praise not YHVH, neither any who go down in silence.
- 18. But we will bless affectionately and gratefully praise YHVH from this time forth and forever. Praise YHVH! Hallelujah!

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