

Chad Gadya

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Source:

*Chad gadya chad gadya
Dizvan aba bitrey zuzey, chad gadya chad gadya.*

*Va'ata shunra ve'ahal legadya,
dizvan aba bitrey zuzey, chad gadya chad gadya*

*Va'ata halba venashah leshunra, de'ahal legadya, dizvan aba
bitrey zuzey, chad gadya chad gadya.*

*Va'ata hutra vehikah lehalba, denashah leshunra, de'ahal
legadya, dizvan aba bitrey zuzey, chad gadya chad gadya.*

*Va'ata nura vesaraf lehutra, de'ahal lehalba, denashah
leshunra, de'ahal legadya, dizvan aba bitrey zuzey, chad gadya
chad gadya*

*Va'ata maya vehavah lenura, desaraf lehutra, de'ahal lehalba,
denashah leshunra, de'ahal legadya, dizvan aba bitrey zuzey,
chad gadya chad gadya*

*Va'ata tora veshatah lemaya, dehavah lenura, desaraf lehutra,
de'ahal lehalba, denashah leshunra, de'ahal legadya, dizvan
aba bitrey zuzey, chad gadya chad gadya*

*Va'ata hashohet veshahat letora, deshatah lemaya, dehavah
lenura, desaraf lehutra, de'ahal lehalba, denashah leshunra,
de'ahal legadya, dizvan aba bitrey zuzey, chad gadya chad
gadya*

*Va'ata malah hamavet veshahat leshohet, deshahat letora,
deshatah lemaya, dehavah lenura, desaraf lehutra, de'ahal
lehalba, denashah leshunra, de'ahal legadya, dizvan aba bitrey
zuzey, chad gadya chad gadya.*

*Va'ata hakadosh baruh hu veshahat lemalah hamavet,
deshahat leshohet, deshahat letora, deshatah lemaya, dehavah
lenura, desaraf lehutra, de'ahal lehalba, denashah leshunra,
de'ahal legadya, dizvan aba bitrey zuzey, chad gadya chad
gadya. Chad gadya chad gadya*

An only kid, an only kid
My father bought for two zuzim, an only kid and only kid.

There came a cat and ate the kid my father bought for two
zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came a dog and bit the cat that ate the kid my father
bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came a stick and beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came a fire and burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came water and quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came an ox and drank the water that quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came a slaughterer and killed the ox that drank the water that quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came the angel of death who killed the *shohet* who killed the ox that drank the water that quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came the Holy One and killed the angel of death who killed the *shohet* who killed the ox that drank the water that quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.* An only kid, an only kid

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Then came a dog and bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came a stick and beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came a fire and burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came water and quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came an ox and drank the water that quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate

the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

Then came a slaughterer and killed the ox that drank the water that quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*

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Then came the Holy One and killed the angel of death who killed the *shohet* who killed the ox that drank the water that quenched the fire that burnt the stick that beat the dog that bit the cat that ate the kid my father bought for two zuzim. *Chad gadya, chad gadya.*