

# **ISRAEL NEWS FROM** **CALVARY CHAPEL** **JERUSALEM**

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## **PALESTINIAN GOAL IS ISRAEL'S DESTRUCTION**

The Palestinian Authority, in its Arabic messages to its people, has always denied Israel's right to exist and has often presented the peace process as a tactic leading to Israel's destruction.

This goal was repeated Friday, on the Palestinian Authority television, in the official sermon. Senior religious figure, Ibrahim Mudyris, explained that the limitation of the diplomatic process is that it can only achieve the 1967 borders, and that at a latest stage, the Palestinian Authority will achieve its goal, the destruction of Israel—"the way Muhammad returned there as a conqueror."

"We do not love any land more than the land of Palestine. Had the Jews not expelled us from it with their planes, their tanks, their weapons, their treachery around us, we would never leave you, Oh Palestine." [He quotes Muhammad, who promised he would return to Mecca as a conqueror.]

"We tell you Palestine, we shall return to you, by Allah's will, We shall return to every village, every town, and every grain of earth which was quenched by the blood of our grandparents and the sweat of our fathers and mothers. We shall return, we shall return. Our willingness to return to the 1967 borders does not mean that we have given up on the land of Palestine. No! We ask you: Do we have the right to the 1967 borders? We have the right. Therefore, we shall realize this right with any mean it takes. We might be able to use diplomacy in order to return to the 1967 borders, but we shall not be able to use diplomacy in order to return to the 1948 borders. No one on this earth recognizes [our right to] the 1948 borders [before Israel's existence].

Therefore, we shall return to the 1967 borders, but it does not mean that we have given up on Jerusalem and Haifa, Jaffa, Lod, Ramla, Natanyah [Al-Zuhour] and Tel Aviv [Tel Al-Rabia]. Never. We shall return to every village we had been expelled from, by Allah's will. Why? All the international laws deny the Palestinians their real borders. We might agree, but in the name of Allah, our grandfathers' blood demands that we return to them [the borders]. Your father's blood was shed there, at the villages, at Ashqelon, at Ashdod, at Hirbia [a village between Gaza and Ashqelon,

where Kibbutz Zikim is located today] and at others places, hundreds of villages and towns. [Their blood] demands it from us, and it shall curse anyone who will concede a grain of earth of those villages. Our approval to return to the 1967 borders is not a concession for our other rights. No!...this generation might not achieve this stage, but generations will come, and the land of Palestine...will demand that the Palestinians will return the way Muhammad returned there, as a conqueror." (Palestinian Media Watch)

*Note from Pastor Kevin Lea – This is a direct fulfillment of the first part of the prophecy of Psalms 83, which has never been fulfilled in past history. The second part of the prophecy deals with the destruction of those nations trying to destroy the nation of Israel. Could this act of God be on the near horizon? Time will tell.*

Ps 83:1 Do not keep silent, O God! Do not hold Your peace, and do not be still, O God! 2 For behold, Your enemies make a tumult; and those who hate You have lifted up their head. 3 They have taken crafty counsel against Your people [**the Jews**], and consulted together against Your sheltered ones. 4 They have said, "Come, and let us cut them off from being a nation, that the name of Israel may be remembered no more." 5 For they have consulted together with one consent; they form a confederacy against You: 6 The tents of Edom and the Ishmaelites; Moab and the Hagrites; 7 Gebal, Ammon, and Amalek; Philistia with the inhabitants of Tyre; 8 Assyria also has joined with them; they have helped the children of Lot. Selah

*This list of nations is completely fulfilled in the current Middle-East confederacies of Arab nations calling for the elimination of Israel.*

## **PART 2**

9 Deal with them as with Midian [Judges 7], as with Sisera, as with Jabin at the Brook Kishon [Judges 4-5], 10 Who perished at En Dor, who became as refuse on the earth. 11 Make their nobles like Oreb and like Zeeb [Judges 7], yes, all their princes like Zebah and Zalmunna, 12 Who said, "Let us take for ourselves the pastures of God for a possession."

*It is interesting to note that the murderers of Jews, Zebah and Zalmunna, rode camels that had crescent ornaments around their necks. Today the same crescent moon decorates all the mosques of Islam.*

*Judg 8:21 So Zebah and Zalmunna said, "Rise yourself, and kill us; for as a man is, so is his strength." So Gideon arose and killed Zebah and Zalmunna, **and took the crescent ornaments** that were on their camels' necks. (NKJ)*

13 O my God, make them like the whirling dust, like the chaff before the wind! 14 As the fire burns the woods, and as the flame sets the mountains on fire, 15 So pursue them with Your tempest, and frighten them with Your storm. 16 Fill their faces with shame, that they may seek Your name, O LORD. 17 Let them be confounded and dismayed forever; yes, let them be put to shame and perish, 18 That they may know that You, whose name alone is the LORD, are the Most High over all the earth. (NKJ)

*Fulfillment coming to a Middle-East near you!!!*

#### **IRAN, SYRIA MISSILES CAN TARGET U.S. INTERESTS**

Iran and Syria have acquired the missile capability to target U.S. interests in the Middle East. A senior U.S. official said Iran and Syria have developed ballistic missiles that can destroy U.S. targets in Iraq as well as in nations aligned with Washington. The official said both countries have received significant assistance from North Korea, which has sought to sell complete missile systems to the Middle East. "Iran and Syria can currently reach the territory of U.S. friends and allies with their ballistic missiles," Assistant Secretary of State for Arms Control Stephen Rademaker said. Rademaker told a missile defense conference by the Washington-based American Foreign Policy Council that Iran was developing space launch vehicles as a building block for an intercontinental ballistic missile. He said an ICBM could be completed within a few years. (MENL)

#### **CHINA IGNORES U.S. WARNINGS ON IRAN**

China has failed to heed U.S. warnings to stop missile exports to Iran. U.S. officials said state-owned Chinese defense firms continue to send missile components and technology to Teheran. The officials said that despite repeated warnings the flow of Chinese components and technology has bolstered Iran's medium- and intermediate- range ballistic missile programs.

"On numerous occasions we have expressed our concern about these entities to the Chinese government and have asked Beijing to subject exports by these serial proliferators to persistent and close scrutiny," Undersecretary of State John Bolton said. "Unfortunately, we continue to see transfers by these serious proliferators of missile-related items to rogue states and

outposts of tyranny such as Iran."

Addressing a conference in Tokyo on Feb. 8, Bolton identified China's main missile clients as Iran, Libya, North Korea and Pakistan. He said Chinese state-owned firms have been sanctioned for providing ballistic missile technology to these countries, some of them proliferators themselves.  
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### **HOW DO YOU UPROOT ONE MILLION PLANTS?"**

Anita Tucker, originally from the U.S. and one of the original Jewish residents of the Gaza Coast communities, asks rhetorically, "How do you evacuate one million plants?" The 59-year-old Tucker has become an expert in growing celery while working in her family hothouses in the Gush Katif farming community of Netzer Hazani. "Every seedling I plant here only strengthens my love for this place," she says. "I speak to the plants and even have names for them."

Anita Tucker, whose husband Mordechai teaches English at a yeshiva high school in the adjacent community of Katif, farms two acres of hothouses among the 1,200 acres of hothouse farms in Gush Katif. She grows celery without insects, in a process that Gush Katif residents have perfected over the past 20 years.

Like most of the Jewish residents in Gaza, she doesn't give much thought to the government's plan to dismantle their homes and transfer the land to the Arabs. "My head is in the plants," she asserts. "I came here when there were only sand dunes, and they told me it was impossible to grow anything here. But my friends and I proved the opposite. Despite the terror and mortar shelling, we are strong and we love this place." (Arutz 7)

### **FORBES: "ISRAELI WEB SITE "BEST INNOVATION IN YEARS"**

The prestigious (Forbes magazine) has termed Israeli start-up GuruNet "the best Internet innovation in years." The company's software enables users to click on any word on their screen—whether in an e-mail, Word document, or even PDF file—to receive an instant pop-up box full of relevant information.

For example, clicking on the word "Intel"—or typing it in—turns up a single page with a brief company history including pictures of the founders, a company profile, annual sales, employees, office phone numbers, executives' names, stock charts, and recent news.

"I defy you to go to Intel's own Web site and find all that information within five minutes," Robert Rosenschein, chief executive of GuruNet, told Forbes magazine. The company is expected to announce an agreement with search-

engine Google, which started directing traffic toward GuruNet's answers.com last week.

"Let me just come right out and say it. Answers.com is the most useful, smartest, coolest, easiest-to-use Web innovation to come around in years," Forbes Senior Editor Lisa DiCarlo concludes. GuruNet's Research-and-Development office is located in Jerusalem Technology Park, Jerusalem.

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