

פרק קכד - Psalm 124

א שִׁיר הַמַּעֲלוֹת לְדָוִד לֹלֵיךְ ד' שֶׁהָיָה לָנוּ יְאֹמֵר-נָא יִשְׂרָאֵל:

1. A Song of Ascents of David. "Had it not been for Adoniye Who was for us," let Israel now say.

Shir ha'ma'alot le'David luleh Adonai she'haya lanu yomar na Yisrael.

ב לֹלֵיךְ ד' שֶׁהָיָה לָנוּ בְּקוּם עָלֵינוּ אָדָם:

2. "Had it not been for Adoniye Who was for us, when men rose up against us.

Luleh Adonai she'haya lanu be'kum alenu adam.

ג אֲזַי חַיִּים בְּלַעֲנוּנוּ בְּחָרוֹת אַפֵּם בָּנוּ:

3. They would have then swallowed us alive, when their wrath blazed against us.

Azai hayim bela'unu ba'harot apam banu.

ד אֲזַי הַמַּיִם שֶׁטַּפוּנוּ נִחְלָה עָבַר עַל-נַפְשֵׁנוּ:

4. The waters would have then swept us away, affliction would have passed over our soul.

Azai ha'mayim shetafunu nahla abar al nafshenu.

ה אֲזַי עָבַר עַל-נַפְשֵׁנוּ הַמַּיִם הַזֵּדוֹנִים:

5. Then over our soul would have gone the impetuous waters.

Azai abar al nafshenu ha'mayim ha'zedonim.

*Please do not discard this holy document. Please deposit in Geniza at your local synagogue.*

ו בְּרוּךְ ד' שְׁלֹא נִתְּנָנוּ טְרֵף לְשִׁנֵיהֶם:

6. Blessed is Adoniye, who did not give us as prey to their teeth.

Baruch Adonai she'lo netananu teref le'shinehem.

ז נַפְשֵׁנוּ כְּצִפּוֹר נִמְלֵטָה מִפַּח יוֹקֵשִׁים הַפַּח נִשְׁבַּר וְאַנְחָנוּ נִמְלָטָנוּ:

7. Our soul escaped as a bird out of the fowler's snare; the snare is broken and we escaped.

Nafshenu ke'sipor nimleta mi'pah yokeshim ha'pah nishbar va'anahnu nimlatnu.

ח עֲזָרָנוּ בְּשֵׁם ד' עֹשֶׂה שָׁמַיִם וָאָרֶץ:

8. Our help is in the Name of Adoniye, Maker of heaven and earth."

Ezrenu be'shem Adonai oseh shamayim va'aretz.