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Aliyah Blessings (with translation) בְּרִכּוֹת הַתּוֹרָה

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The honoree should move to the front of the Sanctuary before his/her aliyah, and ascend the bimah when called.

The honoree touches the Torah scroll with his/her tallit corner at the point where the reading is to begin and recites:

	הַמְבָרֵךְ.	יְיָ	אֶת־	בְּרִכּוֹ	1H
	the source of blessing	Adonai		Bless	1E

*The congregation recites this line, then the honoree **repeats** this line:*

וְעַד.	לְעוֹלָם	הַמְבָרֵךְ	יְיָ	בְּרוּךְ	2H
and ever	forever	the source of blessing	Adonai	Bless (is)	2E

The honoree then continues:

		יְיָ	אֶתָּה	בְּרוּךְ	3H
		Adonai	You	Bless (are)	3E
		הָעוֹלָם,	מֶלֶךְ	אֱלֹהֵינוּ	4H
		the universe/ eternity	Ruler/ Sovereign	our God	4E
הָעַמִּים	מִכָּל־	בָּנוּ	בָּחַר	אֲשֶׁר	5H
the peoples	from all of	[in] us	chose	that	5E
	תּוֹרָתוֹ.	אֶת־	לָנוּ	וְנָתַן	6H
	His Torah		to us	and gave	6E
הַתּוֹרָה.	נוֹתֵן	יְיָ	אֶתָּה	בְּרוּךְ	7H
the Torah	the One who gives	Adonai	You	Bless (are)	7E

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After the Torah reading, the honoree touches the Torah scroll with his/her tallit corner at the point where the reading ended and recites:

		יְיָ	אַתָּה	בָּרוּךְ	8H
		Adonai	You	Blessed (are)	8E
		הָעוֹלָם,	מֶלֶךְ	אֱלֹהֵינוּ	9H
		the universe/ eternity	Ruler/ Sovereign	our God	9E
אֱמֶת,	תּוֹרַת	לָנוּ	נָתַן	אֲשֶׁר	10H
truth	the Torah of	to us	gave	that	10E
	בְּתוֹכֵנוּ.	נִטַּע	עוֹלָם	וְחַיֵּי	11H
	in our midst	planted	eternity	and life of	11E
הַתּוֹרָה.	נוֹתֵן	יְיָ	אַתָּה	בָּרוּךְ	12H
the Torah	the One who gives	Adonai	You	Blessed (are)	12E