

EXPOUNDING ON THE PRAYER

The Times of Israel

[Giving Peace a Chance Everywhere: Widening the Scope of Oseh Shalom](#) (blog),

written by Dan Ornstein

February 21, 2016

JTS Torah Commentary

[Making Peace on High and on Earth](#), written by Lewis Warshauer

June 22, 2002

Sefaria

[Oseh Shalom: Find Your Own Meaning](#), written by Sai Koros

Rashi on Job 25:2:2

God makes peace in God's heights. When the constellations ascend, each one thinks, "I will ascend first," and because one does not see what is before them, one is not envious. So I heard. [Tanchuma Buber ad loc.] Another explanation: God makes peace in God's heights—Fire and water are mixed, and the water does not extinguish the fire; I did not hear this.

Malbim on Job 25:2:1

Although God has delegated certain powers to the innumerable forces of Nature, they remain subject to God's overall charge and control, thus ensuring that they operate in harmony.

Steinsaltz on Job 25:2

Dominion and fear are with God. God has supreme authority and power; therefore, God casts God's awe upon all. **God also makes peace in God's heights.**

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Shalom Learning Center

[Oseh Shalom](#), written by Erin Parfet

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The Light Lab

[Oseh Shalom: the point of prayer](#), written by Eliana Light (the light lab founder)

Kveller

[This Is the Jewish Song We Need Right Now](#), written by Lior Zaltzman (deputy managing editor of Kveller)

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Religion News Service

[Oseh Shalom: The case against perpetual war](#) (op-ed), written by Mordechai Gordon

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VIDEOS

[Debbie Friedman - Oseh Shalom \(2001\)](#)

[Oseh Shalom lyrics video: Learn the words to the Jewish prayer for peace](#)

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[Oseh Shalom for Pope Francis](#)