

תהלים יג

TEHILIM 13

This psalm speaks about the exile of Israel and David wrote it for the benefit of all of Israel. We are reminded that defeat is not possible for the individual who puts their trust in Hashem.

Lam'natze-ach mizmor l'David.

For the conductor, a psalm by David.

Ad anah Adonai

Until when Adonai,

tishkacheni netzach,

will You forget me eternally?

ad anah tastir

until when will You hide

et panecha mimeni.

Your face from me.

Ad anah ashit etzot b'nafshi,

Until when must I set counsel in my soul?

yagon bilvavi yomam,

with sorrow in my heart daily?

ad anah yarum oy'vi alai.

until when shall my enemy rise over me?

Habitah aneni Adonai Elohai,

Look, answer me Adonai my Elohim,

ha-irah einai pen ishan hamavet.

give light to my eyes, lest I sleep in death.

Pen yomar oy'vi y'choltiv,

Lest my enemy say, "I have prevailed against him,"

tzarai yagilu ki emot.

lest my adversaries rejoice when I falter.

Va-ani b'chasd'cha vatachti,

But as for me, in Your kindness do I put my trust,

yagel libi bishu-atecha,

my heart rejoices in Your salvation,

ashirah Ladonai

I will sing to Adonai,

ki gamal alai.

for He has dealt kindly with me.

לְמַנְצַחַ מִזְמוֹר לְדָוִד.

עַד אָנָּה יְהוָה יֵאֱהָדוֹנָהי

תִּשְׁכַּחֲנִי נֶצַח,

עַד אָנָּה תִסְתִּיר

אֶת פְּנֵיךָ מִמֶּנִּי.

עַד אָנָּה אֲשִׁית עֵצוֹת בְּנַפְשִׁי,

יָגוֹן בְּלִבִּי יוֹמָם,

עַד אָנָּה יָרוּם אֵיבִי עָלַי.

הַבִּיטָה עֲנֵנִי יְהוָה יֵאֱהָדוֹנָהי אֱלֹהֵי,

הָאִירָה עֵינַי פֶּן אִישַׁן הַמּוֹת.

פֶּן יֹאמֵר אֵיבִי יִכְלֹתִיו,

צָרִי יִגִּילוּ כִּי אָמוּט.

וְאֲנִי בְּחַסְדֶּךָ בִטַחְתִּי,

יִגַּל לְבִי בִישׁוּעֶתְךָ,

אֲשִׁירָה לַיהוָה יֵאֱהָדוֹנָהי

כִּי גָמַל עָלַי.