

Sabbath Prayer

From the new musical "FIDDLER ON THE ROOF"

Lyrics by
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Music by
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Slowly, sincerely

Piano *mp*

Chorus

mp-mf

Am D Am7 D Am D

May the Lord pro-tect and de - fend you, May He al-ways shield you from

Am7 D Am D Am D

shame; May you come to be in Par - a - dise a shin - ing

G E7(b9) Am D Am7 D

name. May you be like Ruth and like Es - ther,

Am D Am7 D Am D

May you be de-serv - ing of praise; Strength-en them, oh Lord, and

Am7 D G

keep them from the stran - ger's ways.

F (duet:)

May God bless you and grant you long lives, (May the Lord ful - fill our SAB-BATH lives,

G

PRAYER for you.) May God make you good moth - ers and

F E7(b9) Am

(May He send you hus-bands who will care for you.) wives. May the Lord pro-tect and de-

Am7 D Am D Am7 D

fend you, May the Lord pre-serve you from pain;

Am D Am7 D Dm E7

Fa-vor them, oh Lord, with hap-pi-ness and peace, Oh, hear our SAB-BATH PRAYER, a

1. Am D Am7 D | 2. Am D Am7 D Am

men. men.

a tempo *a tempo* *rit.*