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In regards to the Gaza Border Uprisings ... "We do believe the Israelis have the right to defend themselves and we are fully supportive of that," Mike Pompeo declared.

There are 80,000 Shi'ite militiamen in Syria, trained and recruited by Iran, so it has been claimed. Ambassador to the United Nations Danny Danon displayed a map Thursday at the UN, asserting that some of them were being trained several kilometers from Damascus. "They are trained to commit acts of terror in Syria and across the region," he said.

"It is about time the Palestinians take the proposals and agree to come to the negotiations table or shut up and stop complaining," Saudi Crown Prince Mohammed Bin Salman stated.

(We are flying out tomorrow and heading back to Idaho - look for our KFIR Middle East You Tube's to start back up next week. Also - PLEASE invite a friend this week to join our KFIR Global Community)



SYRIA BOMBED



A large weapons depot belonging to Iran's Revolutionary Guard Corps was attacked on Sunday night, reportedly causing massive casualties and damage. Reports in the Arab media say that the Syrian base in Hama province, belonging to Syria's 47th Brigade, was attacked by missiles, causing loud explosions with flames seen from afar.

Syrian-based opposition media activist Mohamad Rasheed said the base has been run by Iranian and Iran-backed fighters from Lebanon, Iraq, Afghanistan and Pakistan.

The number of casualties varies in the reports, but at least 26 soldiers were killed, with some sources citing up to 40 dead. Several of the casualties were reportedly Iranian soldiers, including a commander.



MOSSAD – IRAN



Mossad Agents reportedly stole 110,000 documents from a Tehran warehouse and smuggled them back to Israel in one night. According to a New York Times report Monday, Mossad agents broke into the building, took the documents and moved them back to Israel that same night.

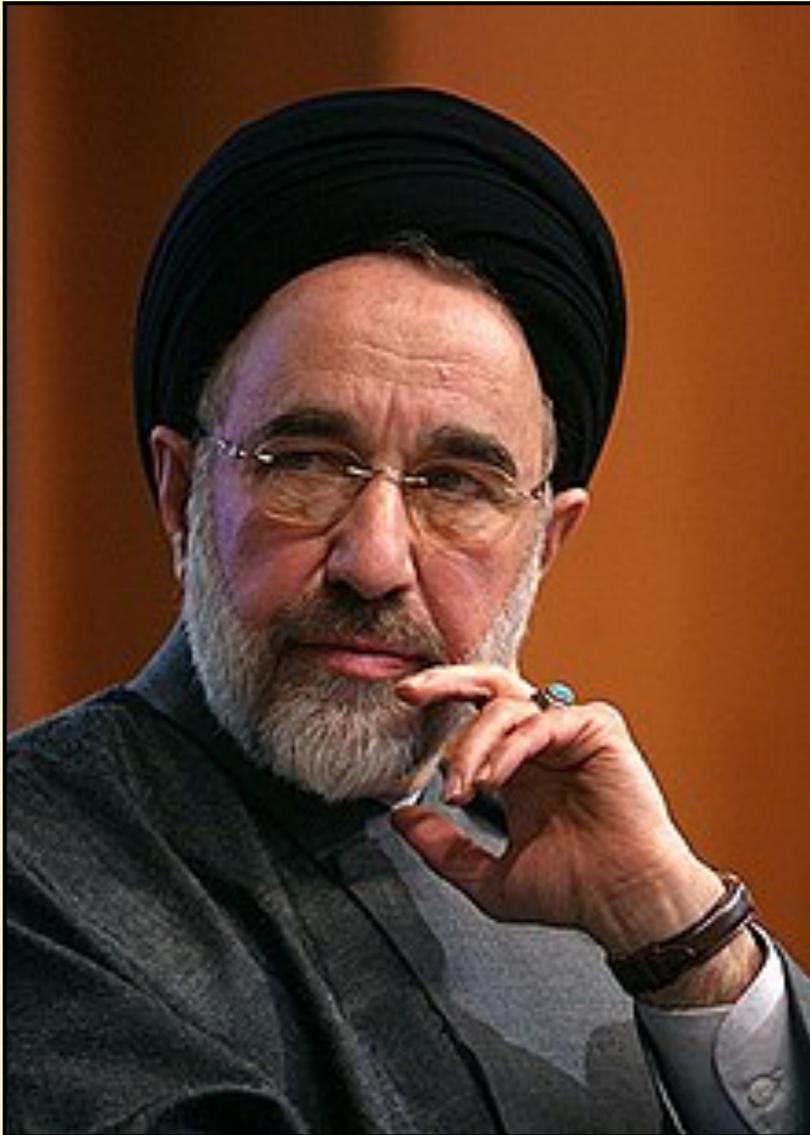


Intelligence Minister Israel Katz on Tuesday said the operation was unprecedented in Israel's history.

Iranian officials realized that information had been taken before the files were out of the country. Mossad agents managed to smuggle the data out of Iran with authorities "on their tails," searching for them.

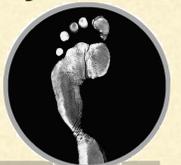


IRAN – ISRAEL



Iranian Defense Minister Amir Khatami warned Tuesday that his country will mount a "surprising response" to Israel's exposure of its nuclear archives and cautioned the "Zionist regime to stop its dangerous behavior."

Tehran also threatened retaliation over Israel's alleged strikes on Iranian assets in Syria. A senior Iranian member of parliament vowed on Tuesday that his country would react to "Israeli aggression" against it in Syria, issuing his warning following missile strikes on Syrian military bases on Sunday.



MIKE POMPEO



"We remain deeply concerned about Iran's dangerous escalation of threats to Israel and the region and Iran's ambition to dominate the Middle East remains. The US is with Israel in this fight," Pompeo said.

Mike Pompeo voiced a strongly worded message of support for Israel as he came to meet Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu Sunday on first trip to the Middle East as secretary of state.



IRANIAN DEAL



Time is running out the world awaits the US position regarding the Iran Deal. Tic Toc - May 12th ... the questions - what will Iran do? And then ... what will Israel do?

U.S. President Donald Trump has given world powers involved in a 2015 deal meant to curb Iran's nuclear aspirations a May 12 deadline to "fix the terrible flaws" in the agreement, or he will withdraw from it, effectively burying it.

Salehi warned Trump against taking that course.

"Iran is not bluffing," he said. "Technically, we are fully prepared to enrich uranium higher than we used to produce before the deal was reached."

"I hope Trump comes to his senses and stays in the deal," Salehi added.



ABBAS - HOLOCAUST



TALK OF THE REGION -- Holocaust row: Abbas accused of anti-

Semitism: "Remarks by Palestinian leader Mahmoud Abbas about the Holocaust have been condemned as anti-Semitic by Israeli politicians and rights activists. Mr Abbas told a meeting in the West Bank the Nazi mass murder of European Jews was the result of their financial activities, not anti-Semitism.... Jonathan Greenblatt, chief executive officer of the ADL, which campaigns to "stop the defamation of the Jewish people," dismissed the Palestinian leader's "ahistorical and pseudo-academic assertions."

The Jews brought Antisemitism upon themselves because of their "social roles" connected to "usury and banks" It was this Jewish behavior that led to "massacres by some state every 10 to 15 years from the 11th century until the Holocaust". In addition, Abbas denied Jewish history and the connection of the Jewish people to the land of Israel. He argued that Ashkenazi Jews are the descendants of the Khazar Kingdom - "a Tatar-Turkic state" - who have no connection to the 12 tribes of Jacob in the Bible. He rejected completely any Jewish connection to the land of Israel: "They are talking about longing for Zion and that's why they are going [there] and so forth. I say - not me, rather history says that these words are baseless." [Official PA TV, April 30, 2018]



PA PEACE PLAN



Here's a simple answer to a very complex question ...

Q: Do you believe peace with the Palestinians is possible? (Gideon Sa'ar - Likud #2)

A: I don't see peace with the Palestinians in the foreseeable future. I don't think there is a leadership in the Palestinian Authority that wants to go towards this direction. We can see that they continue to pay salaries for murderers, to allocate a huge amount of their budget to terrorists and terrorists' families, according to their internal laws. They are paying for killing Jews. At the same time, they are inciting. They are inciting in their education system, they are inciting in their media. They're already poisoning the next generation. So I don't see the prospects for peace under these circumstances.



PA PEACE DEMANDS



As we know the US is sending quite the delegation for the opening of the US Embassy in JERUSALEM ... Trump is still making overtures about him attending. In light of this check out the newest rhetoric from the Palestinians ...



Saeb Erekat, secretary general of the Executive Committee of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO), said the Palestinians will reject any peace plan proposed by the US and President Donald Trump.

"The US cannot be a mediator or partner in the peace process unless it withdraws its recognition of Jerusalem as the capital of Israel," Erekat demanded.

(Good luck with that one!)



WEEKLY QUOTE



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[https://www.youtube.com/channel/
UClu679sa2q5Lw9CB95_-hdw](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UClu679sa2q5Lw9CB95_-hdw)



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