

Nights 2–8 of Hanukkah

How to Set the Candles:

1. Add one new candle each night, always starting from right and moving left.
2. The shamash (the taller helper candle) goes nightly back to its special spot.

How to Light Them:

1. Light the shamash first.
2. Use the shamash to light the newest candle first (the one farthest left).
3. Light the rest of the candles, moving from left to right.
4. Say the blessings together!

Chag Sameach!

That means Happy Holiday in Hebrew.
On Hanukkah, some also say “**Chag Urim Sameach**,”
a special way to say **Happy Festival of Lights**.

Hanukkah Prayers

Blessing 1: Candles

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יי אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קִידְּשָׁנוּ
בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִוָּנוּ לְהַדְלִיק נֵר שֶׁל חֲנֻכָּה

Baruch Atah Adonai, Eloheinu Melech ha'olam,
asher kid'shanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu l'hadlik ner
shel Hanukkah.

Thank You, G-d, for making us holy through your commandments and commanding us to kindle the Hanukkah lights.

Blessing 2: Miracles

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יי אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם שֶׁעָשָׂה נִסִּים
לְאֲבוֹתֵינוּ בַּיָּמִים הָהֵם בְּזֶמַן הַזֶּה

Baruch Atah Adonai, Eloheinu Melech ha'olam,
she'asah nisim la'avoteinu bayamim haheim
bazman hazeh.

Thank You, G-d, for the amazing miracles you performed for
our ancestors long ago.



Saba adds for anyone wondering:
These two blessings are said
every night of Hanukkah.

Light the shamash.
Say the prayers together.
Then use the shamash to light the
rest of the candles.