

Tu B'Shvat Songs

Artza Alinu

Artza Alinu (6x)
Kvar charashnu v'gam zaranu (2x)
Aval `od lo katzarnu (3x)

We've gone up to the land.
We've already ploughed and planted
But we haven't harvested yet.

Zum Gali Gali

Zum gali gali gali, Zum gali gali (2x)
Hechalutz lema'an `avodah
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Atzey Zeitim

Atzey zeitim `omdim (4x)
La, la, la, la, . . .
Olive trees are standing (4x)

Eretz Zavot Chalav

Eretz zavot chalav,
Chalav u'd'vash
A land flowing with milk and honey

Hashkediva

Hashkediya porachat
V'shemesh paz zorachat;
Tziporim merosh kol gag,
M'vasrot et bo hechag.
Tu bishevat higiya Chag ha'ilanot (2x)

The almond tree is growing,
A golden sun is glowing;
Birds sing out in joyous glee
From every roof and every tree.
Tu Bishevat is here,
The Jewish Arbor Day
Hail the trees' New Year,
Happy holiday

Ten Lo'

Ten lo mishelo
She'atah v'shelach shelo
V'nomar l'fanav shirah chadasha

Give to God that which is God's
since you and all that is yours is God's
We will sing a new song before God.

Kach Holchim

Kach Holchim hashotlim,
Ron balev v'et bayad,
Min hair umin hakfar,
Min ha`emek min hahar
B'Tu Tu Tu Tu, b'Tu BiShvat,
B'Tu Tu Tu Tu, b'Tu BiShvat.

Here come planters spade in hand.
See them swinging bravely by,
Little trees they bear on high.
On *chamishah`asar bishvat*,
On Tu Tu Tu Tu, on Tu BiShvat,
On Tu Tu Tu Tu, on Tu BiShvat.

What has brought you planters here?
We strike the rocky mountain side
Drain the marshes far and wide.
(Chorus)
What will all your labors bring?
Trees will clothe the land so bare,
Giving shade and beauty rare.

Ki Hinei

Ki hinei hastav `avar
Hageshem chalaf halach lo
Hanitzanim nir'u ba'aretz
Et hazamir higiya

Lo, the winter is past,
The rain is over and gone;
The flowers appear on the earth,
The time of singing is come. La, la, la, . .