

YAH RIBON (Iraqi)

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CHORUS: Yah ribon olam / w'almayah

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ant hu malkah / melech mal'chaya.

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1. Ovad g'vurteych / v'timhaya / sh'far kodamai / l'hachavaya

2. Praise the Blessed Holy One / with singing day and night
Praise the source of obstacles and angels / and of birds in flight.

3. May we not be lost in exile / Caught up in hate and strife
May our hearts return in joy / to the fount of all life.

4. Take away what I need / take away what I do
take away everything / that takes me far from you.

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