

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

May You tear out autocracy, tyranny and despotism,
ruin those who cheat and deceive,
and upend those who oppress the vulnerable.
Make the reign of the arrogant disappear from all lands.
May the people attacking 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,
so that violence be uprooted, and healing, good life
and peace may flourish. (Amen.)

תַּעֲקֹר רוֹדְנוֹת וְטִירוֹנְיָא וְעַרִיצוֹת
וּתְשַׁבֵּר רַמָּאִים וּתְמַגֵּר עֲשָׂקֵי נְדָכָאִים
תַּעֲבִיר מְמַשְׁלֵת זְדוֹן מִן הָאָרֶץ
תְּכַשִּׁיל פּוֹגְעִים בְּדַמוֹקְרַטְיָה וְתַפֵּר תְּחַבּוּלוֹתָם
תַּכְלֵם וּתְשַׁפִּילֵם וּתְכַנְיַעֵם בְּמַהֲרָה בְּיָמֵינוּ

תִּתֵּן לְכָל אַמּוֹת הָעוֹלָם הַכֹּחַ וְהַרְצוֹן
לְרִדּוֹף צְדָקָה וּלְבַקֵּשׁ שְׁלוֹם כְּאֶגְדָּה אַחַת
לְעֹקֵר חָמָס וּלְהַצְמִיחַ רְפוּאָה וְחַיִּים טוֹבִים וְשְׁלוֹם (וְנֹאמֵר אָמֵן)

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