

My G-d, the G-d of this Congregation, of our ancestors, of our People:  
You know my profound imperfection, and you accept me.  
You know my penchant for peace, and you provide it.  
You know my thirst for questions, and you quench it.  
You know my longing for leadership, and you demonstrate it.  
Without You, G-d, I wander without aim.  
With You, G-d, I know my purpose, my code, my way.  
Defend those who defend You, G-d.  
Accept us with love.  
Reveal Your Truth.  
Sustain us.  
Heal us.  
Keep us Yours.

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