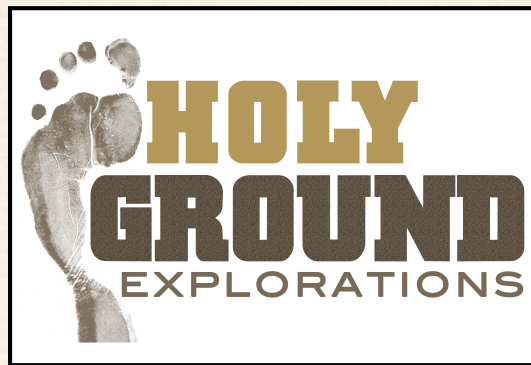




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# This Weeks Attacks

Last Friday one young Israeli was murdered and another wounded by an Arab terrorist. Danny Gonen, 25, was murdered when a Palestinian terrorist fired bullets at their car.

The Palestinian leadership has issued no condemnation, while some Palestinian factions praised the attack.

This last weekend a Border Policeman was stabbed outside the Damascus Gate in Jerusalem and is currently in critical condition.

Hamas took to social media after the stabbing to hail the actions of attacker as "heroic."



# The UN, the US & Israel

Former Israeli envoy to Washington, Michael Oren, said the United States is “likely” not to veto an expected United Nations Security Council resolution calling for the creation of a Palestinian state. The possibility of the withdrawal of U.S. cover for Israel at the Security Council was first speculated in November, 2014, and was openly implied by Obama administration officials in March this year.

State Department spokeswoman Jen Psaki said at the time, according to the Wall Street Journal. “We’re currently evaluating our approach, We’re not going to prejudge what we would do if there was a U.N. action.”



# Who Knew?

## Fatah Recognizes Israel Right to Exist

Israel maintains that the PLO must recognize Israel as the Jewish State as a crucial element of any peace agreement.

Palestinian negotiator Saeb Erekat claims that the PLO has already done so, but wishes to retract the recognition. The PLO leader recommends that the Palestinian leadership "consider retracting its recognition of Israel until the Israeli government issues a reciprocal recognition of a Palestinian state."

He claimed that the PLO, under the leadership of arch-terrorist Yasser Arafat, recognized the State of Israel in 1988.

However, Israel maintains that the Palestinians have never recognized Israel as a Jewish State, and Palestinian Authority (PA) Mahmoud Abbas has repeatedly rejected requests to do so.



# UN Hell-bent on Remaining Anti-Israel

PM Benjamin Netanyahu outraged after U.N. chief Ban Ki-moon accuses Israel of using excessive force against Palestinian children.

Writing on his Facebook page early Friday, Netanyahu said: "This is a dark day for the U.N. Instead of highlighting the fact that Hamas made hostages of Gaza's children when it fired at Israel from preschools, the U.N. has again chosen to reproach Israel, which held itself to the highest moral standards in combat, as was determined just this past week by a group of senior American and European general. "

At the same time, Hamas -- a terror organization -- is awarded immunity by the U.N., even though it has been proven beyond any doubt that it committed war crimes by firing from hospitals, mosques and from within U.N. facilities. It turns out there is no limit to hypocrisy."

FACTS - The U.N. report on children and armed conflict has 32 paragraphs on Israel, only eight on Iraq, 15 on Afghanistan, 18 on Syria.



# Terror Tunnels?



- ❖ The report, which purports to be objective, sounds at times like a bad joke. To indicate that the use of tunnels by Hamas is legitimate and to assert that the group issues warnings before striking Tel Aviv are not serious claims, but rather a case of Hamas propaganda being served by researchers who don't have the faintest idea about what is happening here, nor what is happening among Israel's enemies.
- ❖ The report notes that the probe "cannot conclusively determine the intent of Palestinian armed groups with regard to the construction and use of these tunnels. However, the commission observes that during the period under examination, the tunnels were only used to conduct attacks directed at IDF positions in Israel in the vicinity of the Green Line, which are legitimate military targets."



# Progress?

- ❖ The tiny Spanish village of Castrillo Matajudíos -- which means "Camp Kill Jews" -- on Monday officially changed its name back to Castrillo Mota de Judíos ("Jews' Hill Camp") following a referendum and regional government approval.
- ❖ The village, with about 50 inhabitants, voted to change the name in 2014 after the mayor argued that the term was offensive and that the village should honor its Jewish origins.
- ❖ Documents show the village's original name was "Jews' Hill Camp" and that the "Kill Jews" name dates from 1627, after a 1492 Spanish edict ordering Jews to become Catholics or flee the country. Those who remained faced the Spanish Inquisition, with many burned at the stake.





# Tabgha

Left-wing lawmakers visit burned 'Jesus loaves' church. Arson attack on Christian holy site draws condemnation from across political spectrum, Shin Bet launches investigation

"This was a cowardly, despicable act and I strongly condemn it," said Public Security Minister Gilad Erdan Thursday. "We will not allow anyone to undermine the coexistence between faiths or races in Israel. This attack on the principles of interfaith tolerance is an attack on the State of Israel's most crucial values.



# 10 Year Gush Katif Anniversary

## 10 years on - Gush Katif is Terrorists

### Training Grounds

Among the many attractions available to Palestinian children in the area formerly known as Gush Katif are a theme park, water slides, a zoo - and a Hamas terror camp. Hundreds of teenagers aged 12 and up train there as Hamas shapes the future fighters of its military wing, the Izz ad-Din al-Qassam Brigades. The teens practice live fire, learn how to read maps and offer first aid, and also practice the kidnapping of IDF soldiers.



# Quote of the Week

"All the current troubles in the world are all because of that shi\*\*y little country Israel .

Why should the world be in danger of World War III because of those people?" - Daniel Bernard, French Ambassador to England, December 2001 -

Not because of that 'nice' Islamic genocidal idiocy? (see below)



# Islamic Terror Business

**Afghanistan January 5, 2015** - A car packed with explosives drove up to a European police training organization, in Kabul. Taliban claimed responsibility. 1 killed 16 wounded.

**Iraq January 6, 2015** - Two suicide bombers attacked a mosque in the town of Al-Jubba while Iraqi soldiers were resting, killing 10 soldiers plus the two attackers. Clashes following the bombings left 13 security personnel dead and 21 wounded.

**France January 7-9, 2015** - A series of 5 attacks in and around Paris kill 17 people, plus 3 attackers, and leave 22 other people injured.

**Nigeria January 8, 2015 - 2015** - Baga massacre. Boko Haram attacks town of Baga in northern Nigeria killing at least 200 people, 2000 are unaccounted for.

**Lebanon January 10, 2015** - In the 2015 Jabal Mohsen suicide attacks. 9 people died and 30+ were wounded.

**Egypt January 29, 2015** - January 2015 Sinai attacks. 44 killed.

**Pakistan January 30, 2015** - Suicide bomber kills at least 55, injuring at least 59 in a Shiite mosque in southern Pakistan.

**Denmark February 14-15, 2015** - 2015 Copenhagen attacks. A gunman opened fire at the Krudttoenden café and later at the Great Synagogue in Copenhagen, killing two civilians and injuring five others.

**Nigeria March 7, 2015** - Five suicide bomb blasts leave 58 dead and 143 wounded in the 2015 Maiduguri suicide bombing.

**Pakistan March 15, 2015** - Suicide bombers kill at least 15 people in attacks on two churches in Lahore.

**Tunisia March 18, 2015** - Bardo National Museum attack. Militants linked to ISIL attack the Bardo National Museum with guns, killing 21 people and injuring around 50.

**Yemen March 20, 2015** - 2015 Sana'a mosque bombings. 135 killed in bombings on several mosques by ISIL.

**Libya March 25, 2015** - ISIL affiliates, The Shura Council of Benghazi Revolutionaries in Libya carried out suicide bombings in the city of Benghazi. Twelve were killed and 25 wounded. Five additional dead during attacks with a local militia.

**Somalia March 27, 2015** - Makka al-Mukarama hotel attack. 20+ dead 28 wounded.

**Kenya April 2, 2015** - 148 killed in Al-Shabaab's Garissa University College attack.



**Saudi Arabia April 8, 2015** - In the city of Riyadh two policemen are shot dead. ISIL is blamed to be behind the attack.

**Somalia April 14, 2015** - Militants of Al-Shabaab attack a government building in Mogadishu in the 2015 Ministry of Higher Education attack. 17 dead 15 wounded.

**Iraq April 17, 2015** - A series of bombings by the ISIL occurred through Baghdad. 40+ killed 59+ injured.

**Iraqi Kurdistan April 17, 2015** - A car bomb exploded at the entrance of the US consulate in Erbil, Iraq. ISIL took credit for the attack. 3 killed 5 wounded.

**Afghanistan April 18, 2015** - A suicide bomb detonated in front of a bank in Jalalabad, Afghanistan. ISIL claims responsibility. 33 killed 100+ injured.

**France April 19, 2015** - A 32-year Frenchwoman is murdered by a gunman whose plot to attack a church is foiled shortly after.

**Somalia April 20, 2015** - A minivan of UN workers was bombed by Al-Shabaab in the Puntland region of Somalia. 9 dead 4 injured.

**Bosnia and Herzegovina April 27, 2015** - At the Zvornik police station terrorist attack in the city of Zvornik. A police officer was killed, two others were injured.

**Iraq May 3, 2015** - Two car bombs were detonated ten minutes apart in Baghdad by ISIS. Nineteen were killed.

**United States May 3, 2015** - Two gunmen attacked the Curtis Culwell Center during a 'Draw Muhammad' cartoon art exhibit in Garland, Texas. 2 dead (perpetrators), 1 injured.

**Afghanistan May 3, 2015** - Taliban militants overran checkpoints in Warduj, killing 17 policemen.

**Afghanistan May 4, 2015** - A government bus was attacked by a suicide bomber in Kabul, killing one person and injuring 15 others.

**Iraq May 10, 2015** - Two car bombs were detonated ten minutes apart in Baghdad, Iraq and surrounding towns of Taji and Tarmiyah. ISIS claims responsibility. 14 were killed and wounding 30.

**Afghanistan May 10, 2015** - A bus carrying Afghan government employees was attacked in Kabul by a suicide bomber, killing 3 people and injuring 10. Taliban claimed responsibility.

**Pakistan May 13, 2015** - A bus carrying Shia Muslims was attacked by six armed gunman who rode up in motorcycles. Several Islamist groups claim responsibility. 45 dead 13 injured.

**Afghanistan May 14, 2015** - A hotel that was hosting a cultural event was attacked by Taliban fighters in Kabul leaving 14 dead including an American, an Italian, and 4 Indians.

**Afghanistan May 17, 2015** - A Taliban suicide attack Hamid Karzai International Airport targeting a European police training vehicle. 3 dead 18 injured.

**Afghanistan May 19, 2015** - A suicide car bombing detonated in the parking lot of a Justice Ministry building in the diplomatic section of Kabul, killing 4 people wounding 42. (SHAMRAK REPORT)

