

Like a Tree

וְהִיא כָעֵץ וְהִי תֵה כָעֵץ
וְהַיָנוּ כָעֵץ שָׁטוֹל עַל-פָלָגִים

V'haya k'aytz, v'hayita k'aytz, v'hayinu k'aytz shatul al-palgay-mayim

He shall be like a tree; she shall be like a tree;

We shall be like a tree planted by flowing waters. (Psalm 1:3)

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Melody

Harmony

The musical score consists of four staves of music. The top two staves are for the Melody and Harmony voices, both in treble clef and 4/4 time. The bottom two staves provide harmonic support. The lyrics are written below the notes in both Hebrew and English. The melody is a simple, melodic line, while the harmony provides harmonic support. The music is designed to be played together, with the melody being the primary vocal line and the harmony providing harmonic support.

V - ha - ya k - aytz vha - yi - ta k - aytz v - ha -
V - ha - ya k - aytz vha - yi - ta k - aytz
- yi - nu k - aytz sha - tul al - pal - gay - ma - yim al - pal - gay -
- ma - yim He shall be like a tree; she shall be like a
tree: We shall be like a tree plant - ed by flow - ing wa - ters.