

שִׁמְעֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל יְהוָה

אֱלֹהֵינוּ יְהוָה אֶחָד!

בְּרוּךְ שֵׁם כְּבוֹד

מַלְכוּתוֹ לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד.

שְׁמַע

Root – ש-מ-ע

Meaning – hear, listen, pay attention

Words in the prayer with the same root שְׁמַע

The שְׁמַע is probably the most well-known sentence in Jewish life as well as the most important. It is a phrase that Jews around the world say every day. It speaks of God being our God and that that God is the only God. It emphasizes the oneness of God. It is considered the watchword of our faith. The שְׁמַע is supposed to be recited as part of every prayer service, as well as when you wake up in the morning and before you go to bed at night.

Vocabulary and Translation

One – אֶחָד

Name - שֵׁם

Honor, Glory, Respect – כְּבוֹד

Past Roots

כ - ר - ב - Blessed

Hear, o Israel, Adonai is our God, Adonai is one.

Blessed be the Name of God's kingdom for ever and ever