

Four Species

Before waving the four species, say the following blessing:

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוָה	Båruch Atå Adonoy
אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם,	Eloheinu Melech hå'olåm,
אֲשֶׁר קִדְּשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו	asher kid'shånu b'mitzvotåv,
וְצִוָּנוּ עַל נְטִילַת לֻלָּב.	v'tzivånu al n'tilat lulåv.

Blessed are You, Lord our God, King of the universe,
Who sanctified us with His mitzvot, and commanded
us concerning the taking of a palm branch.



*On the **first day** the Four Species are taken, add the following blessing:*

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אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם,	Eloheinu Melech hå'olåm,
שֶׁהֵחַיָּנוּ וְקִיָּמָנוּ	she'hecheyånu v'kiyimånu
וְהִגִּיעָנוּ לַזְמַן הַזֶּה.	vihigiyånu lazman hazeh.

Blessed are You, Lord our God, King of the universe,
Who has kept us alive, sustained us,
and brought us to this occasion.