



**KFIIR**

**YOUNG LIONS CLUB**

**MIDDLE  
EAST  
UPDATE**

**Week of  
NOVEMBER 9, 2018**

**DAN STOLEBARGER**

<http://holygroundexplorations.com>

---

# LET'S HIKE ISRAEL

---



- This is an “limited” exclusive Tour led by Dan Stolebarger from HGE.
  - We will be hiking the Snake Path at Masada, all the way to the top of En Gedi, down to the ancient synagogue at Gamla as well as a three and one half trek from Nazareth to Capernahum along the Jesus Trail.
  - The dates are from Feb 16-26. For pricing and more information email dan right away at [dan@hgexplorations.com](mailto:dan@hgexplorations.com)
-

# REVEALING ISRAEL



HGE ISRAEL TOUR - FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 9, 2019



HGE

P  
A  
S  
S  
I  
O  
N

ISRAEL  
the Bible &  
JESUS

HOLYGROUNDEXPLORATIONS.COM

## 2019 ISRAEL TOURS

### REVEALING ISRAEL

Visit Tel Aviv, the Galilee, Golan Heights, Dead Sea and Jerusalem. Experience the Israel of the Bible and the Israel of Today. Walk where HE walked!

[www.HolyGroundExplorations.com/  
israel-tours/revealing-israel-2019/](http://www.HolyGroundExplorations.com/israel-tours/revealing-israel-2019/)

**FEB 28 - MARCH 09, 2019**

### ISSACHAR TOUR

Issachar's main focus is the ISRAEL OF TODAY but by no means lessens the ISRAEL OF THE BIBLE. Glean strategic perspectives from Israeli speakers and visit sites not included on traditional tours.

Details upcoming at:

[www.HolyGroundExplorations.com/  
israel-tours/](http://www.HolyGroundExplorations.com/israel-tours/)

**SEPTEMBER 15-24, 2019**

## KFIR

KFIR (YOUNG LIONS)  
FELLOWSHIP

Daily Bible Readings, weekly Middle East updates, and online Prayer Warriors. Sign up at:

[www.HolyGroundExplorations.com/  
blog-kfir/kfir-email-signup/](http://www.HolyGroundExplorations.com/blog-kfir/kfir-email-signup/)



HOLYGROUNDEXPLORATIONS.COM

JOIN US  
FOR ONE  
OF OUR  
UP-  
COMING  
TOURS

TO THE  
'LAND ...  
WHERE  
IT ALL  
BEGAN!

HGE

P  
A  
S  
S  
I  
O  
N

# WHAT'S INSIDE

MILLENNIALS

PA & HAMAS

JORDAN & ISRAEL

HEZBOLLAH

IRANIAN SANCTIONS

SHIN BET

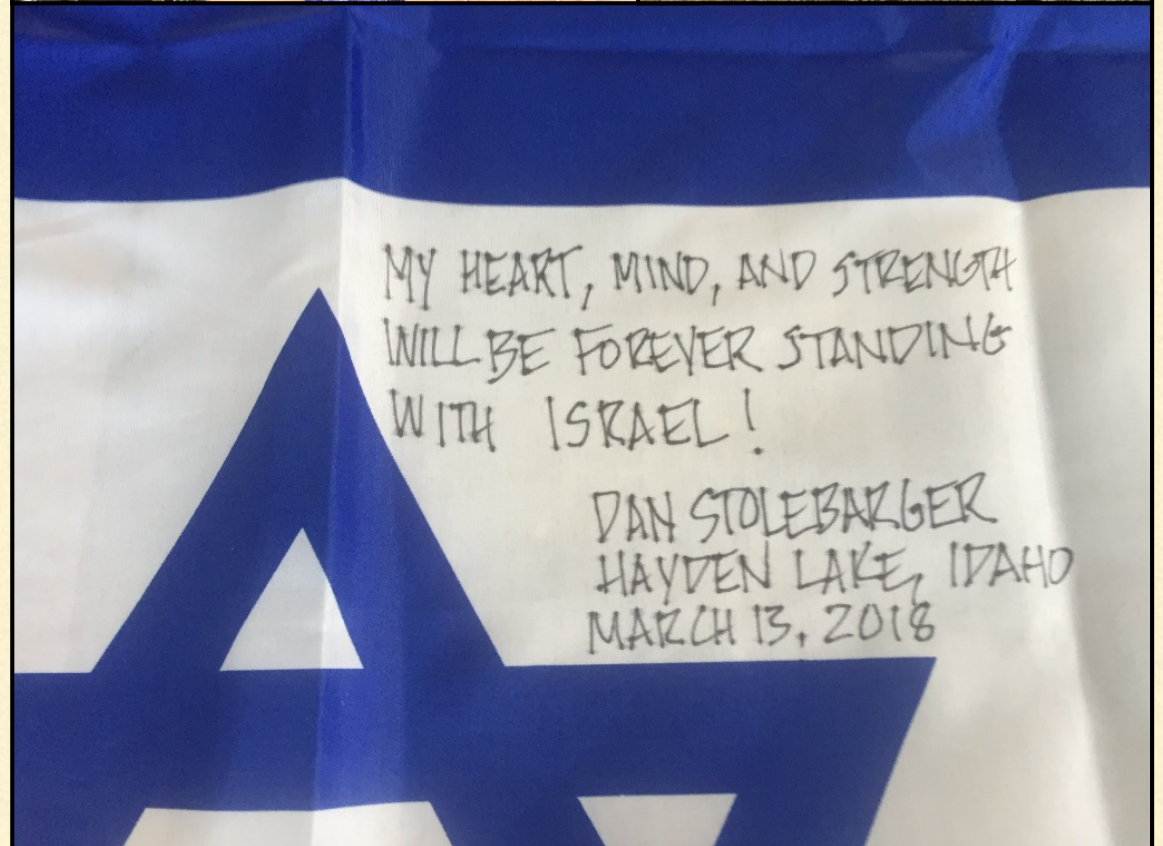
GAZA TRUCE

TERRORIST HOME RAIZED

FAKE NEWS

NEVER AGAIN!

FINAL THOUGHT



# MILLENNIALS



**Former Ambassador Daniel Shapiro:** "The results in the House reflect ongoing demographic shifts in the United States, as more younger voters, women, and minorities are moving into leadership roles. That is going to continue. It will be wise for Israel to build and strengthen relationships with these members and demographic groups, in the interest of maintaining the bipartisanship that has been such a key pillar of the U.S.-Israel relationship."



# PA AND HAMAS



- "There's no place for the [Israeli] enemy on the map." – Ismail Haniyeh, Hamas leader, October 29, 2018.
- So, Fatah and Hamas cannot agree to pay their workers, they cannot agree on supplying electricity to the Gaza Strip, and they cannot agree on providing medical supplies to hospitals there. They do agree, however, on inflicting more harm and damage on their people. If they go on like this, the day will come when the Palestinians will discover that their friends and brothers have become their biggest enemies.
- On one particular issue, however, the two sides lay aside their differences and see eye to eye. When it comes to Israel, one would be hard-pressed to distinguish between Fatah and Hamas.



# JORDAN / ISRAEL



The bar to peace between the neighboring states has always been the people of Jordan. According to Pew's 2014 survey of global opinion, **100 percent of Jordanians have negative views of Jews.** Also according to Pew survey data, Jordan is second only to Egypt in hatred for America.

Abdullah's decision to cancel the annexes was without a doubt an attempt to win public approval. However, no matter how much support Abdullah receives, at some point the Kingdom of Jordan will be overturned, and it will take vital Israeli and U.S. strategic interests with it.





# HEZBOLLAH



## **US Put New Sanctions against Hezbollah**

President Donald Trump signed legislation on Thursday that imposes new sanctions against Hezbollah, an Iranian backed terror group. "We will target, disrupt, and dismantle their operational and financing networks of which they had plenty," Trump said. Hezbollah was behind the bombing the Marine barracks in Beirut, Lebanon where 241 American service members were killed in 1983.



# IRANIAN SANCTIONS



VIEW FROM JERUSALEM – Netanyahu says Trump made courageous decision on U.S. sanctions on Iran: "This day is a historic day," Netanyahu said in public remarks to legislators from his right-wing Likud party. "I would like to again thank U.S. President Donald Trump for the courageous, determined and important decision. I think this contributes to stability and security and peace." [Reuters]



Israel's Minister of Education Naftali Bennett at the start of his party's Knesset faction meeting: **"Thank you [Trump] for making the ayatollahs afraid again."**



# SHIN BET



Shin Bet chief Nadav Argaman briefed the Knesset on Tuesday, painting a grim picture of the struggle to keep Israel secure.

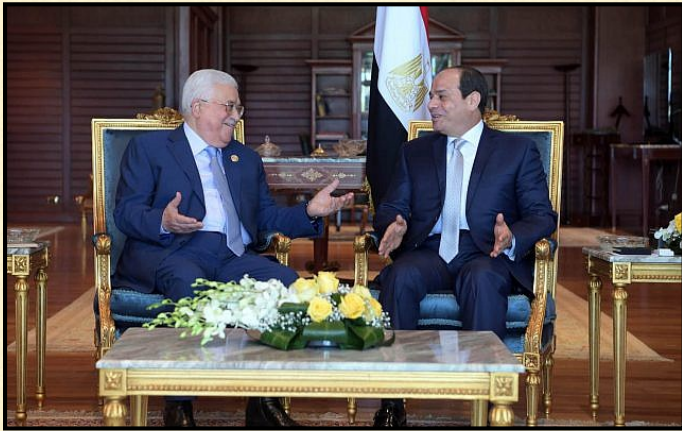
"In the West Bank, the reality is very complex. We can discern a relative calm, but this quiet is deceptive," "Underneath the surface, the area is bubbling, and Hamas is trying with all its might to carry out attacks."

"In the past year, we have thwarted 480 attacks, including 219 Hamas squads and prevented 590 lone terrorists.."

His briefing was made even more grim as he explained that Israeli security forces were still searching for the Palestinian terrorist that murdered Kim Yehezkel, and Ziv Hajbi, in the Barkan Industrial Park in Samaria last month



# GAZA TRUCE



President Abdel Fattah el-Sissi has received Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas's approval for efforts to achieve an initial "period of calm" between Israel and Hamas in the Gaza Strip, the London-based Arabic paper Al-Hayat newspaper reported Thursday.

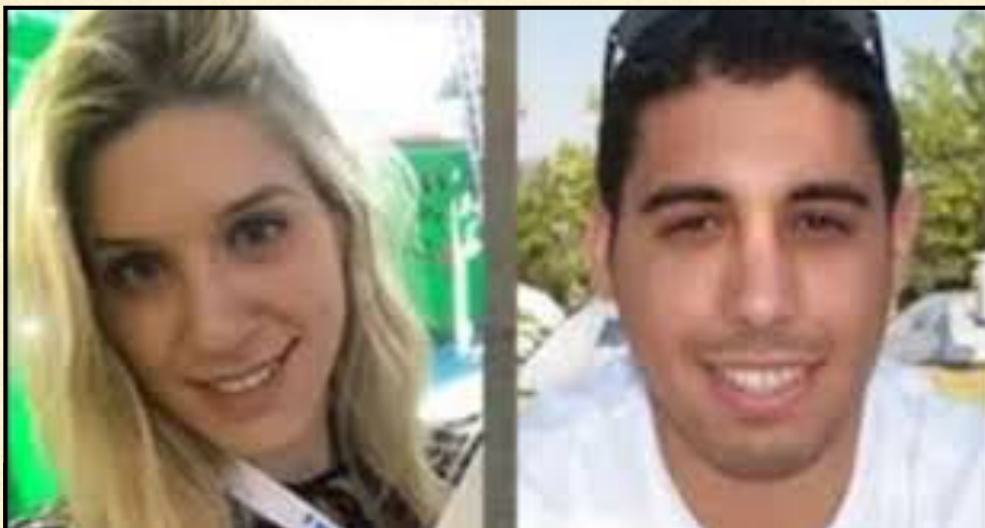
The first period of such a calm would last two to three weeks, followed by a longer six-month period.



The paper said Sissi told Abbas that after calm is achieved, Egypt will move forward on efforts to reach reconciliation between Hamas and the Palestinian Authority's Fatah movement and bring the two territories back under unified rule.



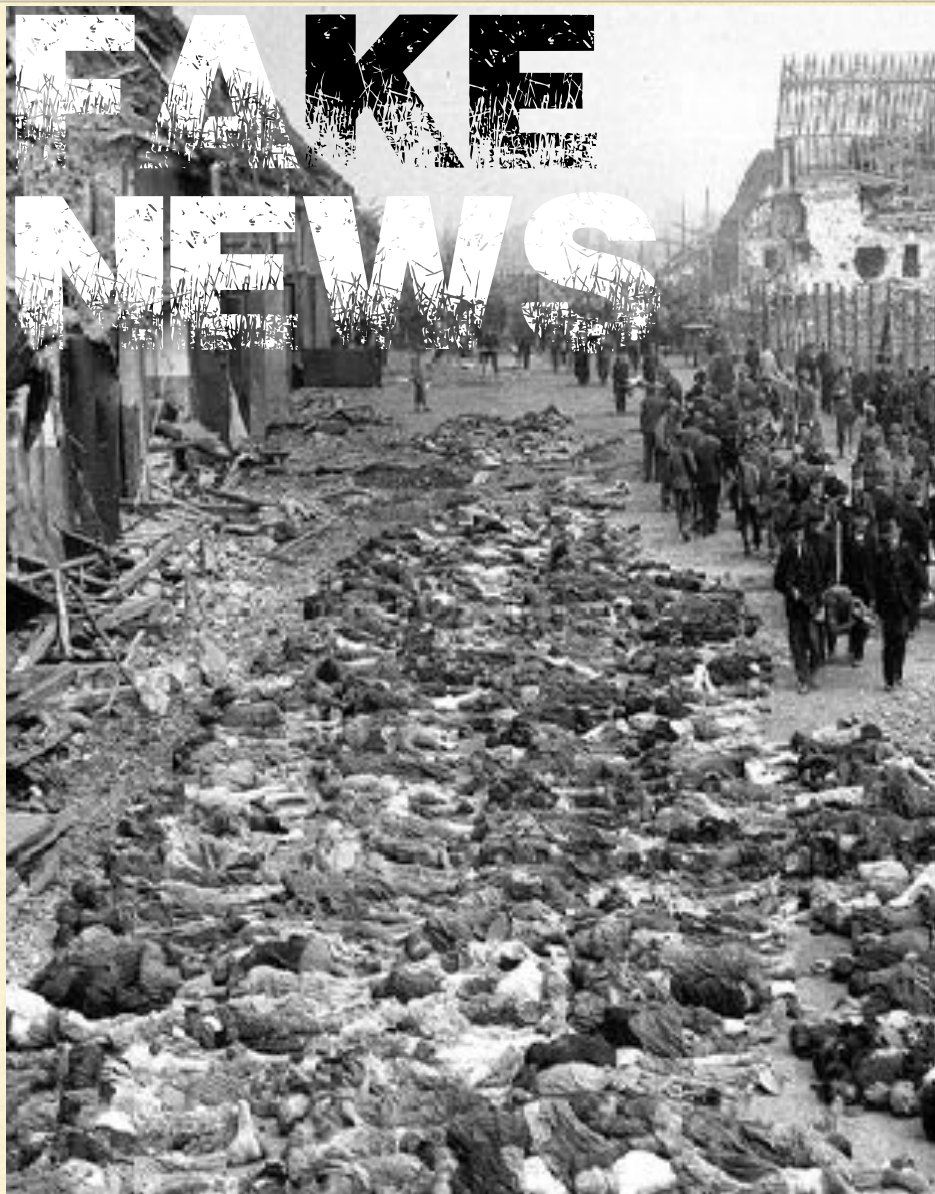
# TERRORIST HOUSE RAIZED



## **Barkan Terrorist's Home To Be Partly Demolished**

The IDF is now setting up to partially demolish the home of Barkan Industrial Zone terrorist, who murdered two Israelis. Kim Levengrond-Yehezkel, 28, from Rosh Ha'ayin, and Ziv Hajbi, a 35-year-old father of three from Rishon Letzion, were identified as the two victims.





For the second time this year, Palestinian TV lied about a horrific concentration camp photo, claiming that an image of Jews who perished at Nordhausen showed Arabs in Al-Dawayima in 1948.

# NEVER AGAIN

■ ■ ■



If you think the Holocaust could never happen today, watch this and think again...It seems too ridiculous to be true. But it's not. It's horrifying what the Students for Justice in Palestine say and do. It has been just over 70 years since the end of the Holocaust. What happened to "Never Again?"

<http://campaigns.canarymission.org/sjp/>

---

# FINAL THOUGHT

SOMETIMES  
WHEN THINGS  
ARE FALLING  
APART THEY  
MAY ACTUALLY  
BE FALLING  
INTO PLACE.

TOBYALICE #SPEAKLIFE

---