Kaddish

יִתְגַּדַּל וְיִתְקַדַּשׁ שְׁמֵהּ רַבָּא. בְּעָלְמָא דִּי בְרָא

כִרְעוּתֵהּ, וְיַמְלִידְ מַלְכוּתֵהּ בְּחַיֵּיכוֹן וּבְיוֹמֵיכוֹן וּבְחַיֵּי דְכָל בֵּית יִשְׂרָאֵל, בַּעֲגָלָא וּבִזְמַן קָרִיב, וָאָמַרוּ אַמֵן.

ִּיְהֵא שְׁמֵה*ּ* רַבָּא מִבָרַדְ לִעָלַם וּלִעָלְמֵי עָלְמַיָּא.

ּיִתְבָּרִדְּ וְיִשְׁתַּבַּח וְיִתְכָּשָּׂר וְיִתְרוֹמַם וְיִתְנַשֵּׂא וְיִתְהַדָּר וְיִתְעַלֶּה וְיִתְהַלָּל שְׁמֵה דְּקַדְשָׁא בְּרִידְ וְיִתְהַדָּר וְיִתְעַלֶּה וְיִתְהַלָּל שְׁמֵה דְקַדְשָׁא בְּרִידְ הוּא, לְעֵלָּא וּלְעֵלָּא מִכָּל בִּרְכָתָא וְשִׁירָתָא הַשְׁבְּחָתָא וְנֶחֱמָתָא, דַּאֲמִירָן בְּעָלְמָא, וְאִמְרוּ אָמֵן.

יְהֵא שְׁלָמָא רַבָּא מִן שְׁמַיָּא, וְחַיּים עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל, וָאמִרוּ אַמֵן.

עשֶׁה שָׁלוֹם בּמְרוּמָיו, הוּא יַעֲשֶׂה שָׁלוֹם עָלֵינוּ וְעַל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל, וְאמְרוּ אָמֵן.

Yitgadal v'yitkadash sh'mei raba. B'alma di v'ra chirutei, v'yamlich malchutei, b'chayeichon uv'yomeichon uv'chayei d'chol beit Yisrael,baagala uviz'man kariv. V'im'ru: Amen.

Y'hei sh'mei raba m'varach l'alam ul'almei almaya.

Yitbarach v'yishtabach v'yitpaar v'yitromam v'yitnasei, v'yit'hadar v'yitaleh v'yit'halal sh'mei d'kud'sha b'rich hu, l'eila u'l'eila min kol birchata v'shirata, tushb'chata v'nechemata, daamiran b'alma. V'imru: Amen.

Y'hei sh'lama raba min sh'maya, v'chayim aleinu v'al kol Yisrael. V'imru: Amen.

Oseh shalom bimromav, hu yaaseh shalom aleinu, v'al kol Yisrael. V'imru: Amen.

# <u>Yizkor</u>

From Psalm 16

## שִׁוּיתִי יְהוֹה לְנֶגְדִי תָמִיד כִּי מִימִינִי בַּל־אֶמּוֹט : לָכֵן שַׁמַח לִבִּי וַיָּגֵל כִּבוֹדִי אַף־בִּשַׂרִי יִשְׁכֹּן לַבֵטַח :

Keep me Eternal One, for in You I find refuge and in You my soul finds its peace. Guardian of all my days, You are my cup from which I drink, and the portion of my life. I thank You for guiding my steps, for the inner voice that instructs me.

We miss them at celebrations, when there's an empty seat at the table.

We miss them when the community gathers, and there's an empty place beside us.

We miss them today, and every today, and with every year that passes, as our life goes on without them.

Their faces, their voices, the feel of our arms around them—these are with us forever.

For so it is written: "Love is strong as death (Song of Songs 8:6)". *The love that we gave, the love we received—these endure amid the pain of loss.* 

 $\sim$  Mishkan HaNefesh: A Machzor for the Days of Awe

## From Psalm 121

אֶשְׁא עֵינַי אֶל־הֶהָרִים מֵאַיִן יָבא עֶזְרִי : עֶזְרִי מֵעָם יְיָ עשה שְׁמַיִם וָאָרֶץ : אַל־יִתַּן לַמּוֹט רַגְלֶךּ אַל־יָנוּם שׁמְרֶדּ : הִנֵּה לֹא יָנוּם וְלֹא יִישָׁן שׁוֹמֵר יִשְׂרָאֵל : יְיָ שֹׁמְרֶדְ יְיָ צִלְדְ עַל־יַד יְמִינֶדְ :

Esa einai el-hehariim: mei-ayin yavo ezri? Ezri mei-im Adonai oseih shamayim vaaretz. Al yitein lamot raglecha, al yanum shom'recha. Hinei lo yanum v'lo yishan shomeir Yisrael. Adonai shom'recha, Adonai tzil'cha al yad y'minecha, al yad y'minecha.

I turn my eyes to the mountains; from where will my help come? My help comes from Adonai, maker of heaven and earth.

#### A Covid Kaddish

This is a Kaddish for those who died before we identified the virus And for those who died after we knew it was spreading among us. This is a Kaddish for those who died on ventilators And those for whom there were not enough ventilators. This is a Kaddish for those who were infected at work And for those who unknowingly infected others. This is a Kaddish for those who were already vulnerable And for those who thought they were invulnerable. This is a Kaddish for those who perished in care facilities And for those who were doomed by the carelessness of others. This is a Kaddish for our family and friends who we lost And for all those we did not know who have died. This is a Kaddish for what we all have lost --The normalcy of human contact

The normalcy of human contact
A sense of safety, security and certainty
School, playdates, vacations and meals with friends
Jobs and economic security
And for what we all missed -Being able to sit by a loved one's side as they lay dying
Celebrating at weddings and b'nai mitzvah
First steps and first words
Being held in the embrace of our family and friends
This is a time to let our tears flow
And to grieve our communal loss.
This is a Kaddish for all those we have lost
And for ourselves.

 $\sim$ Rabbi Debra Hachen, adapted

#### Tears

Oh, for the world. Oh, for our children. cover me, hold me, God. but don't wipe my tears. They have to follow their course.

~ Rabbi Menachem Creditor

## In Memory Of

Norman Suchar Rhoda Suchar Samuel Luster Rose Luster Lee Faulk Arthur Katz Pearl Katz Harry Hochstein **Ruth Hochstein** Mark Santer Selma Santer **Ruben Santer David Santer** Mary Santer **Baylah Monson** Esther Levin **Rosie Saltz** Remembered by Dr. Carl Suchar & Phyllis Santer

#### In Memory Of

Bennett D. Katz Edith C. Katz Remembered by Joyce Katz Tapper & Burt H. Tapper

#### In Memory of

Nancy Diamond Remembered by Jill Diamond & Stephen Diamond

#### In Memory Of

Sylvia Levine Harry Levine Belle Wolfe Jack Wolfe Florence Hauer Herbert Hauer Jeff Hauer Sophie Goldberg Samuel Goldberg Joseph Friedland Alberta Friedland Leora Perrish Remembered by Heather Wolfe, Dan Friedland & Jordan Friedland

### In Memory Of

Bennett & Edith Katz Jack Newman Albert Sheer Max & Charlotte Colmes Frances Katz Sarah Aronstein Lynette Miller Scott Corwin Marty & Loretta Corwin Hal Weisberger Remembered by Birdie Newman Katz

#### Psalm 23

מִזְמוֹר לְדָוִד יְהוָה רֹעִי לֹא אֶחְסָר : בִּנְאוֹת דָּשָׁא יַרְבִּיצֵנִי עַל־מֵי מְנֵחוֹת יְנַהֲלֵנִי : נַפְשִׁי יְשׁוֹבֵב יַנְחֵנִי בְּמַעְגְּלֵי־צֶדֶק לְמַעַן שְׁמוֹ : גַּם כִּי־אֵלֵדְ בְּגֵיא צַלְמָוֶת לֹא־אִירָא רָע כִּי־אַתָּה עִמָּדִי שִׁבְטָד וּמִשְׁעַנְתֶּד הַמָּה יְנַחֲמֵנִי : תַּעַרֹדְ לְפָנַי שֵׁלְחָן נָגֶד צַרְרָי דְּשַׁנְתָּ בַשָּׁמֶן ראשִׁי כּוֹסִי רְוָיָה : אַדְ טוֹב וָחֶסֶד יִרְדְּפוּנִי כָּל־יְמֵי חַיָּי

A psalm of David. Adonai is my shepherd; I shall not want. You make me lie down in green pastures; You lead me beside still waters. You restore my soul. You lead me on the right paths for the sake of Your name. Though I walk through a valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil, for You are with me; Your rod and Your staff -- they comfort me. You have set a table for me in the presence of my enemies; You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of God forever.

When I die give what's let of me away to children and old men that wait to die. And if you need to cry, Cry for your brother or sister walking the street beside you And when you need me put your arms around anyone And give them what you need to give me. I want to leave you something, Something better than words or sounds.

Look for me in the people I've known or loved

And if you cannot give me away,

At least let me live in your eyes and not on your mind. You can love me most by letting hands touch hands, and by letting go of children that need to be free. Love doesn't die, people do. So when all that's left of me is love give me away. ~ Merrit Malloy **Silent Remembrances** 

For a male

יּזְכּר אֱלהים נִשְׁמַת אָבִי / זְקַנִי / אָחִי / בְּנִי / בַּעְלִי / דּוֹדִי / יַקְרִי (פּלוני בן פּלוני) שֶׁהָלַד לְעוֹלָמוֹ : אָנָּא הְּהֵא נַפְשׁוֹ צְרוּרָה בִּצְרוֹרהַ חַיִּים,וּתְהִי מְנוּחָתוֹ כָּבוּד : שבַע שְׁמָחוֹת אֶת-פָּנֶידְ נְעִימוֹת בִּימִינְדְ נֶצַח. אָמֵן

May God remember the soul of my father / my grandfather / my brother / my son / my husband / my uncle / my loved one (Hebrew or English name) who has gone to his place of eternal rest. Please let his soul be bound up with the living in the continuum of life, and grant him abundant joy in Your presence. May the beauty of his life shine for evermore, and may my life always bring honor to his memory, Amen.

#### For a female

יִזְכָּר אֱלֹהִים נִשְׁמַת אִמִּי / זְקֶוְתִּי / אֲחוֹתִי / אֲחוֹתִי / בָּתִּי מָלְכָה לְּעוֹלָמָהּ יִדְתִי / יַקְרִי (פּלונית בת פּלוני) בָּתִי בְּתַי בְּתַפּלוני) בְּתַי בְּתַי אַיְתָי אַ בְּשָׁהּ צְרוּרָה שְׁהָלָכָה לְעוֹלָמָהּ : אָנָא תְּהֵא נַפְשָׁהּ צְרוּרָה שְׁבַע שֶׁהְלָכָה לְעוֹלָמָהּ : אָנָא תְּהֵא נַפְשָׁהּ צְרוּרָה בְּצְרוֹר הַחַיּים,וּתְהי מְנוּחָתָה כָּבוּד : שׁבַע May God remember the soul of my mother / my grandmother / my sister / my daughter / my wife / my aunt / my loved one (Hebrew or English name) who has gone to his place of eternal rest. Please let her soul be bound up with the living in the continuum of life, and grant her abundant joy in Your presence. May the beauty of her life shine for evermore, and may my life always bring honor to her memory, Amen.

## In Memory Of

Beverly Drickey Dorothy Drickey Jack Drickey Frederick Lyons Dorothy Spalding John Davis Spalding Shawn Walker Harvey Prohow Debbie Hebert Remembered by Mike & Sarah Drickey

## In Memory Of

David Goldman Shirlie Goldman Merry Hermans Remembered by Richard Goldman, Linda Hermans, Rachel Goldman, Ben Goldman & Wendy Goldman

## In Memory Of

Pauline Bley Else Schmidt Sue Bley Robert Bley Ernest Searle, Jr. Lauraine Goodrich Danny Searle-Shrader Kent Katz Remembered by Jerry, Emily, Leah & Amy Bley

## In Memory Of

Jean Bakaley Perry Bakaley Rosemary Marshall Joan Marshall Bessie Schwartz First Louis First Gladys Rorem Rufus Rorem Remembered by Susan Bakaley & Chris Marshall & Family

## In Memory Of

Joel Davis Allen Davis Helen Bicknell Shed Joseph Leroy Shed Goldie Passman Alexander Davis Ronald & Frieda McIntyre Kate Mattin Lanchu Muller Mayer Muller Remembered by Sarah Shed & Patricia Davis

## In Memory Of

Ken & Marcia Allen Beverly Albert Linda Nachinoff Al Bauman Remembered by Carol Graham

### El Malei Rachamim

אֵל מְלֵא רַחֲמִים, שׁוֹכֵן בַּמְרוֹמִים, הַמְצֵא מְנוּחָה נְכוֹנָה תַּחַת פַּנְפֵי הַשְׁכִינָה, עִם קְדוֹשִׁים וּטְהוֹרִים כְּזְהֵר הָרָקֵיעַ מַזְהִירִים, לְנִשְׁמוֹת יַקְרֵינוּ שֶׁהָלְכוּ לְעוֹלָמָם, בַּעַל הָרַחֲמִים יַסְתּיב בְּעַל הָרַחֲמִים יַסְתּיב בְּעָל הָרַחֲמִים יַסְתּיב בְּעָל מָשְׁכָּבָם, וְיָצְרוֹר בִּצְרוֹר הַחַיִּים אֶת נִשְׁמָתָם, יְיָ הוּא נַחְלָתָם, וְיָנְוּחוּ בְּשָׁלוֹם עַל מִשְׁכָּבָם, וְנֹאמַר אָמן. Merciful God, God Most High: Let there be perfect rest for the souls of our loved ones who have gone into eternity. May they find shelter in Your presence among the holy and pure whose light shines like the radiance of heaven. Compassionate God, hold them close to You forever. May their souls be bound up in the bond of life eternal. May they find a home in You. And may they rest in peace. Together we say: Amen.

### We Remember Them

At the rising sun and at its going down, we remember them. At the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter, we remember them.

At the opening of the buds and in the rebirth of spring, we remember them.

At the blueness of the sky and in the warmth of summer, we remember them.

At the rustling of the leaves and in the beauty of the autumn, we remember them.

At the beginning of the year and when it ends, we remember them. When we are weary and in need of strength, we remember them. When we are lost and sick at heart, we remember them.

When we have joy we crave to share, we remember them.

For as long as we live, they too will live, for they are now a part of us as, We remember them.

~ Rabbi Roland B. Gittelsohn, adapted