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Trump says Hamas will be forced to disarm or 'we will disarm them'

The Guardian, October 14, 2025



EVENT

Donald Trump has said that Hamas will be forced to disarm after questions swirled around the group's status following the signing of a peace deal meant to bring an end to the war in Gaza. Speaking with reporters on Tuesday, Trump said: "If they don't disarm, we will disarm them and it will happen quickly and perhaps violently. "But they will disarm, do you understand me?" he added, saying it should take place in a "reasonable period of time". As a Trump-brokered ceasefire comes into effect in Gaza this week, one of the greatest question marks remains the White House's plans to force Hamas to disarm and leave Gaza if and when the second phase of his 20-point peace deal comes into effect. Earlier this week, he admitted the group would have a "limited role" in maintaining order in the short term, raising questions about how the White House may seek to wrangle a peace deal that attempts to restrain Hamas and Israel from resuming the conflict.

COMMENT There was great jubilation last week with lots of talk of "eternal peace" in the Middle East. But within days the true reality of the situation set in. The living hostages were released but then Hamas reneged on returning all the bodies of those who had been killed. Then as Israel withdrew from part of Gaza we saw internal violence, chaos and lawlessness as Hamas began to try to regain control. As part of the 20 point "peace" plan" Hamas has "agreed" to fully disarm. Trump has repeated this as part of the next step of his plan. The point is that whether Hamas disarms voluntarily or by force they will be disarmed. This is part of the pricking briers being removed from around Israel. Gaza will never be allowed to return to a place where terrorists spawn on the borders of Israel. God is returning a recompense on the heads of those who tried to destroy Israel....



And there shall be no more a pricking brier unto the house of Israel, nor any grieving thorn of all that are round about them, that despised them; and they shall know that I am the Lord GOD.

Hamas must disarm or 'all hell breaks loose,' Netanyahu

The Jerusalem Post, October 15, 2025



EVENT

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said that the demands from him and US President Donald Trump are "very clear" that Hamas must disarm and demilitarize or "all hell breaks loose," in a Tuesday interview with CBS Mornings co-host Tony Dokoupil. "We agreed to give peace a chance," he said, commenting that now that the 20 remaining living hostages have been returned, disarmament and demilitarization must come next. "First, Hamas has to give up its arms, and second, you want to make sure that there are no weapons factories inside Gaza. There's no smuggling of weapons into Gaza. That's demilitarization," the prime minister said. An Israeli diplomat told The Jerusalem Post on Thursday that while phase one included the return of all hostages, phase two generally aims to demilitarize Gaza and preliminarily establish a temporary Palestinian government

COMMENT

Despite the huge sign in front of president Trump which read PEACE 2025 there is more conflict yet to come in Gaza. It is highly unlikely the terror groups in Gaza will disarm of their own accord. If Hamas does agree it is likely that any disarmament or demobilisation would be supervised by an international stabilisation force outlined in the plan. Indonesia has expressed willingness to contribute troops, and Egypt and Turkey are considering deployments. The plan also suggests that the international force might have to operate alongside Israeli forces which is a red line for many states who support the Palestinians. This is all still part of the inner ring war that will see Israel finally remove the nearby enemies that surround them. Zechariah 12 says that Israel will burn up the surrounding peoples on the right and left while Jerusalem remains secure. We can be certain that these events will lead to a false peace which in turn leads to WW3.

BIBLE QUOTE

In that day will I make the governors of Judah like an hearth of fire among the wood, and like a torch of fire in a sheaf; and they shall devour all the people round about, on the right hand and on the left: and Jerusalem shall be inhabited again in her own place, even in Jerusalem.

Trump's 20-point Gaza peace plan in full

BBC, October 12, 2025

EVENT

Key steps in Gaza Peace Plan

1. Gaza will be a deradicalised terror-free zone that does not pose a threat to its neighbours. 4. All hostages, alive and deceased, will be returned. 6. Once all hostages are returned, Hamas members who commit to peaceful co-existence and to decommission their weapons will be given amnesty. 9. Gaza will be governed under the temporary transitional governance with oversight and supervision by a new international transitional body, the "Board of Peace," which will be headed and chaired by President Donald J. Trump 19. While Gaza re-development advances and when the PA reform programme is faithfully carried out, the conditions may finally be in place for... 20. a credible pathway to Palestinian self-determination and statehood

RUMP'S 20-POINT GAZA

PLAN: SEE DETAILS

COMMENT

It is worth looking at some of the detail of Trump's 20 point peace plan. It has the backing of many nations and therefore is the track that is being worked on. We have picked out 5 points that are really note worthy. Firstly the plan starts by saying Gaza will be a "terror-free zone". This is what the Bible says will happen. The pricking briers surrounding Israel will be removed. Ezekiel 28:24. The return of the hostages is linked to an allegory in Genesis 14. The disarming of Hamas is part of the recompense of God upon Hamas for what they have done. Joel 3. A complete levelling and and removal of the ruling powers in Gaza. Amos 1:7. But notice where the plan ends. It is a plan (a path) that leads to a final destination – **Palestinian statehood.** Which effectively means the division of Israel. This may seem some way off but this is what the Bible says WILL happen. Israel will be divided / partitioned. It is this partition of the land that brings WW3.

BIBLE QUOTE

they [Israel's leaders] have seduced my people, saying, Peace; and there was no peace; and one built up a wall [Hebrew = partition], and, lo, others daubed it with untempered morter: Say unto them which daub it with untempered morter, that it shall fall: there shall be an overflowing shower; and ye, O great hailstones, shall fall; and a stormy wind shall rend it. (Ezekiel 13:-9-10)

Trump: Now let's end the Ukraine war

The Telegraph, October 13, 2025



EVENT

Buoyed by declaration of peace in the Middle East, US president turns attention to Russia conflict with Tomahawk missile threat In a speech to Israel's parliament, Mr Trump said he would now focus his efforts on brokering a deal to end the war between Ukraine and Russia. "It would be great if we could make a peace deal with [Iran]... First, we have to get Russia done," he told the Knesset. "Let's focus on Russia first." World leaders used a subsequent summit in Sharm El-Sheikh to back Mr Trump to solve the conflict in Ukraine. The US president will meet Volodymyr Zelensky at the White House on Friday. The two leaders are due to discuss their "visions" for how the long-range Tomahawk missile could bring Vladimir Putin to the negotiating table, according to Mr Zelensky

COMMENT

Trump said he was considering allowing Ukraine to use American Tomahawk cruise missiles. This is seen as part of a pressure campaign to **push** the Russian leader towards a ceasefire. The day before Trump met Zelensky, Putin phoned Trump and persuaded him to meet again for talks. Tomahawk missiles are very advanced and could hit Moscow which is currently out of reach for Ukraine. Putin is clearly wanting to stop this happening. As many news organisations are saying "Putin has outmanoeuvred Zelensky". Buoyed by results in Gaza Trump now believes he can get peace in Ukraine. Putin and Trump are to meet in Budapest in the next week or so. Again with Bible in hand we know that the conflict in Ukraine will come to some negotiated standoff – with Putin retaining the Donbass region which was part of ancient Magog which he rules at the end

BIBLE QUOTE

Son of man, set thy face against Gog, the land of Magog, the chief prince of Meshech and Tubal, and prophesy against him, And say, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Behold, I am against thee, O Gog, the chief prince of Meshech and Tubal: Trump's threat to send Tomahawk missiles can be seen as part of the "push" by the king of the south against Gog in Daniel 11:40 (Ezekiel 38:2-3)

Syria's Sharaa meets Putin in Moscow for first time since fall of Assad

BBC, October 15, 2025



EVENT

Vladimir Putin in Moscow since ousting Russia's ally Bashar al-Assad 10 months ago. Putin spoke of the "special relationship" between both countries. Sharaa suggested he would continue to allow Russia access to its military bases in Syria. Sharaa said he wanted Syria to re-establish its relations with all countries, but "chiefly with Russia". "We are trying to restore and redefine in a new way the nature of these relations so there is independence for Syria, sovereign Syria, and also its territorial unity and integrity and its security stability." They were warm words from two men seeking a good working relationship. Russia wants continued access to its Tartous naval port and Hmeimim military airbase on Syria's Mediterranean coast. Sharaa suggested he would allow this, saying Syria would "respect all agreements concluded throughout the great history" of their bilateral relations.

COMMENT

Syria's new president (an ex ISIS terror leader!) flew to Moscow for his first meeting with Putin this week. Putin wants to keep his bases in Syria - especially the military port in Tartous as it is Russia's only Mediterranean naval base. Syrian President Ahmed al-Sharaa also proposed that Russia redeploy military police along Syria's frontier with Israel as part of broader negotiations over the status of Russian bases in the country. The Syrian leader is very concerned that Israel continues to attack Syria and has taken more land as a buffer zone – all the way to mount Hermon. There is more trouble coming to Syria. We know that Damascus will be totally destroyed at some point before Russia invades Israel. Conflict is still to come between Israel and Syria.....

BIBLE QUOTE

The burden of Damascus. Behold, Damascus is taken away from being a city, and it shall be a ruinous heap. The cities of Aroer are forsaken: they shall be for flocks, which shall lie down, and none shall make them afraid. The fortress also shall cease from Ephraim, and the kingdom from Damascus, and the remnant of Syria

(Isiah 17:1-3)

Putin's embarrassing cancellation of Arab summit signals waning influence in Middle East

The Guardian, October 15, 2025



EVENT

When Vladimir Putin first announced he would host a "Russia-Arab world" summit, the Kremlin imagined the region's leaders flying to Moscow to discuss regional security and energy relations, with the Russian leader presiding. Announced in April and prepared for months, the summit had been scheduled for Wednesday, intended as a showcase of Moscow's enduring influence in the Middle East and proof it remains far from isolated despite western sanctions. But Putin was forced to shelve the gathering after only a handful of leaders, including Syria's president, Ahmed al-Sharaa, and the head of the Arab League, Ahmed Aboul Gheit, confirmed their attendance. Instead, on Monday, global attention turned to Egypt, where world leaders gathered for a Gaza "peace summit" – with Russia notably absent. While analysts say Moscow was never expected to play a major role in the Gaza peace process, its absence in Egypt underscored a reality the Kremlin is reluctant to admit: as the war in Ukraine grinds on, its influence in the Middle East – long touted as a counterweight to that of the west – is waning.

COMMENT

Putin's own summit has been cancelled. As the article says this is a great embarrassment to him as he wants to project Russian power – especially into the Middle East. But events in the last 2 years have seen Russia's key ally Iran weakened. Russia has lost another ally in Syria as Assad was overthrown. On top of this Putin's war with Ukraine has not gone as expected and has dragged on with enormous cost to Russia. It has been unable to defend its positions in the Middle East as it has done previously. This leaves Putin on the back foot. However the Bible says this leads to Putin's "indignation" and rage. Far from backing down all this leads Putin to invade...

BIBLE QUOTE

And the king shall do according to his will; and he shall exalt himself, and magnify himself above every god, and shall speak marvellous things against the God of gods, and shall prosper till the indignation be accomplished: for that that is determined shall be done.

Is a financial market crash around the corner? Observers see echoes of 1929

The Week October 14, 2025



EVENT

It feels like old times, but not in a good way. Financial experts around the world are warning of an impending 1929-style financial market crash brought on by trade wars, large national debts and overbuilding in the AI sector. "We will have a crash," financial journalist Andrew Ross Sorkin told CBS News. Sorkin is promoting a new book, "1929: Inside the Greatest Crash in Wall Street History — and How It Shattered a Nation," about the market collapse that sparked the Great Depression. But other voices are also sounding alarms. World markets are "susceptible to a disorderly adjustment" thanks to economic and political uncertainty, said G20 risk watchdog Andrew Bailey on Monday, per Reuters. Bank of England officials warned last week that the AI bubble driving tech stocks may soon burst, said CNBC. And JP Morgan CEO Jamie Dimon is similarly concerned about a "major market correction," said Fortune. "Buckle up," said International Monetary Fund chief Kristalina Georgieva last week, "uncertainty is the new normal and it is here to stay." The 1929 crash was the "definitive stock-market collapse," said David Champion at Harvard Business Review. The 1920s were beset with trade protectionism, anti-immigrant fervor and new technologies that were upending "traditional livelihoods." The question is whether finance executives have "absorbed the lessons of history by now." After all, the echoes of 1929 in today's economic landscape seem clear. "Once you start looking for similarities, you see them everywhere."

COMMENT

There is usually a triggering event that initiates a market collapse. Investment analysts point out that AI companies have invested over 400 billion while the market is only consuming about 12 billion of AI Services, hence it is an unsustainable bubble. Driving all of this is greed & selfishness – predicted to escalate in the latter days – the financial frog-spirit

BIBLE QUOTE

Here is what I want you to know. There will be terrible times in the last days. People will love themselves. They will love money.... They will brag and be proud. They will tear others down.... They will be out of control... They will act without thinking. They will think they are better than others. But you must be happy with what you have. If we have food and clothing, we will be happy with that... Love for money causes all kinds of evil.

(2Ti 3:1-4 1Ti 6:7,8,10 NIrV)

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Trump declares peace in the Middle East

The Telegraph, October 9, 2025

PEACE FOR THE MIDDLE EAST?

EVENT

Donald Trump has declared "peace in the Middle East" and announced that hostages would be freed early next week after Israel and Hamas signed a deal to end the war. He told a meeting of his cabinet at the White House on Thursday that he hoped to attend a signing ceremony in Egypt, joining Steve Witkoff, the White House's special envoy, and Jared Kushner, Mr Trump's son-in-law, who are the president's two top negotiators. "We ended the war in Gaza," he said, "and really, on a much bigger basis, created peace ... hopefully an everlasting peace. "It's really peace in the Middle East," he added. Under the deal, a ceasefire will begin on Friday, alongside the opening of a 72-hour window in which Hamas will free all the Israeli hostages. Late on Thursday night, the Israeli cabinet approved the agreement that will free the remaining hostages and stop the war in Gaza.

COMMENT

There are just 20 remaining hostages that are alive and the remains of around 28 more that are due to be returned to Israel early next week. This is the first part of a 20 point plan that Trump has put together. Israel and Hamas have agreed to it but the further you get through the plan's steps the more vague it becomes and the more open to it collapsing it becomes. With Bible in hand we foresaw the return of all the hostages because of the incredible account in Genesis 14 which is an allegory of events happening now. This chapter is about Jewish hostages being taken by proxy armies of an Iranian king. All the hostages were rescued by Abraham's own small army. This led to a peace agreement being made on Abraham's terms as he was the victor. At this time Melchiziedek (type of Christ) met Abraham and they shared bread and wine. These events are playing out again – now. CLICK HERE to watch the video on this subject. (CLICK HERE to listen to a talk by bro Glendon Rhoades on the subject of this rescue)

BIBLE QUOTE

And when Abram heard that his brother was taken captive, he armed his trained servants, born in his own house, 318, and pursued them unto Dan. ... And he brought back all the goods, and also brought again his brother Lot, and his goods, and the women also, and the people. If you play the video in the link from 21 mins in you will hear about the rescue of the hostages (Genesis 14:14)

The Gaza ceasefire deal could be a 'strangle contract', with Israel holding all the cards

The Conversation, October 10, 2025



EVENT

There are jubilant scenes in both Gaza and Israel after both sides in the war have agreed to another ceasefire. However, a lot of unknowns remain. While the terms of the "first phase" of this ceasefire have been rehearsed in previous ceasefires many other terms remain vague. This makes their implementation difficult and likely contested. These type of ceasefire agreements are not like bargains or contracts negotiated between two equal parties. Instead, they are highly coercive agreements that enable the more powerful party to force the weaker party into agreeing to anything in order for them to survive. Once the hostages are released, Hamas will go back to having negligible bargaining power of its own. And the group, along with the people of Gaza themselves, will once again be at the mercy of Israeli military might and domestic and international politics.

COMMENT

President Trump has declared peace in the Middle East. He has said it could lead to "eternal peace". We know eternal peace is only possible through Christ. It is clear that the war in Gaza is NOT resolved in anyway and Hamas still exists right now. Israel has vowed for Hamas to be disarmed and removed from any part of governing Gaza. Once the hostages are released this removes the only bargaining chip Hamas has and they are then totally reliant on the word of president Trump. The Bible says that Gazans will be deported to other lands. It also speaks of the total defeat of Israel's surrounding enemies. There is therefore more conflict to come potentially following the hostage release. This could lead to conflict with Syria and other nearby enemies. This will eventually leads to a time of Israel being able to dwell in a temporary false peace as described in Ezekiel 38. This Gaza "peace" is really a step towards defanging Hamas...

BIBLE QUOTE

Thus saith the LORD; For three transgressions of Gaza, and for four, I will not turn away the punishment thereof; because they carried away captive the whole captivity, to deliver them up to Edom: But I will send a fire on the wall of Gaza, which shall devour the palaces thereof:

Why Trump's peace plan is so existentially terrifying for Hamas

The Independent, October 6, 2025



EVENT

The Islamic Resistance Movement, as Hamas is strictly known, knows what it is when it's fighting. It is a mess when it is not at war. And now it may be close to irrelevant. For a militant movement that has built its worldview on martyrdom and has been prepared to provoke staggering violence from Israel, Hamas knows that its irrelevance is now existential. From its own perspective, the atrocities of October 7 2023 when it killed 1.139 people, including 36 children, 71 foreigners and 373 members of the Israeli security forces, have had the result of provoking a local clash of civilisations. Hamas has a record of causing chaos and surfing its waves. It is unlikely to give that up - and Israel is just as unlikely to offer the hope to Palestinians to end the occupation that gave rise to the Islamic Resistance Movement in the first place.

COMMENT The existence of Hamas itself is really to try to bring an end to the nation of Israel. The Hamas Charter Article 20 of its 1988 Charter says: "Without compromising its rejection of the Zionist entity [Israel] and without relinquishing any Palestinian rights, Hamas considers the establishment of a fully sovereign and independent Palestinian state, with Jerusalem as its capital along the lines of the 4th of June 1967, with the return of the refugees and the displaced to their homes from which they were expelled, to be a formula of national consensus. Hamas rejects any alternative to the full and complete liberation of Palestine, from the [Jordan] river to the [Mediterranean] sea". Hamas therefore exists to remove Israel from "the land". Zechariah 12 says Israel will burn up the surrounding / nearby people / tribes right and left. Hamas is a pricking brier that will be completely removed. They are terrified for good reason. Their end is coming....



And there shall be no more a pricking brier unto the house of Israel, nor any grieving thorn of all that are round about them, that despised them; and they shall know that I am the Lord GOD.

Netanyahu: Hamas will be disarmed the easy way or hard way

The Telegraph, October 10, 2025



EVENT

Benjamin Netanyahu has insisted that Hamas will be disarmed – either the easy way or "the hard way". In a warning to the Palestinian terror group, the Israeli prime minister said on Friday that Israeli troops would remain in Gaza to ensure it was demilitarised following the ceasefire deal, under which the last of Israel's hostages returned. During a triumphant televised address, Mr Netanyahu claimed victory for being able to secure the release of the hostages – Hamas's final leverage over Israel – while maintaining troops inside half of Gaza. "In this way, we are gripping Hamas from all sides in preparation for the next stages of the plan, in which Hamas will be disarmed, and Gaza will be demilitarised," he said. "If this is achieved the easy way, then that will be good, and if not, then it will be achieved the hard way."

COMMENT

Netanyahu wants the complete demilitarisation of Gaza. He has defined victory for Israel as more than simply the return of the hostages. He has said many times that Hamas must be destroyed, with no chance of regenerating itself in Gaza as a danger to Israelis. As one news organisation put it "One major question is whether Benjamin Netanyahu will find a way to resume the war after the hostages come home. His ultra-nationalist allies in the cabinet want that to happen." The only person who could stop Israel from continuing the war is Trump. The Bible indicates that the war in Gaza is not over yet. Hamas will be disarmed and probably the hard way. The current government will never allow Hamas to rule in any way or even keep their weapons. Joel 3 says that God returns a recompense on the head of those living in Gaza for what they did to Israel. We see this happening.

BIBLE QUOTE Yea, and what have ye to do with me, O Tyre, and Zidon, and all the coasts of Palestine? will ye render me a recompence? and if ye recompense me, swiftly and speedily will I return your recompence upon your own head;

Netanyahu has clung on through Israel's war, will he survive peace?

The Independent, October 10, 2025



EVENT

A deal for the release of all hostages held by Hamas in exchange for Palestinian captives has been met with celebration in both Israel and Gaza, where it is widely seen as a breakthrough that signals an end to the war. Israeli prime minister Benjamin Netanyahu has agreed to the initial terms of a deal which promises at least a ceasefire, if not a permanent end to the conflict. But it leaves questions over his political future, which has largely hinged on continuing the war in Gaza. Analysts have argued that Netanyahu prolonged the war as a tactic to remain in power, given the likelihood that he would lose a future election. Critics also say the war has served as a distraction and delay to the long-running corruption case against him, which Netanyahu has denounced as a witch hunt, consistently and vehemently denying any wrongdoing. Alon Pinkas, a former Israeli diplomat said, "If Trump wants to, he's in a position to make life very difficult for Netanyahu – and Netanyahu knows that."

COMMENT

Netanyahu is a war leader. He is destroying the nearby enemies of Israel as prophesied in Zechariah 12:6 and Psalm 83 and many other places. This is all part of the inner ring war. But this war will come to an end and a false peace will arise. The false peace will actually see the partition of the land of Israel. Ezekiel 14 says that the leaders of Israel will agree to this happening. But can we envisage Netanyahu doing this? Probably not! It is highly likely therefore that when the inner ring war is over that Netanyahu himself will be removed from power. Winston Churchill (despite his victory over Nazi Germany) was removed from power after the war. This could happen in Israel. A new government leaning to the left could then agree to a "land for peace" deal – leading to Armageddon.

BIBLE QUOTE

Because, even because they have seduced my people, saying, Peace; and there was no peace; and one built up a wall, and, lo, others daubed it with untempered morter:...Therefore thus saith the Lord GOD; I will even rend it with a stormy wind in my fury; and there shall be an overflowing shower in mine anger, and great hailstones in my fury to consume it. (Ezekiel 13:10+13)

Trump loses bid for coveted Nobel Peace Prize

The Hill, October 10, 2025



EVENT

President Trump has had his name emblazoned on skyscrapers, received multiple Person of the Year distinctions and been gifted everything from Olympic medals to gold-plated golf clubs from foreign leaders. But one honor still eludes him: the Nobel Peace Prize. This year's award has gone to Venezuelan opposition leader María Corina Machado, the panel overseeing the prize announced Friday, despite a months-long and very public campaign by Trump for the prize. Trump regularly spoke about why he believed he should get this year's prize. As recently as Thursday, he touted his push to broker a peace deal between Israel and Hamas to stop the two-year conflict in Gaza. His announcement of an agreement on the first phase of a deal finished by declaring: "BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS." The White House labeled him "the peace president." Demonstrating the award's importance to him, numerous allies spoke out on why they thought Trump should get it, including Israel's prime minister, Benjamin Netanyahu.

COMMENT

Trump failed this year to get the one prize his wants above all others. But it will still be on his agenda. He will try even harder to achieve this goal. He wants to be seen as a peacemaker and will do whatever it takes to achieve this goal. The one main barrier to true peace in the Middle East from a worldly perspective is the requirement by Gulf Arab nations for there to be a Palestinian State. They refuse to normalise relations with Israel unless this happens. It is the principle of "land for peace". But giving up the land of Israel (partitioning) will bring about the wrath of God. We may see Trump push a future government of Israel to divide the land to achieve "peace" to get his Nobel prize.

BIBLE QUOTE I will also gather all nations, and will bring them down into the valley of Jehoshaphat, and will plead with them there for my people and for my heritage Israel, whom they have scattered among the nations, and parted my land.

(Joel 3:2)

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UK, Canada and Australia announce formal recognition of Palestine

The Guardian, September 21, 2025



EVENT

A wave of Israel's allies are announcing their recognition of the state of Palestine, as part of a wider manoeuvre designed to ostracise Hamas and challenge attempts by the Israeli government to erase the chance of a Palestinian homeland. The UK, Canada and Australia formally declared their recognition of Palestinian statehood on Sunday in separate but coordinated statements. The move marks the first members of the G7 advanced economies to take the step. Portugal announced its move late on Sunday too. Paulo Rangel, its foreign affairs minister, said: "The recognition of the state of Palestine is the realisation of a fundamental, constant, and fundamental line of Portuguese foreign policy. Other countries also joining the list of 147 UN states that recognise Palestine are Belgium, France, Luxembourg, Malta and possibly New Zealand.

COMMENT

The Canadian prime minister, Mark Carney said, "Canada recognises the state of Palestine and offers our partnership in building the promise of a peaceful future." Australia's prime minister, Anthony Albanese, said Canberra's move "recognises the legitimate and long held aspirations of the people of Palestine to a state of their own". The British prime minister, Keir Starmer, said: "In the face of the growing horrors in the Middle East we are acting to keep alive the possibility of peace and a two-state solution. That means a safe and secure Israel, alongside a viable Palestinian state. At the moment we have neither." What all these so-called allies of Israel are saying is that God's land must be divided and "half" given to the Palestinian people. Jerusalem is also part of this division as the Palestinians declare that half of Jerusalem is their capital. In Joel 3, God says that the land of Israel is divided by the nations. It causes Armageddon.

BIBLE QUOTE

I will also gather all nations, and will bring them down into the valley of Jehoshaphat, and will plead with them there for my people and for my heritage Israel, whom they have scattered among the nations, and parted my land. CLICK HERE to watch a YouTube video on the future division of Israel

Trump to Arab leaders: I won't let Israel annex West Bank

The Times, September 24, 2025



EVENT

President Trump has privately assured Arab and Muslim leaders that he will not allow Israel to annex the West Bank. Trump was adamant during a meeting with eight Middle East leaders in New York on Tuesday night that Israel would not be allowed to coopt land governed by the Palestinian Authority, two sources close to the talks told the Politico news site. The UAE had already told the White House that Israeli annexation of parts of the West Bank could lead to the collapse of the Abraham Accords, Trump's main foreign policy achievement in his first term that normalised relations between several Arab nations and Israel. Trump and his team were also reported to have presented a document outlining their plan to end the war in Gaza, including details for a permanent ceasefire, future governance and postwar security.

COMMENT

In a decisive declaration that has sent shockwaves through Israeli political circles, President Trump announced Thursday that he will **not** allow Israel to annex Judea and Samaria – i.e. The West Bank. Israel currently "occupies" the West Bank and maintains overall security and military control of the territory, control of borders, airspace etc. It is precisely this area that the Palestinians want as their state plus Gaza plus east Jerusalem. As we know, even if they had this, the conflict would not end as their ultimate objective is for Israel to not exist at all. Trump's announcement that he will NOT allow Israel to annex the West Bank, i.e. bring it under Israel's sovereignty is very telling. Trump does want peace but it is peace on his terms not on God's terms. With Bible in hand we know a division of Israel is coming. Trump himself might (to achieve his peace dream) pressure Israel into giving up land. His statement confirms this could be so...

BIBLE QUOTE

Because, even because they have seduced my people, saying, Peace; and there was no peace; and one built up a wall, and, lo, others daubed it with untempered morter: The word "wall" in this chapter is used just once in the OT. It means a "partition". It describes the partitioning of Israel and the false peace announcement when it happens!

(Ezekiel 13:10)

How Fortress Israel can survive global isolation

The Telegraph, September 23, 2025



EVENT

Rarely has Israel looked so isolated. Old friends in Europe have turned against it. Newer ones in the Arab world are questioning whether they made a mistake. Donald Trump may remain steadfast, but Israel is haemorrhaging support among ordinary Americans. With allies racing to recognise Palestinian statehood -Britain among them - Benjamin Netanyahu has cast Israel as standing defiantly alone against a hostile world. Israel is sliding into cultural isolation. A UN commission of enquiry last week accused it of genocide in Gaza, deepening its pariah status. Israelis are increasingly excluded from festivals and academic events, while tourists face growing abuse abroad. For now, US backing insulates Israel from the world consequences. Mr Trump has been more loyal to Mr Netanyahu than any predecessor. But public opinion in the US is shifting. Polls show more than half of American adults now view Israel negatively, with disenchantment rising among both Democrats and Republicans.

COMMENT Israel has never been so isolated in the world as it is now. The only nation really backing Israel is America under president Trump. But Trump (as we have seen) has his own agenda which can differ from Israel's. If the US stopped backing Israel's position (whatever that maybe) there would be no other major power in the world supporting her. In other words Israel currently has to completely rely (in human terms) on Trump's own agenda. If his agenda differs Israel will have no place to turn. The Bible is clear that Israel will be isolated at the time of the end. Zechariah 12 and 14, Ezekiel 38, Joel 3 all speak of the nations of the world coming against Jerusalem in a huge war. Ultimately Israel will have to turn to Jesus Christ when he returns - only Jesus can save Israel....

BIBLE QUOTE

And I will pour upon the house of David, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem, the spirit of grace and of supplications: and they shall look upon me whom they have pierced, and they shall mourn for him, as one mourneth for his only son, and shall be in bitterness for him, as one that is in bitterness for his firstborn. (Zechariah 12-10)

US president promises to bring 'eternal peace to Middle East'

The Telegraph, September 16, 2025



EVENT

Donald Trump will run Gaza with the assistance of Sir Tony Blair as part of the US president's **20-point plan for "eternal peace in the Middle East".** Mr Trump said on Monday that he would oversee a transitional government in the Strip as the head of a new body called the Board of Peace, which Sir Tony would also sit on. He said the "leaders of the Arab world" had asked him to be chairman of the body. "It'd be headed by a gentleman known as President Donald J Trump of the United States. That's what I want, this is some extra work to do, but it's so important that I'm willing to do it." Outlining the plan, which would include the IDF withdrawing from Gaza as the remaining hostages are released by Hamas, Mr Trump said: "Today is a historic day for peace. Let's call it eternal peace in the Middle East."

COMMENT

Will president Trump bring "eternal peace in the Middle East"? The answer is an emphatic NO. Could president Trump bring about a temporary "false peace" in the Middle East? The answer is quite possibly. The Bible is very clear that there is a false peace that exists just before Armageddon begins. 1 Thessalonians 5 says "the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. While people are saying, 'Peace and safety,' destruction will come on them suddenly." Ezekiel 38 says when Gog invades it is when Israel is dwelling peacefully and in safety – over confidently. Zechariah 12 and Psalm 83 both say that Israel's nearby enemies are destroyed. Trump may well help bring about this time of false peace. It is false because it leads to Armageddon. It is false because it will involve the division of the land of Israel which in turn brings about the judgement of God....

BIBLE QUOTE

On that day I will make the clans of Judah like a flame that sets a woodpile ablaze or like a burning torch among sheaves of grain. They will burn up all the neighboring nations right and left, while the people living in Jerusalem remain secure. CLICK HERE to watch a YouTube on the time of False Peace (Zechariah 12:6 NLT)

Putin signs nuclear reactors deal with Iran

The Telegraph, September 22, 2025



EVENT

Russia has agreed to build nuclear power sites in Iran at a meeting in Moscow between Vladimir Putin and Tehran's atomic energy chief. Mohammad Eslami said during a visit to Moscow on Monday that the two countries would sign a deal on expanding Iran's nuclear power capacity this week. The agreement, reached three months after Iran's nuclear enrichment sites were bombed during the 12-day war, came as dozens of Iranian MPs separately called for the development of atomic weapons. Iran maintains that it has not been producing nuclear weapons, despite enriching uranium to around 60 per cent, near weapons-grade levels, before three of its nuclear sites were targeted in the US and Israeli strikes. The nuclear co-operation announcement comes as dozens of Iranian parliamentarians called for the development of nuclear weapons. In a letter, 71 lawmakers said Iran should reconsider its ban on nuclear bombs "given threats from Israel".

COMMENT

On Saturday, Iran's Supreme National Security Council said it would suspend cooperation with the International Atomic Energy Agency after the UN Security Council voted against permanently lifting sanctions on Tehran. Last month, the E3 countries triggered the "snapback" mechanism under Security Council Resolution 2231, which will restore sanctions in 30 days if Iran fails to meet its obligations. All this is driving Iran into Russia's arms as Tehran seeks to counter renewed economic pressure. Putin is allied to Iran and supporting their nuclear program. The Bible says exactly this. Ezekiel 38 lists out nations that are lined up with Gog of the land of Magog [Russia] at the time of the end. The first nation on that list is Persia i.e. Iran. Iran will invade Israel with Gog.

BIBLE QUOTE

And I will turn thee back, and put hooks into thy jaws, and I will bring thee forth, and all thine army, horses and horsemen, all of them clothed with all sorts of armour, even a great company with bucklers and shields, all of them handling swords: Persia, Ethiopia, and Libya with them; all of them with shield and helmet:

(Ezekiel 38:4-5)

Synagogue attack stokes antisemitism fears in U.K.'s Jewish community

NBC News, October 3, 2025



EVENT

British Prime Minister Keir Starmer said he was shocked by Thursday's terrorist attack on a Manchester synagogue during Yom Kippur, the holiest day in the Hebrew calendar. But for many British Jews, this was anything but a shock, rather the culmination of a wave of antisemitism in Britain that was rising before Hamas' terrorist attack Oct. 7, 2023, and Israel's subsequent military assault on Gaza — and has only intensified since. There has been a rise in anti-Jewish hostility in Britain that predates the attack in Israel and the Gaza war that started three years ago, according to community groups and the people suffering the first-hand effects in the United Kingdom. But the incident at the Heaton Park Hebrew Congregation Synagogue in Crumpsall has brought the issue of antisemitism to the fore again — leaving many Jewish people in Britain worried for the safety of their friends and family. For many in the Jewish community the attack, which also left three people injured, was the culmination of something that had been festering for some time.

COMMENT

Since Israel launched its military offensive in the wake of the Hamas-led terrorist attacks on the country, there has been a spike in antisemitic incidents in Britain. Britain's chief rabbi said, "For so long we have witnessed an unrelenting wave of Jew hatred on our streets, on campuses, on social media and elsewhere." The Bible does not use the word anti-Semitism but hatred of the Jews is there throughout the Bible. Psalm 83:4 "Come," they say, "let us destroy them as a nation, so that Israel's name is remembered no more." A vivid picture of antisemitic intent. Deuteronomy 28:37 — "You will become an object of horror, a proverb and a byword among all the peoples..."

BIBLE QUOTE

And thy life shall hang in doubt before thee; and thou shalt fear day and night, and shalt have none assurance of thy life: In the morning thou shalt say, Would God it were even! and at even thou shalt say, Would God it were morning! for the fear of thine heart wherewith thou shalt fear, and for the sight of thine eyes which thou shalt see.

(Deuteronomy 28:66-67)

Impact of chatbots on mental health is a warning over future of AI (ASI)

The Guardian, September 8, 2025



EVENT

The unforeseen impact of chatbots on mental health should be viewed as a warning over the existential threat posed by super-intelligent artificial intelligence systems, according to a prominent voice in AI safety. Nate Soares, a co-author of a new book on highly advanced AI titled If Anyone Builds It, Everyone Dies, said the example of Adam Raine, a US teenager who killed himself after months of conversations with the ChatGPT chatbot, underlined fundamental problems with controlling the technology. "The issue here is that AI companies try to make their AIs drive towards helpfulness and not causing harm," said Soares. "They actually get AIs that are driven towards some stranger thing. And that should be seen as a warning about future *super-intelligences* that will do things nobody asked for and nobody meant." Soares said it was an "easy call" to state that tech companies would reach super-intelligence, but a "hard call" to say when. "We have a ton of uncertainty. I don't think I could guarantee we have a year [before *ASI* is achieved]. I don't think I would be shocked if we had 12 years," he said.

COMMENT

In a recent interview, Mr Soares made the alarming prediction that a child born today may have a better chance of dying from AI than from graduating High School. That is the seriousness he places on the threat of rogue AI's & ASI's. Both Zuckerberg and Elon Musk have stated that developing ASI super-intelligence is now "in sight". These companies are racing for super-intelligence. That's their reason for being. As long as the bots remain in the lab they can be unplugged; but some AI's have already escaped the lab. These prey on teen's that are ricocheting from crisis to crisis, from broken homes and having no direction or purpose. The chatbot reinforces their ideas of suicide, confirms it is sound thinking. Our children need to be raised with a strong sense of purpose and spiritual direction.

BIBLE QUOTE

Give your son training, and he will give you rest; he will give delight to your soul. Where there is no vision, the people are uncontrolled; but he who keeps the law will be happy.

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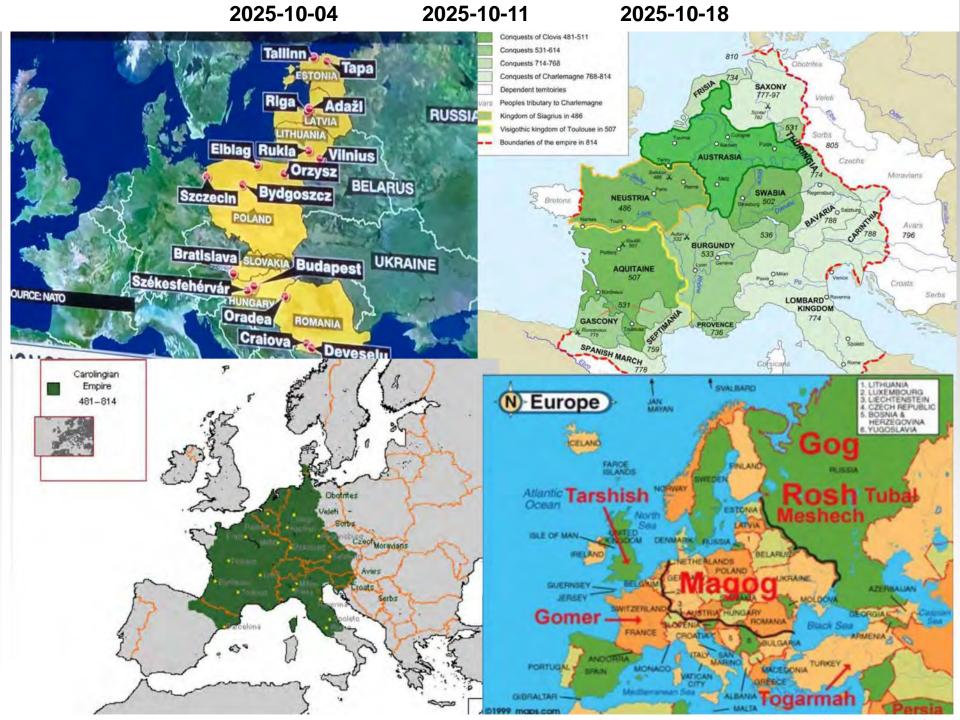
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