

A prayer for democracy everywhere, with Ukraine and U.S. foremost in mind:

May You tear out autocracy, tyranny and despotism,  
break those who cheat and deceive,  
and ruin those who oppress the vulnerable.  
Make the reign of the arrogant disappear from all lands.  
May those who attack democracies everywhere  
stumble and fail, and may their plans be as nought  
Stop them, humble them, bring on their downfall,  
soon, in our days.

May You give to all peoples of the world  
the strength and will to pursue righteousness  
and to seek peace as a unified force,  
to uproot violence, and to make healing, good life  
and peace flourish.

תַּעֲקֹר רוֹדְנוֹת וְטִירוֹנְיָא וְעַרִיצוֹת  
וְתִשְׁפֹּר רַמָּאִים וְתִמְגֵּר עֲשָׂקֵי נְדָכָאִים  
תַּעֲבִיר מְמִשְׁלָת זְדוֹן מִן הָאָרֶץ  
תִּכְשִׁיל פּוֹגְעִים בְּדַמוֹקְרַטְיָה וְתִפְרֵר תְּחִבּוּלוֹתָם  
תִּכְלֵם וְתִשְׁפִּילֵם וְתִכְנִיעֵם בְּמַהֲרָה בְּיָמֵינוּ

תִּתֵּן לְכָל אַמּוֹת הָעוֹלָם הַכֹּחַ וְהַרְצוֹן  
לְרֹדֵף צְדָקָה וּלְבַקֵּשׁ שְׁלוֹם כְּאַגְדָּה אַחַת  
לְעֹקֵר הַמָּס וּלְהַצְמִיחַ רְפוּאָה וְחַיִּים טוֹבִים וְשְׁלוֹם

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year liturgy, old world *nigunim* and more. This prayer is  
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