



RECORD NUMBER OF JEWS VISIT TEMPLE MOUNT ON *TISHA B'AV*, DESPITE MUSLIM PROTESTS

AUG 13. Hundreds of Jews lined up to visit the Temple Mount on the morning of *Tisha B'Av*, the day on which Jews mourn the destruction of the Temples in Jerusalem as well as a series of calamities which befell the Jewish people throughout history on the same date.

However, local Islamic authorities on Friday had urged Muslims to converge on the site in the hope of preventing Jews from praying there.

Riots erupted as Muslims celebrating *Eid al-Adha* ("Festival of Sacrifice"), attempted to prevent Jews from entering. Police ultimately pushed back against the protesters to allow a record-breaking number of Jews to visit the site.

On Sunday morning some of the 80,000 Muslim worshippers confronted police on the Temple Mount, causing them to close the site to Jews, citing security concerns.

"A special assessment was conducted by the Jerusalem district commander, and eventually it was decided that, given the danger of high friction, visits to the Temple Mount would not be possible at this time," the Jerusalem District Police Unit announced in the morning.

Israeli United Right Party leader Ayelet Shaked told Army Radio that it is "important on this day for Jews to enter the area," while former Jerusalem mayor MK Nir Barkat praised police for "appropriate" consideration for Muslim worshippers but said "we must continue to allow Jews to ascent the Temple Mount. Exercise your authority and do not capitulate to violence."

At 10:30 a.m., police authorized Jews to enter the Temple Mount in small groups. The worshippers were under close police escort and limited to a very small area, but some reported that police appeared to be more accommodating than usual, allowing them to pray openly and performing security checks less stringently.

Despite the limited Jewish access, Arabs at the site began chanting "Allahu Akbar!" and throwing chairs and other objects at them for the hour during which police held the site open to Jews. A video showed Waqf director Azzam al-Khatib and Mufti of Jerusalem Muhammad Hussein encouraging the angry crowd, telling them: "In spirit and blood we will redeem you!"

At approximately 11:30 a.m., the site was closed to Jews, but reopened again in the afternoon for one more hour.

LIBERAL ACTIVIST GROUP PETA IS ODDLY SILENT AS MUSLIMS AROUND THE WORLD SLAUGHTER OVER 10 MILLION ANIMALS IN CELEBRATION OF EID AL-ADHA

AUG 13. PETA is silent as Goats, sheep and cows are slaughtered as Muslims mark festival of Eid around the world.

Muslims around the world are celebrating Eid al-Adha, the “**feast of sacrifice,**” the second of two Islamic holidays celebrated worldwide marking the end of the annual pilgrimage or Hajj to the Saudi holy city of Mecca.

But PETA [**P**eople for the **E**thical Treatment of **A**nimals] is oddly silent!

In typical Islamic style, the celebration *of Eid* is a **gruesome and barbaric ritual where animals are killed in a horrifically painful manner as Muslims laugh and cheer their death.**

It truly is an unwatchable event, even if you love to eat meat. Here is animal cruelty *on a global scale*, with the blood running through the streets as after a heavy rain, and the organisation that cannot bear to allow you to wear a fur coat is suddenly silent?

PETA is silent because they don't really care about the suffering of the poor, helpless animals. If they did, then they wouldn't be putting tens of thousands of animals down and then lying about it, would they? No, PETA is a Far Left and ultra-liberal political organisation created to push an ultra-liberal political agenda. PETA is against Conservatives and Christians, but when it comes to Islam they have no problem because creating Sharia Law in America is all part of the agenda.

(“It is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sins. Therefore, when *the Messiah, the Anointed One*, entered into the world, He said, “sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but a body you prepared for Me. with burnt offerings and *sacrifices* for sin you were not pleased.” Hebrews 10:4-6)

IRAN WARNS OF WAR IF ISRAELI WARSHIPS ENTER PERSIAN GULF

AUG 13. Iran's Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps has warned there's a potential for war if Israel joins the maritime coalition in the Persian Gulf.

Last week, Israeli Foreign Minister Israel Katz said they would help the U.S.-led effort to “protect the security of the Persian Gulf.”

Iran considers the maritime coalition “illegal” and said leaders in Washington and London fabricated the incidents to legitimize their presence in the Persian Gulf. Iran has been accused of attacking four oil tankers in May and two in June. - *Worthy News*.

ISRAEL'S PARTICIPATION IN GULF SECURITY FORCE OPENS ITS 5TH FRONT AGAINST IRAN

AUG 13, 2019. Tehran is treating the planned **Israeli role** in the US-led Gulf defence force much as Israel would react to the sudden arrival in Beirut of an Iranian submarine fleet or the transfer of an Al-Qods brigade to Bint Jbeil in S. Lebanon.

Since seizing power 40 years ago, the Islamic Republic of Iran has striven with all its might to distance the Americans and their allies from its land and maritime borders.

However, US forces are not just staying in Syria, Iraq and the Arabian Gulf emirates, but have redeployed at Saudi bases and are preparing to **co-opt Israel to the naval, aerial and intelligence force Washington is setting up to safeguard Gulf shipping.**

Tehran therefore sees its most alarming foes rallying at its front and back doors and its most cherished defence strategy blowing away.

This has spurred Iranian officials to issue **almost daily warnings.**

Their message: **“The illegitimate presence by the Zionists in the waters of the Persian Gulf could spark a war.”**

This is no longer empty rhetoric; Iran may be expected to add Israeli vessels to its potential US, British, Saudi and UAE targets.

Iran’s claim to be the legitimate guardian of Gulf shipping including the Strait of Hormuz has always been the rationale of its national defence posture.

Still, for years, Tehran took no notice of Western claims that Israel’s nuclear-armed Dolphin submarines (picture above) had established a permanent presence in Gulf waters opposite Iran’s shores as a **“second-strike”** resource in case of an Iranian attack on the Jewish state.

No such submarines were ever sighted; nor was their presence ever proven, which made it easy for the Iranians to turn a blind eye.

No longer is this possible since the US announced Israel’s participation in the Gulf defence force. **The rules have changed.**

This change had its onset in Israel’s first attack in Iraq in the second half of July on an Iranian missile stock and command centre.

Tehran sees Israel’s Gulf role as **the next step in the new game**: the opening of a **fifth front against Iran** after Syria, Iraq, Lebanon and the Gaza Strip. Tick, tick, tick.....

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