AM YISRAEL CHAI

Music: Noam Katz (inspired by the Abayudaya Jews of Uganda)
Text: unknown

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E       E       E               A       B
Am-eh am-eh am-eh Yis-ra-el-eh chai    }
E       E       E       A       B       E    } 2x
Am-eh am-eh am-eh Yis-ra-el-eh chai    }
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 E   A   E       A       B
O--oh--od-eh A-vi-nu chai   }
E   A   E       A   B   E        } 2x
O--oh--od-eh A-vi-nu chai    }
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The Jewish people lives! Our God yet lives!

Note:
In Luganda, a native dialect of Uganda, a vowel sound is often added to the end of words that normally end in a consonant. The Abayudaya have adopted this speech pattern in their pronunciation of modern Hebrew. This song reflects that melding of two cultures, two languages interacting with each other to reveal one universal message—that the strength of God and the Jewish people will live on forever.