

# The Prayer of Moses

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Lord, you have been our dwelling place

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throughout all generations. Before the

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mountains were born or you brought forth the

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whole world, from everlasting to everlasting

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you are God. Teach us to number our days,

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that we may gain a heart of wisdom.

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Satisfy us in the morning with your unfailing

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love, that we may sing for joy and be glad

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all our days. May the favor of the Lord

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our God rest on us; establish the work of our

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hands for us—yes, establish the work of our

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# The Blessing of Obedience

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Deuteronomy 28:1-14

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And it shall come to pass, if thou shalt

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hearken diligently unto the voice of the Lord

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thy God, to observe and to do all his

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commandments which I command thee this day,

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that the Lord thy God will set thee on high

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above all nations of the earth:

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And all these blessings shall come on thee,

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if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the

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Lord thy God.

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Blessed shalt thou be in the city, and blessed

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shalt thou be in the field.

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Blessed shall be the fruit of thy body, and the

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fruit of thy ground, and the fruit of thy

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cattle, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks

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of thy sheep.

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Blessed shall be thy basket and thy store.

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Blessed shalt thou be when thou comest in,

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and blessed shalt thou be when thou goest out.

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The Lord shall cause thine enemies that rise

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up against thee to be smitten before thy face:

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they shall come out against thee one way,

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and flee before thee seven ways.

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The Lord shall command the blessing upon thee

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in thy storehouses, and in all that thou

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settest thine hand unto; and he shall bless thee

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in the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

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The Lord shall establish thee an holy people

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unto himself, as he hath sworn unto thee,

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if thou shalt keep the commandments of the

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Lord thy God, and walk in his ways.

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And all people of the earth shall see that thou

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art called by the name of the Lord; and they

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shall be afraid of thee.

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And the Lord shall make thee plenteous in

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goods, in the fruit of thy body, and in the fruit

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of thy cattle, and in the fruit of thy ground,

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in the land which the Lord sware unto thy

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fathers to give thee.

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The Lord shall open unto thee his good treasure,

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the heaven to give the rain unto thy land in his

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season, and to bless all the work of thine

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hand: and thou shalt lend unto many nations,

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and thou shalt not borrow.

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And the Lord shall make thee the head,

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and not the tail; and thou shalt be above only,

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and thou shalt not be beneath; if that thou

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hearken unto the commandments of the Lord

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thy God, which I command thee this day,

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to observe and to do them:

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And thou shalt not go aside from any of the

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words which I command thee this day, to the

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right hand, or to the left, to go after other

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gods to serve them.

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# The Ten Commandments

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Exodus 20:1-17

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And God spake all these words, saying,

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I am the LORD thy God, which have brought

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thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the

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house of bondage.

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(1) Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

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image, or any likeness of any thing that is in

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heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath,

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or that is in the water under the earth.

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Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them,

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nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God am a

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jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers

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upon the children unto the third and fourth

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generation of them that hate me; And shewing

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mercy unto thousands of them that love me,

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and keep my commandments.

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(3) Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord

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thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold

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him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

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(4) Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy.

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Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work:

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But the seventh day is the sabbath of the Lord

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thy God: in it thou shalt not do any work,

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thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter,

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thy manservant, nor thy maidservant,

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nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within  
thy gates: For in six days the Lord made heaven  
and earth, the sea, and all that in them is,  
and rested the seventh day: wherefore the  
Lord blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it.

(5) Honor thy father and thy mother: that thy  
days may be long upon the land which the  
Lord thy God giveth thee.

(6) Thou shalt not kill.

(7) Thou shalt not commit adultery.

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(8) Thou shalt not steal.

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(9) Thou shalt not bear false witness against  
thy neighbor.

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(10) Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's house,  
thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife, nor  
his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox,  
nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbor's.

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I met a traveller from an antique land,

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Who said—"Two vast and trunkless legs of

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Stand in the desert. . . . Near them, on the sand,

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Half sunk a shattered visage lies, whose frown,

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And wrinkled lip, and sneer of cold command,

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Which yet survive, stamped on these lifeless

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things,

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The hand that mocked them, and the heart that

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fed;

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And on the pedestal, these words appear:

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My name is Ozymandias, King of Kings;

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Look on my Works, ye Mighty, and despair!

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Nothing beside remains. Round the decay

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Of that colossal Wreck, boundless and bare

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The lone and level sands stretch far away.”

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38 And Pharaoh said unto his servants, "Can

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we find such a one as this, a man in whom the

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spirit of God is?"

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39 And Pharaoh said unto Joseph, "Forasmuch

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as God hath showed thee all this, there is none

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so discreet and wise as thou."

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40 Thou shalt be over my house, and

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according unto thy word shall all my people be

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ruled: only in the throne will I be greater than

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41 And Pharaoh said unto Joseph, "See, I have  
set thee over all the land of Egypt."

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