

SABBATH PRAYER

[From the Stage Show and Motion Picture 'Fiddler on the Roof']

[All] May the Lord pro-**TECT** and de-**FEND** you,
may he al-ways shield you from shame;
may you come to be in
par-a-dise a shin-ing name.

May you be like Ruth and like Es-ther,
may you be de-serv-ing of praise;
strength-en them, O Lord, and
keep them from the stran-ger's ways.

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[Ladies] May God bless you and grant you long lives.

[Men] May the Lord ful-fil our Sab-bath
prayer for you.

[Ladies] May God make you good moth-ers and wives.

[Men] May He send you hus-bands who
will care for you.

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[Men] May the Lord pro-TECT and de-FEND you,

[Ladies] May the Lord pro-TECT and de-FEND you

[Men] May the Lord
pre serve you from pain

[Ladies] May the Lord pre-serve you from pain.

[Men] Fa-vour them, oh, Lord

[Ladies] Fa-vour
them

[ALL TOGETHER]

with hap-pi-ness and praise, oh

hear our Sab-bath Prayer *[Pause]*,

A - *[Pause]* - men.