

Ohev Yisrael Al Chet
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“God foretold through the mouth of all His prophets—that His Messiah was to suffer—so He has fulfilled. ¹⁹ Repent, therefore, and return—so your sins might be blotted out, ²⁰ so times of relief might come from the presence of *ADONAI* and He might send *Yeshua*, the Messiah appointed for you. ²¹ Heaven must receive Him, until the time of the restoration of all the things that God spoke about long ago through the mouth of His holy prophets. ²² Moses said, ‘*ADONAI* your God will raise up for you a Prophet like me from among your brothers. Hear and obey Him in all that He shall say to you. ²³ And it shall be that every soul that will not listen to that Prophet shall be completely cut off from the people.’ ²⁴ Indeed, all the prophets who have spoken from Samuel on have announced these days. ²⁵ You are the sons of the prophets and also of the covenant that God cut with your fathers, saying to Abraham, ‘In your seed shall all the families of the earth be blessed.’ ²⁶ God raised up His Servant and sent Him first to you [Israel], to bless you all by turning each of you from your wicked ways.” (Acts 13:18-26)

And so we pray,

For the sin we committed in your sight forcibly or willingly,
And for the sin we committed against you with hard heartedness.
For the sin we committed against you without intention,
And for the sin we committed against you with idle talk.
For the sin we committed in your sight by lustful actions,
And for the sin we committed against you by offensive speech.
For the sin we committed in your sight by oppressing others,
And for the sin we committed by contempt for parents and teachers.
For the sin we committed in your sight by lewd association,
And for the sin we committed against you by insincere confession.
For the sin we committed against you by violence,
And for the sin we committed against you by defaming your name.

ועל כָּל אֵלֶּה סְלִיחוֹת סְלַח לָנוּ. מְחַל לָנוּ כַּפֵּר לָנוּ

V'al kulam, Eloha slichot, slach lanu, m'chal lanu, kaper lanu.

And for all of these, God of pardon, pardon us, forgive us, grant us atonement.

For the sin we committed in your sight by fraud and deception,
And for the sin we committed against you by bribery.
For the sin we committed in your sight by mocking,
And for the sin we committed against you by slander.
For the sin we committed in your sight by usury and interest,
And for the sin we committed against you by pride.
For the sin we committed in your sight by our manner of speech,
And for the sin we committed against you by wanton glances.
For the sin we committed in your sight by arrogance,
And for the sin we committed against you by scornful defiance.

ועל כָּל אֵלֶּה סְלִיחוֹת סְלַח לָנוּ. מְחַל לָנוּ כַּפֵּר לָנוּ

V'al kulam, Eloha slichot, slach lanu, m'chal lanu, kaper lanu.

And for all of these, God of pardon, pardon us, forgive us, grant us atonement.

For the sin we committed in your sight by shirking responsibility,
And for the sin we committed against you by passing judgment.
For the sin we committed in your sight by plotting against others,
And for the sin we committed against you by Gross selfishness.
For the sin we committed in your sight by foolishness,
And for the sin we committed against you by being stubborn.
For the sin we committed in your sight by running to do evil,
And for the sin we committed against you by tale bearing.
For the sin we committed in your sight by swearing falsely,
And for the sin we committed against you by groundless hatred.
For the sin we committed in your sight by breach of trust,
And for the sin we committed against you by a confused heart.

עַל כָּל אֵלֶּם אֱלֹהִים סְלִיחוֹת סְלַח לָנוּ. מַחֵל לָנוּ בְּפָר לָנוּ

V'al kulam, Eloha slichot, slach lanu, m'chal lanu, kaper lanu.

And for all of these, God of pardon, pardon us, forgive us, grant us atonement.

For the sins requiring a burnt offering,
And for the sins requiring a sin offering.
For the sins requiring corporal punishment,
And for the sins requiring forty lashes.
For the sins requiring death,
And for the sins requiring excommunication and childlessness.

Forgive us, God of mercy and forgiveness, for all these sins, for we read of our Messiah:

“But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned, every one, to his own way; and the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all” (Isaiah 53:5-6).

As it is written:

“But Messiah came as High Priest of the good things to come, with the greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is, not of this creation. Not with the blood of goats and calves, but with His own blood He entered the Most Holy Place once for all, having obtained eternal redemption. For if the blood of bulls and goats and the ashes of a heifer, sprinkling the unclean, sanctifies for the purifying of the flesh, how much more shall the blood of Messiah, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God” (Hebrews 9:11-14)?

“But this man, after He had offered one sacrifice for sins forever, sat down at the right hand of God, from that time waiting till His enemies are made His footstool. For by one offering He has perfected forever those who are being sanctified” (Hebrews 10:12-14).

So God of mercy and forgiveness, receive our prayer as we stand before you as and for Israel, open our eyes to the truth of Yeshua, hear our plea for mercy, and forgive all Israel for its sins, in Yeshua's Name. Amen.