

הוֹקְתָה
Hatikvah
National Anthem of Israel

כָּל עוֹד בְּלִבְּב פְּנִימָה
נֶפֶשׁ יְהוּדֵי הוֹמְיָה
וּלְפָאֲתֵי מִזְרַח קְדִימָה
- עַיִן לְצִיּוֹן צוֹפֵיָה

עוֹד לֹא אֶבְדָּה תִקְוַתְנוּ
הַתִּקְוָה בַּת שְׁנוֹת אֲלָפִים
לְהִיּוֹת עִם חֶפְשֵׁי בְּאֶרְצֵנוּ
אֶרֶץ צִיּוֹן וִירוּשָׁלַיִם

Kal od ba-leivav p'niymah
Nefesh yehudiy homiyah
Ul' fa-atey mizrach kadiymah
Ayin l'tziyon tzofiyyah

As long as deep in the heart
The soul of a Jew yearns
And towards the East
An eye looks to Zion

Od lo av'dah tikvateynu
Hatikvah bat shnot alpayim
L'hiyot am chafshiy b'artzenu
Eretz Tzion viyrushalayim.
(Repeat last 2 lines)

Our hope will not be lost
The hope of two thousand years
To be a free people in our land
The land of Zion and Jerusalem.

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