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News and the Jews

The week in review

Natural Allies

Support for Hussein among PA residents and leaders has never been stronger as pro Hussein demonstrations are visible in PA autonomous areas. Hamas and Islamic Jihad terrorists are calling for increased strikes against Israeli and American targets.

PA residents are quick to explain that Saddam Hussein continues to send money to families of suicide bombers as Baghdad works to support continued terror attacks against Israel.

Rocket Attack Prevented

A Qassam rocket in a launcher ready for firing was detected Thursday, in the Arab village of Beit Fajar, in Gush Etzion. The rocket was directed at the nearby community of Efrat. The residents were ordered into bomb shelters, or told to at least seek safety in a structure with a concrete roof. Security officials wanted the margin of safety as bomb demolition experts worked to destroy the rocket that was directed at the community.

PEOPLE of the BOOK

• *Motzoei Shabbos Tzav*, 5738: The most important thing is to silence the "fearful and softhearted." One who goes to war because he is commanded to do so in the Code of Jewish Law is assured that he will return home safely. Settling the entire land immediately is mandatory because of the danger to life involved. It is impossible to rely on "peace treaties" for protection. Settling the entire land depends only upon two people. If they do not settle the land immediately — even self-sacrifice will not help afterwards. When they will do this with determination, America will also be happy.

• *Motzoei Shabbos Shemini*, 5738: A "peace treaty" causes danger to life, especially when the treaty depends upon unstable regimes. They have stopped speaking about what happened last Shabbos, and in reality they are not settling the land. In Operation Litani they left the city Tyre untouched because of political pressure.

Based on talks of the Rebbe Concerning the Integrity of the Land of Israel • 5738: (1978)

16,347 Attacks

Since the beginning of the Oslo war, 5,063 Israelis have been Injured (3,594 Civilians and 1,469 Security Forces).

The number of Israelis' killed 724 (506 Civilians and 218 Security Forces.)

A total of 16,347 attacks: 7,230 in Judea and Samaria, 8,455 in Gaza Strip and 662 in Pre 1967 Israel (this doesn't include attacks with rocks or firebombs).

Growing Numbers

According to the Central Bureau of Statistics, the Muslim population in Israel is growing at twice the rate of the Jews.

In Israel today, there are 1.037 million Muslims, representing 15% of the population. 42% of the Muslim population is 15 years old or younger.

Officer Killed by Sniper

An IDF Captain Shachar Shmul, was shot once in the chest by an Arab sniper outside Bethlehem's Church of the Nativity, Tuesday. Captain Shmul was in the midst of overseeing the controlled explosion of a suspected terrorist vehicle, making sure that the flames did not damage nearby Arab homes, when he was hit and killed.

Source: IsraelNN.com

STUFF you should know

PA Threats

The official radio station Voice of Palestine, broadcast a sermon from the al-Aqsa mosque in Jerusalem, in which the Mufti, preached, "While Muslims slaughter sheep on 'Id al-Adha, the US will slay Muslims in Iraq in order to carry out its aggressive, criminal, terrorist, and inhuman designs...O Allah, deter the aggressors and conspirators destroy them all, protect Iraq and its people"

A sermon from central mosque in Gaza, which was live on PA media, described America as "the unjust country," and threatened, "O Palestinians, O Muslims, we swear that nobody will enjoy safety in the world unless injustice to all of our people is lifted." Obliquely praising Bin Laden, he said, "After this reckless US president declared his loyalty to the Jews and planned to get rid of our president, our people, and our cause, his country lost both security and safety." America, he said, is "overwhelmed by corruption."

Hamas leader Ahmed Yassin called on Muslims to attack US nationals and Westerners the moment the regime of President Hussein is struck.

The Bush administration continues to support [the] creation of a PA state and gives the PA \$150-million in taxpayers' money each year, which they use to fund their terrorism.

SAVING WHAT?

Importance Of Martyrdom

"We stress the importance of martyrdom operations against the enemy, these attacks that have scared Americans and Israelis like never before."

A raspy voice believed to be Osama bin Laden's aired on Al-Jazeera TV, this week