TEFILAT HADERECH: WHEN TO SAY

Tefilat HaDerech: When To Say: Leaving Your

Say <u>tefilat ha'derech</u> when leaving your "place," which may be a city, town, village, or even your home if you live in an isolated area. You may only say *tefilat ha'derech* if you will go at least 2.8 miles outside the inhabited area.

Tefilat HaDerech: When To Say: Starting Journey

If you will certainly leave the city limits at some point in your journey, you may say <u>tefilat ha'derech</u> as soon as you start your journey (when you leave your house or get in your car, etc.).

EXAMPLE You may say *tefilat ha'derech* when leaving your house for a flight, but the optimal time is when the plane begins to taxi.

Tefilat HaDerech: When To Say: City Limits

City limits for *tefilat ha'derech* means the last house before a gap of 2.8 miles, measured horizontally but not vertically.

Tefilat HaDerech: Boat

Say *tefilat ha'derech* in a boat that will be going at least 2.8 miles from shore.

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