

TBS Living Jewishly Handbook!



Chanukah

Celebrating Chanukah at Home

How to Light the Candles:

- The candles are placed in the *Menorah* from right to left.
- They are kindled from left to right.
- On Friday night we light them **before** the Shabbat candles, and on Saturday night we light them **after** *havdalah*.

← Place Candles

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1



Light candles →

The Blessings:

ברוך אתה, יי אלהינו, מלך העולם, אשר קדשנו במצותיו וצונו להדליק נר של חנוכה.

Baruch Ata Adonai Eloheinu Melech ha-olam asher kidshanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu l'hadlik ner shel Chanukah.
Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the universe who sanctifies us with mitzvot, and commands us to kindle the Chanukah lights.

ברוך אתה, יי אלהינו, מלך העולם, שעשה נסים לאבותינו (ואמותינו) בימים ההם בימן הזה.

Baruch Ata Adonai Eloheinu Melech ha-olam she-asa nissim l'avoteinu (v'imoteinu) bayamin ha-hem ba-zman ha-zeh.
Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the Universe, who performed wondrous deeds for our ancestors in days of old, at this season.

First Night Only:

ברוך אתה, יי אלהינו, מלך העולם, שהחיינו וקיימנו והגיענו לזמן הזה.

Baruch Ata Adonai Eloheinu Melech ha-olam she-he-che-yanu v'ki-ya-manu v'hi-ge-yanu la'zman ha-zeh.
Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the Universe, for giving us life, for sustaining us, and for enabling us to reach this season.