



# The Narrow Bridge

## גשר צר מאוד

### INSPIRATIONAL QUOTES

**Short Quotes from Various Tzaddikim - Week 118**

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לע'נ פעסל בת ישראל מנחם / לזכות חילינו

*The yetzer hara will try to convince you that you are worthless.*

*That alone proves just how crucial you truly are.*

BASED ON THE TEACHINGS OF RABBI ELYAH LOPIAN (1876-1970)

*If you see someone drowning in a river, don't start lecturing them on how they got there.*

*Jump in and save them.*

BASED ON THE TEACHINGS OF REB SHLOMO OF KARLIN (1738-1792)

Yom HaZikaron - Israel's Memorial Day

*When asked about traveling to daven at the graves of the tzaddikim, Rav Shlomo Zalman Auerbach would respond, "In order to pray at the graves of tzaddikim, you don't need to travel up to the Galit. Whenever I feel the need to pray at the graves of tzaddikim, I go to Mount Herzl, to the graves of the fallen IDF soldiers."*

RABBI YISRAEL MEIR LAU

Yom HaZikaron - Israel's Memorial Day

*Every soldier who guards Israel fulfills a mitzvah every second, like one who studies Torah continuously.*

*He is a living Sefer Torah clothed in uniform.*

RABBI SHLOMO AVINER

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Yom HaZikaron - Israel's Memorial Day

*To the Brave Soldiers of the IDF,*

*There are no words deep enough, no thanks grand enough, to truly capture what you give for us every single day. Still, from the depths of our hearts, we write to say thank you.*

*Thank you for standing on the front lines so that we are able to sleep in peace.*

*Thank you for leaving your families so ours can be safe.*

*Thank you for carrying the weight of a nation on your shoulders, with courage, honor, and unwavering resolve.*

*Thank you for risking everything - your lives, your time, your futures - for the sake of our people.*

*Your bravery shields not only Israel but Jews across the world. Because of you, we walk taller. Because of you, we believe in a safer tomorrow, a better tomorrow.*

*And to the sacred memory of those who have fallen - our beloved heroes - we do not forget you. Your names are etched forever into the soul of Am Yisrael.*

*Your light, though physically gone, shines on in every sunrise over Jerusalem, in every child laughing in Tel Aviv, in every prayer whispered at the Kotel.*

*You are not just soldiers. You are our brothers and sisters. Our protectors. Our pride.*

*May Hashem bless each and every one of you. May He watch over those who serve today, and may He gather the souls of the fallen in peace, under His eternal wings.*

*With deepest love, respect, and unending gratitude,*

*Am Yisrael*



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Yom Ha'Atzmaut - Israel's Independence Day

*The miracle of the State of Israel is not only its existence, but that it became a home for all Jews - those who pray, those who question, and those who are still searching.*

RABBI SHLOMO GOREN (1917-1994)

*Hashem may not have a smartphone, but He always has us saved as His favorite contact.*

*He may not have whatsapp, but He always loves to see our status updates.*

*He may not have social media, but He is always following us.*

*He may not even have the internet, but He always manages to stay connected.*

*And even though He has the largest communication system, He never puts us on hold.*