

Before kindling the lights, say these Blessings:

Hanukah Candle Blessings

הַדְּלֵקַת נֵר שֶׁל חֲנֻכָּה

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה ה' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, שְׁעָשָׂה
נִסִּים לְאַבוֹתֵינוּ בְּיָמִים הָהֵם בְּזְמַן הַזֶּה.

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה ה' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, אֲשֶׁר
קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל חֲנֻכָּה.

Slowly

Traditional

1. Ba - ruh a - tah A - do - nai E - lo
ruh a - tah A - do - nai E - lo

hay - nu me - leḥ ha - o - lam, a - sher kid' - sha - nu b' - mitz - vo -
hay - nu me - leḥ ha - o - lam, she - a - sah nee - seem la - avo - tay -

tav v' - tzi - va - nu l' - had - leek nayr
nu ba - ya - meem ha - ha - haym

shel ha - nu kah.
baz man ha - zeh.

2. Ba -
3. Ba -

Translation:

1. Praised are you, O Lord our God, Ruler of the universe,
Who has hallowed us by Your laws and commanded us to
kindle the light of Hanukah.
2. Praised are You, O Lord our God, Ruler of the universe,
Who worked miracles for our ancestors in days of old,
at this season.

On the First Evening only, add this blessing:

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה ה' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, שְׁהַחֲיֵנוּ
וְקִיַּמְנוּ וְהַגִּיעֵנוּ לְזֶמַן הַזֶּה

First Evening only

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ruḥ a - tah A - do - nai E - lo -

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hay - nu me - leḥ ha - o - lam, *mf* She - he - ḥee - ya - nu v' -

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kee - y' - ma - nu v' - hi - gee - a - nu laz' -

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man ha - zeh. A - mayn.

Translation:

3. Praised are You, O Lord our God, Ruler of the universe,
Who has kept us in life, and preserved us, and enabled us
to reach this season.