



The 10th Battalion Memorial Scholarship was created to preserve the memory of the members who perished in the attack on the World Trade Center.



9/11 Memorial & Museum educates the 100 million Americans too young to remember 9/11 so we never forget.



NYC PBA Widows' and Children's Fund directly assists the families and dependents of NYPD officers who died in the line of duty.

Tonight, as we usher in the new Jewish year, we are painfully aware of the tragedy that took place twenty-five years ago today, on September 11, 2001. Our hearts expand to hold the joy of renewal alongside the sting of remembrance, the sweetness of the year past alongside the ache of unfinished lives.

We light this memorial candle and observe a moment of silence, honoring the victims of 9/11, including the first responders who gave their lives to save others.

And then we turn to light our Rosh Hashanah and Shabbat candles, welcoming these holy days, giving thanks for the precious gift of life, and opening ourselves to the possibility of a new year.

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה ה' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר
קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵיר שֶׁל שַׁבָּת
וְשֶׁל יוֹם טוֹב.

*Barukh atah Adonai, Eloheinu melekh ha-
olam, asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav, v'tzivanu
l'hadlik neir shel Shabbat v'Yom Tov.*

Blessed are you Adonai, our God, ruler of time and space, who has made us holy through mitzvot, and instructed us to light the Shabbat and festival candles.

בְּרוּךְ אַתָּה ה' אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם שֶׁהֵחֵינּוּ
וְקִיַּמְנוּ וְהִגִּיעָנוּ לְזֶמַן הַזֶּה.

*Barukh atah Adonai eloheinu melekh ha-
olam, she-heheyanu v'kiy'manu v'higi-anu
la-z'man ha-zeh.*

Blessed are you Adonai, our God, ruler of time and space, for granting us life, for sustaining us, and for bringing us to this moment.