

The Lord Is Our God

Hear, O Israel:

**The LORD is our God,
the LORD alone.**

You shall love the LORD your God
with all your heart,
**and with all your soul,
and with all your might.**

Keep these words that I am commanding you today in your heart.

Recite them to your children
and talk about them when you are at home
and when you are away,
**when you lie down
and when you rise.**

Bind them as a sign on your hand,
fix them as an emblem on your forehead,
**write them on the doorposts of your house
and on your gates.**

(Deut. 6:4-9)