

Reading of the Torah, Prayer for the Government

הַנוֹתֵן תְּשׁוּעָה לְמַלְכִים.

He Who grants deliverance to kings,

וּמִמְשָׁלָה לְנְסִיכִים.

and dominion to princes,

מַלְכוּתוֹ מְלָכוּת כָּל־עוֹלָמִים.

His kingship is a kingship of all worlds;

הַפּוֹצֵה אֶת־דָּוִד עֶבְדּוֹ

He [Who] rescued David, His servant,

מִחֶרֶב רָעָה.

from the evil sword,

הַנוֹתֵן בַּיָּם דָּרוֹךְ.

Who put a road through the sea,

וּבַמַּיִם עֲזִים נְתִיבָה.

and a path amid the mighty waters;

הוּא יְבָרֵךְ וַיִּשְׁמַר וַיִּנָּצֵר.

may He bless, preserve, and guard,

וַיַּעֲזֹר וַיְרוֹמֵם וַיַּגְדֵּל

help, exalt, and make great,

וַיִּנְשֵׂא לְמַעְלָה

and raise high

אֶת נְשִׂיא אֲרָצוֹת הַבְּרִית

the President of these United States,

וּמְשֻׁנְהוֹ

and the Vice President.

מֶלֶךְ מַלְכֵי הַמְּלָכִים בְּרַחֲמָיו

May the Supreme King of kings in His mercy,

יַחֲיֵם וַיִּשְׁמְרֵם.

sustain them in life and preserve them;

וּמִכָּל צָרָה וַיִּגּוֹן וַנִּזְק

and from all distress, sorrow, and hurt,

יִצִּילֵם.

may He save them.

מֶלֶךְ מַלְכֵי הַמְּלָכִים בְּרַחֲמָיו

May the Supreme King of kings in His mercy,

יִתֵּן בְּלִבָּם רַחֲמָנוּת.

instill in their hearts compassion

לַעֲשׂוֹת טוֹבוֹת עִמָּנוּ.

to do good with us

וְעִם כָּל־יִשְׂרָאֵל.

and with all Israel.

בִּימֵיהֶם וּבְיָמֵינוּ

In their days and in ours,

תִּנְשָׁע יְהוּדָה.

may Judah be delivered

וְיִשְׂרָאֵל יִשְׁכֵּן לְבֵטָח.

and Israel dwell in security,

וּבֵּא לְצִיּוֹן גּוֹאֵל.

and the Redeemer come to Zion.

וְכֵן יְהִי רְצוֹן

May this be His will

וְנֹאמַר אָמֵן:

and let us say, Amen.