

TRUMP PEACE PLAN RECOGNIZES ISRAEL'S RIGHT TO SOVEREIGNTY OVER WEST BANK SETTLEMENTS, AND A PALESTINIAN STATE WITH E. JERUSALEM CAPITAL

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President Trump Meets with Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu

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Israel may **as of next week** annex the Jordan Valley and **all 150 Jewish communities in Judea and Samaria**, i.e. 30% of the West Bank, while the Palestinians would have **four years to win an independent state and a capital in East Jerusalem.**

That is the substance of President Donald Trump's vision for an Israel-Palestinian peace as he presented it at the White House on Tuesday, January 28, alongside PM Binyamin Netanyahu, in a **striking historic event** – even for the critics of its content.

The prime minister stated “*I agree to negotiate with the Palestinians on the basis of your plan,*” because, he said, unlike all previous peace initiatives, this one strikes a “**realistic balance**” between Israel's security needs with recognition of Biblical sites as the bedrock of our Jewish heritage, while also understanding and addressing Palestinian aspirations. All previous plans required Israel's withdrawal from the Jordan Valley, its vital eastern frontier.

Both Trump and Netanyahu welcomed the UAE, Omani and Bahraini ambassadors, who accepted Trump's invitation to attend the event, making it hard for Palestinian Authority Mahmoud Abbas to go through with his all-out campaign to derail it with the help of full Arab support.

He will also seek Arab League backing for his rejection. **The Saudi and Jordanian envoys were absent.**

The Trump plan also states:

- The US and Israel will set up a joint committee to develop the plan in detail.
- The Palestinian refugee problem will be resolved **outside Israel**
- A \$50bn fund is approved for developing the Palestinian state over 10 years promising a million new jobs and **an end to dependence on charity**.
- Israel will retain military control of the land west of the Jordan River.
- No Palestinians or Israelis will be evacuated from their present homes.
- The status quo remains on Temple Mount under Israeli sovereignty **with freedom of worship for all faiths**.
- For Palestinian statehood to **be attained in four years on 70% of the territory**, Hamas and Islamic Jihad **must be disarmed**, peace negotiations begin with Israel, which is **recognized as a Jewish state**, and **terror and violence renounced**. The new state will be **demilitarized**.
- The US will open an embassy in **the capital of the contiguous Palestinian state**.

Trump in his presentation speech stressed there would be no compromise on Israel security and his plan for two states offered no risk to Israel.

Addressing the Palestinians, he said this was **their last chance for an independent state** and a bright future for their youth. Turning to the Arab world, the president said it was their chance to correct the **mistake they made in 1948** and start a new chapter with the state of Israel.

In typical Arab Palestinian style, without ever actually hearing what the details of Trump's peace plan is, they have already decided to reject it and set stuff on fire. Thousands demonstrated in Gaza, burning pictures of Trump and the American flag, while further rallies were planned for the coming days.

That's because they don't want a peace plan, they want to steal Jerusalem and use it to create a Palestinian state. Thousands of years before the first Muslim ever drew breath, Jerusalem has belonged to the Jews given to them by their God. No amount of tire burning, rock throwing, stabbings, car bombs or martyrs will ever change that fact. At this early stage it is quite impossible to imagine that these requirements will ever be accepted and embraced by the Arab Palestinian leadership. On the face of it the child has been stillborn?

POSSIBLE DEVELOPMENTS

The peace deal may be partially fulfilled, and then kept on the shelf. A **war** with Gaza and the Palestinians is likely, and Zephaniah's prophecy could then be fulfilled:

“For Gaza will be abandoned, and Ashkelon will become a desolation. Ashdod will be driven out at noon, and Ekron will be uprooted. Woe to the inhabitants of the seacoast; the nation of the Kerethites – *(the occupants of the south coast of the Philistine country who had roots in Crete.)* The word of YHWH is against you, O Canaan, **land of the Philistines; and I will destroy you so that there will be no inhabitant left.**”

(Zephaniah 2:4-5)

Then the Antichrist will arise. “And he *(the Roman ruler)* will **confirm a covenant - a treaty** - with many *for one week ('seven' years)*.” (Daniel 9:27). Then the Great Tribulation will begin, and the “peace deal” would be implemented.