

SUKKAH OF SHALOM

Arthur Waskow likens the whole world to a sukkah: beautiful yet fragile. And all the earth's inhabitants including Russians and Americans, Arabs and Jews, co-exist in this sukkah-world, together and vulnerable.

Slowly

Lyrics: Liturgy
English Lyrics: Arthur Waskow

U - fros a - lē - nu suk - kat shlo - me - cha

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Spread ov - er all of us the suk - kah of sha - lom

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1. Ufros alenu/sukkat shlomecha;
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2. Spread over all of us/the Sukkah of Shalom;
Spread over all of us/the Sukkah of Shalom.
3. Spread over all of us/the webbed green leaves of earth;
Spread over all of us/the webbed green leaves of earth.
4. For we too live our lives/in the web of life on earth;
For we too live our lives/in the web of life on earth.
5. Spread over all of us/a house that trembles in the wind;
Spread over all of us/a house that trembles in the wind.
6. For we too live our lives/the millions who tremble when the wind is cold;
For we too live our lives/the millions who tremble when the wind is cold.
7. Spread over all of us/the unshielded shelter of the powerless;
Spread over all of us/the shelter of the powerless.
8. For we too live our lives/unshielded from the Flood of Fire;
For we too live our lives/unshielded from the Flood of Fire.
9. Spread over all of us/the house that gives us unity,
Spread over all of us/the house of harmony.

וּפְרוֹשׁ עָלֵינוּ סִבַּת שְׁלוֹמֶךָ
סִבַּת רַחֲמִים וְחַיִּים וְשְׁלוֹם
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(Repeat first 4 lines above.)