

# NA'AMAT USA PASSOVER HAGGADAH

## Introduction

We celebrate Passover, the Festival of Freedom, by remembering the Exodus and our ongoing journey toward justice and equality. Just as the Israelites were liberated from Egypt, NA'AMAT USA works to empower women, children, and families, ensuring dignity, opportunity, and a brighter future for those in Israel and beyond.

## Kadesh (Sanctification)

We raise the first cup of wine, sanctifying this sacred night. Freedom is not just a story of the past—it is a mission for today.

## Urchatz (Washing the Hands)

We wash our hands, preparing ourselves for action. May this remind us of our responsibility to uplift others with clean hands and open hearts.

## Karpas (Dipping the Vegetable)

We dip a green vegetable in saltwater, recalling both the tears of oppression and the hope of renewal. Just as NA'AMAT provides education and opportunity, we plant seeds for a better future.

## Yachatz (Breaking the Matzah)

Breaking the middle matzah reminds us that freedom is still incomplete. Through advocacy and action, we work toward a world where no one is left behind.

## Maggid (Telling the Story)

The Exodus teaches us that justice requires action. We must lead with courage. NA'AMAT USA continues this legacy by supporting the advancement of social justice and gender equality.

## Rachtzah (Washing with a Blessing)

We wash again, affirming our readiness to continue our noble work.

## Motzi-Matzah (Blessing and Eating Matzah)

We eat matzah, the bread of urgency, remembering that change cannot wait.

## Maror (Bitter Herbs) & Korech (Hillel Sandwich)

We taste the bitterness of oppression, never forgetting past struggles. Yet, we also combine bitter and sweet, recognizing that progress comes through both hardship and hope.

## Shulchan Orech (The Meal)

We share this meal, celebrating the strength of community and our commitment to tikkun olam—repairing the world.

## Tzafun (Finding the Afikoman)

The hidden matzah is found and shared, symbolizing the fulfillment of redemption. May we continue to uncover new ways to support and empower those in need in Israel and beyond.

## Barech (Grace After Meals) & Hallel (Songs of Praise)

We give thanks for our blessings and sing of freedom, justice, and peace.

## Nirtzah (Conclusion)

With hope in our hearts, we say: **“Next year in Jerusalem!”** May the work of NA'AMAT USA help create a world of greater equality, dignity, and opportunity for all.

**Chag Pesach Sameach! – Happy Passover!**