In this era of tension and anxiety, members of the household of Israel are fortunate to have a tradition impelling pause, articulated at Sinai, “The seventh day is the Sabbath unto the Lord thy God; in it thou shalt not do any manner of work!” Fortifying this commandment is the Sabbath worship service which separates the seventh day from days of common routine. Within the walls of the synagogue, we may soothe our harassed souls and gain new strength and refreshment of spirit with which to return to the obligations of the other days of the week.

Therefore, be it resolved, that the Executive Board of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, in annual session assembled in St. Louis, Missouri, on December 1, 1949, calls upon its members to enjoy regularly our tradition-blessed Sabbath to appear with their families in the synagogue each Sabbath, and to utilize their influence to remove conflicting tasks from their calendars on this holy day.