

*“And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift your heads, for your redemption draweth nigh” - Luke 21:28*

## A BRAVE NEW WORLD?

### **Male teacher ordered to observe teen girl in shower**

**October 25, 2018** -- *WND.com* reports: “A male physical-education teacher in a Florida school district has been told he will be transferred to another school as discipline for not doing his job.

His job? ‘Walk into and supervise the locker room.’ And why didn’t he? There possibly was a teen girl showering there with the boys in her class.

Chasco Middle School in Land O’ Lakes, Florida, has drawn the attention of the non-profit legal group Liberty Counsel for adopting the transgender activist agenda...

Liberty Counsel said the school’s two P.E. teachers, identified as Robert O. and Stephanie C., objected to administrators’ orders ‘to allow the girl into the bathroom, with no forewarning of the boys, or their parents, so that the boys could take steps to protect their privacy.’...

‘Robert also objected to administrators’ orders that he continue to walk into and supervise the locker room, despite a girl potentially being nude or undressed in that area. The administrators told him that the girl in question had ‘every right to use the locker room,’ including the right to disrobe in the open locker area, and shower in its open showers, where

Robert is required to periodically walk in and supervise.’

Liberty Counsel declared to the district that Robert ‘will not knowingly place himself in a position to observe a minor female in the nude or otherwise in a state of undress.’...’ (Thank God for the stand that these two P.E. teachers have taken, especially Robert who will not put himself in this situation. The world has gone mad. In 2016 New York City released a list of 31 genders – in 2014 Facebook listed 58 gender options – in 2018, Tumblr has a list of 112 genders.

Romans 1:18 – 32 aptly describes this current situation: “For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness; Because that which may be known of God is manifest in them; for God hath shewed it unto them. For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse: Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened. Professing

*themselves to be wise, they became fools, And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things. Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves: Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen. For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature: And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet. And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not convenient; Being filled with all unrighteousness, fornication, wickedness, covetousness, maliciousness; full of envy, murder, debate, deceit, malignity; whisperers, Backbiters, haters of God, despiteful, proud, boasters, inventors of evil things, disobedient to parents, Without understanding, covenantbreakers,*

*without natural affection, implacable, unmerciful: Who knowing the judgment of God, that they which commit such things are worthy of death, not only do the same, but have pleasure in them that do them.”*

Notice the last phrase of the last verse – “*have pleasure in them that do them*” – the Ryrie Study Bible states: “*Not only did the people themselves sin but they encouraged and vicariously enjoyed the sins of others.*” On May 13, 2016, President Obama declared that every public school facility should no longer have sex-distinct bathrooms, changing rooms, or showers. No facility should be restricted to either male or female. Any school that did not follow this was in danger of losing federal funding under Title IX. Naturally, people were upset by this. The *Charlotte Observer* editorial board stated: “*Yes, the thought of male genitalia in girls’ locker rooms – and vice versa – might be distressing to some. But the battle for equality has always been in part about overcoming discomfort – with blacks sharing facilities, with gays sharing marriage – then realizing that it was not nearly so awful as some people imagined.*” In other words, just get over it.

So, the 5-year-old girl in the next article is just supposed to “get over it.” And there have been numerous reports of men entering women’s bathrooms and changing rooms in stores, that while they did not result in a physical assault like the next article, they were caught recording women as they were changing. “*Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!*” – Isaiah 5:20. See the next two articles.)

### **Feds probe ‘gender fluid’ boy’s restroom assault on girl, 5**

**October 4, 2018** -- *WND.com* reports: “The Office for Civil Rights in the Department of Education is investigating the case of a 5-year-old girl who allegedly was sexually assaulted by a ‘gender fluid’ classmate, a boy, in a restroom in a Georgia public school.

The case is a direct result of the Obama administration’s guidance to schools that redefined Title IX requirements, forcing schools to accommodate ‘gender identity’ in facilities such as restrooms and showers. Critics have argued the guidance conflicts with the definition of male and female established in Title IX, the 1972 law that bars discrimination in educational programs on the basis of ‘sex.’

The Obama administration’s letter to schools essentially said they must allow boys who say they are girls to use restrooms, locker rooms and showers provided for girls, and vice versa. Non-compliance would risk federal funding upon which virtually all public schools rely...”

### **Forget gender: Now pick your race, age, even species!**

**October 24, 2018** -- *WND.com* reports: “The transgender community is enthralled that people should be allowed to choose their gender, and some jurisdictions have incorporated that idea into law.

But that is so 2000s, according to a new poll indicating a substantial portion of British adults believe people also should be allowed to choose their age.

And race.

And even species.

The survey, a project of ComRes, interviewed 2,002 British adults ages 18 and up online in September.

One in three respondents support those over 18 being allowed to self-define their race.

Twenty percent supported those over 18

being able to define their age.

Stunningly, it also found 10 percent ‘support those who wish to define as a non-human species.’...”

### **Woman Admits Permitting Boyfriend to Sexually Assault Daughter**

**October 1, 2018** -- *Breitbart.com* reports: “An Indiana woman admitted in court this week that she let her boyfriend sexually assault her ten-year-old daughter, causing her to get pregnant.

The 33-year-old woman, who, to protect the girl’s identity, has not been named, accepted a plea deal on charges of neglect, assisting a criminal, and aiding child molestation.

She accepted a 20-year prison sentence with five years of probation as part of the deal to avoid trial. She also agreed not to have contact with her daughter unless a counselor allows her to meet with her.

‘We were certainly ready to go to trial in a few weeks, but the emotional and psychological toll would have been significantly more (for this trial) than the Thrash trial,’ Deputy Grant County Prosecutor Lisa Glancy said.

The woman’s boyfriend, Nicholas Deon Thrash, 34, was convicted on ten counts of child molestation and received a 160-year prison sentence. The unnamed victim said in court that there were at least 15 times when Thrash molested her...” (Another sad example of what was reported in the October 2018 *Van Impe Intelligence Briefing* – without natural affection - the translation of one Greek word *astergeo* - one of four Greek words for love. It refers to the natural love that family members have for each other. It is such a common characteristic of people that it is not referenced unless it is lacking – when people lose their instinctive love for their own parents and children.)

# CONTENDING FOR THE FAITH

## **Leah Sharibu Inspires Nigeria's Christians, Faces Execution by Boko Haram**

**October 18, 2018** -- *ChristianityToday.com* reports: "Christians in Nigeria are desperately praying for 15-year-old Leah Sharibu as the one-month deadline to save the only Dapchi schoolgirl left in Boko Haram captivity draws to an end this week.

The terrorist group's ISIS-affiliated faction threatened last month to kill the teenager, who was held back for refusing to renounce her Christian beliefs. The other hostages, 104 of her schoolmates, were released following negotiations with the Nigerian government in March.

Her resolute faith in the face of death has inspired evangelists, pastors, and everyday Christians across Africa's most populous nation..." **(In May 2018, Leah's parents Nathan and Rebecca Sharibu told USA Today: "My daughter is alive, but they wouldn't release her because she is a Christian. They told her they would release her if she converted, but she said she will never become a Muslim. I am very sad, but I am also overjoyed because my daughter did not denounce Christ," This brave young girl is echoing the words of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, when they told King Nebuchadnezzar: "If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king. But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image which thou hast set up." [Emphasis mine]. Revelation 2:10 states: "Fear none of those things which thou shalt suffer: behold, the devil shall cast some of you into prison, that ye may be tried; and ye shall have tribulation ten days: be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life." See the next two reports.)**

## **Pakistan delays decision on whether Christian woman will face death penalty for blasphemy against Islam**

**October 9, 2018** -- *FoxNews.com* reports: "The Supreme Court of Pakistan on Monday delayed its ruling concerning the final appeal of a Christian woman who's been facing the death penalty since 2010 for blasphemy against Islam.

The three-judge panel listened to Asia Bibi's lawyer challenging accusations that she insulted Islam's prophet, a crime punishable by death.

Mian Saqib Nisar, the country's top judge, didn't say when the ruling will be announced nor why they reserved their judgment. He ordered people present in the court to remain tight-lipped on the case.

Bibi was first accused of insulting Islam's prophet back in 2009 when she tried to get water for herself and her fellow farmworkers. But two Muslim women refused to take a drink from a container used by a Christian..." **(Praise God – BBC News reported on October 31, 2018 that the death sentence was overturned and Asia Bibi could walk free from jail immediately if she was not wanted in connection with any other case.)**

## **Asia Bibi's daughter says she is 'confident in God' as family await verdict on death sentence appeal**

**October 12, 2018** -- *ChristianToday.com* reports: "The daughter of a Christian woman sentenced to death for blasphemy in Pakistan is putting her faith in God as the family await the final verdict on her appeal.

Asia Bibi was sentenced to death for blasphemy in 2010 after being accused of insulting Islam by Muslim co-workers on a farm where she worked. She has been in prison ever since.

The Pakistan Supreme Court reached a

decision on her appeal this week but is yet to publicly announce it. If the death sentence is upheld, Bibi will become the first person in Pakistan to be executed for blasphemy..."

## **Muslim Mob Stones Three Christians to Death in Kenya**

**September 28, 2018** -- *Breitbart.com* reports: "An Islamist mob stoned three Christians to death in western Kenya this week in apparent retaliation for the recent killing of three suspected al Shabaab militants.

An eyewitness said that the killing happened at a construction site where one of the Christian victims, Fredrick Mukanda Bahati, was building a house along with two assistants. The men were mixing mortar in Elwak, Mandera, a town close to the Kenya-Somalia border, when they saw the mob arriving.

'From a distance, I saw the men hurling construction stones towards Fredrick and his coworkers,' the unnamed witness said.

'The three managed to flee into a nearby hotel for safety, although they had been badly injured. The Muslims relentlessly followed them up and stoned them to death,' he said..." **(*And fear not them which kill the body, but are not able to kill the soul: but rather fear him which is able to destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a farthing? and one of them shall not fall on the ground without your Father. But the very hairs of your head are all numbered. Fear ye not therefore, ye are of more value than many sparrows. Whosoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I confess also before my Father which is in heaven. But whosoever shall deny me before men, him will I also deny before my Father which is in heaven*" – Matthew 10:28-33.)**



# THE RELIGION OF PEACE?

## **Imam: We'll kill our women if they dishonor us**

October 11, 2018 -- *WND.com* reports: "While some Islamic scholars have insisted that 'honor killing' is cultural rather than inherently Islamic, a prominent Palestinian Muslim cleric made it clear in a sermon at the iconic Al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem that Muslim men are prepared to kill to defend their family's name.

Sheik Issam Amira explained that Muslims are 'undergoing a major crisis regarding the honor of their womenfolk' amid the many temptations posed by modernity.

Social media, television and women leaving the house without male chaperones are just some examples of the 'obliteration' of women's honor in Palestine, he said.

In response, Amira encouraged men to say to their female relatives: 'We are ready to die defending your honor, but at the same time, we are ready to kill you if you take your honor lightly.'...'' (According to the Honor Based Violence Awareness Network there are 5,000 honor killings internationally per year. 1,000 of them occur in India, 1,000 occur in Pakistan, It is estimated that between 23 – 27 honor killings occur annually in the United States. This is a result of Shariah law – all the women who bring "dishonor" upon their family by premarital sex, extramarital sex, or marrying an unapproved husband, or any other offense, such as becoming too "Westernized" are to be slaughtered. This is to be carried out by the father, brother, or uncle.)

## **Top Palestinian adviser admits conflict's all about Islam**

October 12, 2018 -- *WND.com* reports: "The Palestinian Authority and its allies

long have insisted that the conflict in the Middle East boils down to a dispute over land.

If Israel would be willing to give up certain land and accept particular demands, peace could be achieved at last.

But a top adviser to Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas has made it clear that Islam and its objective to establish the rule of Shariah, not only in the region but over the entire world, is at the heart of the matter.

Mahmoud Al-Habbash, regarded at the PA's most important religious figure, said the conflict between Palestinians and Israelis is not a political conflict but a 'battle' between Islam and 'the culture of Satan.'...'' (All eleven Islamic terrorist groups have one goal, a global takeover within the next ten years. The godless Sharia Law of Islam sparks international murder and death. The only hope is Christ's return to stop this horrendous hour in upcoming history.)

## **Palestinian Sharia Judge: 'Jews Live on the Body Parts of Others'**

October 22, 2018 -- *Breitbart.com* reports: "A Sharia judge for the Palestinian Authority claimed in a sermon that was broadcast on the PA's official TV network that Jews 'dance and live on the body parts of others, and on the blood of others,' and 'there is no global corruption that their rabbis did not allow.'

In an anti-Semitic sermon broadcast earlier this month and translated by Israeli watchdog *Palestinian Media Watch*, Muhammad Abu Rumi charged Jews with being 'the fabricators of history.'

'Read their history: There is no global corruption that they are not behind. There is no global corruption that their rabbis did not allow,' Abu

Rumi ranted..." (This is another example of "Blood Libel" which the *Encyclopedia Judaica* defines as: "...the allegation that Jews murder non-Jews, especially Christian children, in order to obtain blood for the Passover or other rituals: most blood libels occurred close to Passover, being basically a another form of the belief that Jews had been and still were responsible for the passion and crucifixion of Jesus Christ, the divine child; a complex of deliberate lies, trumped-up accusations, and popular beliefs about the murder-lust of the Jews and their bloodthirstiness, based on the conception that Jews hate Christianity and mankind in general. It is combined with the delusion that Jews are in some way not human and must have recourse to special remedies and subterfuges to appear, at least outwardly, like other men. The blood libel led to trials and massacres of Jews in the Middle Ages and early modern times; it was revived by the Nazis. Its origin is rooted in ancient, almost primordial, concepts concerning the potency and energies of blood." This can be traced back to the father of anti-Semitism – Satan who "...stood up against Israel" – I Chronicles 21:1. God loves His Chosen People – "...I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with loving kindness have I drawn thee" – Jeremiah 31:3.)

# NEWS FROM RUSSIA

## **Russians 'will go to heaven' in event of nuclear war: Putin**

**October 19, 2018** -- *SpaceDaily.com* reports: "Russians will 'go to heaven' as martyrs in the event of nuclear war because Moscow will only ever use nuclear weapons in retaliation, President Vladimir Putin said Thursday.

'We have no concept of a preemptive strike,' Putin told a forum of international experts in the southern city of Sochi in response to a question from the audience.

'In such a situation, we expect to be struck by nuclear weapons, but we will not use them' first, he said.

'The aggressor will have to understand that retaliation is inevitable, that it will be destroyed and that we, as victims of aggression, as martyrs, will go to heaven.

'They will simply die because they won't even have time to repent,' he said to some laughter from the audience..." **(Ezekiel 38:5 predicts that Russia, the Orient, and Persia [which changed its name to Iran in 1932] will see millions destroyed through atomic warfare in the Latter Years and Latter Days – Ezekiel 38:8, 16. Prepare to meet thy God Israel – Amos 4:12. This battle is described in Revelation 9:14 – 18: "Saying to the sixth angel which had the trumpet, Loose the four angels which are bound in the great river Euphrates. And the four angels were loosed, which were prepared for an hour, and a day, and a month, and a year, for to slay the third part of men. And the number of the army of the horsemen were two hundred thousand thousand: and I heard the number of them. And thus I saw the horses in the vision, and them that sat on them, having breastplates of fire, and of jacinth, and brimstone: and the heads of the horses were as the heads of lions; and out of their mouths issued fire and smoke and brimstone. By these three was**

*the third part of men killed, by the fire, and by the smoke, and by the brimstone, which issued out of their mouths.")*

## **Kremlin: We'll respond in kind if U.S. develops intermediate missiles**

**October 22, 2018** -- *The Jerusalem Post* reports: "The Kremlin said on Monday that Russia would be forced to respond in kind if the United States began developing new missiles after quitting a landmark Cold War-era treaty.

President Donald Trump said on Saturday that Washington would withdraw from the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty because Russia was violating the pact, triggering a warning of retaliatory measures from Moscow.

The treaty, signed by then-President Ronald Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev in 1987, required the elimination of short-range and intermediate-range nuclear and conventional missiles by both countries. Its demise would raise the possibility of a spiraling arms race..." **(Russia in Bible prophecy is the main instigator of death and suffering during Armageddon – Revelation 16:16. Ezekiel chapters 38 & 39, which I have proclaimed for sixty years, aided by Oriental and Islamic nations, bring total chaos and atomic devastation upon the world. Worse yes, it's just ahead of us. Every nation I included in World War III is forming exactly as taught this global blood bath six decades ago. The only good news is that the Rapture precedes Armageddon – "Because thou hast kept the word of my patience, I also will keep thee from the hour of temptation, which shall come upon all the world, to try them that dwell upon the earth" – Revelation 3:10. Then our deliverance as believers – Revelation 4:1 and our joy because of missing Armageddon. See the next two reports.)**

## **U.S. nuclear treaty ultimatum about China as much as Russia**

**October 23, 2018** -- *SpaceDaily.com* reports: "By announcing its intent to withdraw from a decades-old nuclear weapons treaty, the United States is targeting Russia, which it says violated the bilateral deal — but also China, which is developing arms that are banned under it.

Beijing is not a signatory to the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty (INF), so it's Russia that has been singled out for violating the accord, signed in 1987 by Ronald Reagan and Mikhail Gorbachev.

At issue is Moscow's new 9M729 ground-based missile system, which Washington says has a reach that exceeds 500 kilometers (300 miles) — a claim the Kremlin denies.

'Russia has not unfortunately honored the agreement, so we're going to terminate the agreement and we're going to pull out,' U.S. President Donald Trump said Saturday at a campaign rally in Nevada..."

## **Russia Signals Willingness to Consider U.S. Complaints about Arms Treaty**

**October 23, 2018** -- *Voice of America News* reports: "Russia signaled Monday it is willing to consider mutual complaints the United States and it have about their continued implementation of the 1987 nuclear weapons treaty between the two world powers.

Russian Security Council chairman Nikolai Patrushev expressed Moscow's 'readiness for joint work' on the pact as he met in the Russian capital with his U.S. counterpart, U.S. national security adviser John Bolton. For his part, Bolton said that the U.S. had not made any decision to deploy missiles in Europe targeting Russia if the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces Treaty is scrapped..."

# THE KINGS OF THE EAST

## **Koreas, UN Command agree to demilitarise part of border**

**October 23, 2018** -- *SpaceDaily.com* reports: “The two Koreas and the U.S.-led United Nations Command agreed Monday to demilitarise a section of the heavily fortified border dividing the peninsula by this week, as a diplomatic thaw gathers pace.

‘The three parties agreed to carry out measures to withdraw firearms and guard posts at the Joint Security Area (JSA) by October 25,’ Seoul’s defence ministry said in a statement following trilateral talks.

They will then conduct a ‘three-way joint verification’ for the following two days, it added.

The JSA, also known as the truce village of Panmunjom, is the only spot along the tense, 250-kilometre (155-mile) frontier where troops from the two countries stand face to face...” **(North Korea marches with Russia and China for the war of the latter years and latter days – Ezekiel 38:8, 16. Atomic bombs will produce global incineration – Psalms 97:3; Isaiah 66:15; Joel 2:3, 30; Zephaniah 1:18; Malachi 4:1; Revelation 8:7 and 9:18.)**

## **U.S. B-52s fly over South and East China Seas**

**September 27, 2018** -- *SpaceDaily.com* reports: “U.S. B-52 bombers have recently conducted transit operations in the South China Sea and East China Sea, the Pentagon said Wednesday, amid soaring tensions with Beijing over trade tariffs.

Late Tuesday the heavy bombers ‘participated in a regularly scheduled, combined operation in the East China Sea,’ Pentagon spokesman Lieutenant Colonel Dave Eastburn said.

A defense official said the nuclear-capable aircrafts were escorted by Japanese fighters and the flight was part of the Pentagon’s ‘continuous bomber presence’ in the region.

Earlier in the week, B-52s flew through ‘international airspace over the South China Sea,’ Eastburn said.

China has claimed large swaths of the strategic waterway and built up a series of islands and maritime features, turning them into military facilities...” **(China is preparing for one of the most devastating wars in history. It is the second invasion of Israel after Russia and her Muslim allies fail in their bloodbath in the Middle East**

– Ezekiel 38:1, 2, 8, 16; 39:1, 2, 12, 13; Revelation 16:12; Revelation 9:14 – 18. See the next two report.)

## **China slams U.S. B-52s fly over disputed seas as ‘provocative’**

**October 2, 2018** -- *SpaceDaily.com* reports: “The Chinese defence ministry on Thursday denounced flyovers by U.S. B-52 bombers over the South China Sea and East China Sea as ‘provocative’ actions amid soaring tensions between the two global powers.

The Pentagon said Wednesday the heavy bombers had taken part in a combined operation with Japan over the East China Sea and had flown through international airspace over the South China Sea a day before.

‘Regarding the provocative actions of U.S. military aircraft in the South China Sea, we are always resolutely opposed to them, and will continue to take necessary measures in order to strongly handle (this issue),’ Chinese defence ministry spokesman Ren Guoqiang told a monthly news briefing.

China has claimed large swaths of the strategic waterway and built up a series of islands and maritime features, turning them into military facilities...”

# JERUSALEM: A CUP OF TREMBLING

## **Archaeologists unearth 2000-year-old Hebrew ‘Jerusalem’ inscription**

**October 10, 2018** -- *The Jerusalem Post* reports: “The earliest written inscription of the word Jerusalem written in Hebrew on a 2,000 year old column drum was unveiled on Tuesday at a press conference at The Israel Museum in Jerusalem.

The limestone column drum that dates back to the Second Temple period, was discovered 10 months ago on an excavation site near the International

Convention Center in Jerusalem.

The words: ‘Hanania son of Dudolos from Jerusalem’ was etched on the column which was part of a building that stood in a Jewish potters village near the entrance of Jerusalem some 2,000 years ago...” **(Although its history is one of war and destruction, Jerusalem means “city of peace” or “foundation of peace.”**

**From the siege of David in 1000 B.C. to the Six Day War of 1967, the sounds of battle have been heard as this city has experienced 46 sieges and 32 partial**

**destructions. It has been burned to the ground five times, always rising from the ashes. It is the site of the most volatile political, religious, and military problems in the entire world.**

**The Jewish cry for peace in Jerusalem is sincere, finding its roots in the promise given through Moses (Leviticus 26:6). Jerusalem will finally become the city of peace and capital of the world when Christ, who is our peace, returns (Isaiah 9:6).**

**Having a history of 4,000 years, Jerusalem was first mentioned in**



Scripture in Genesis 14:18 when Melchizedek was king over the city of Salem. Later, it was called Jebus, named for the third son of Canaan, as it was the dwelling place of the Jebusites (Judges 19:10, 11; 1 Chronicles 11:4, 5). When David took the city, the fortress was on a hill called Zion, another name given Jerusalem. Somehow, later, Jeru was added to Salem ... perhaps a combination of Jebus, changed to Jeru, and Salem.

Since B.C. 400, Jerusalem has passed from one Gentile power to another. From 70 A.D. alone, the transition of power went from the Roman conquerors to the Persians in 614; to Caliph Omar in 637; to the Crusaders in 1099; to Saladin in 1187; to the Egyptian Mamelukes in 1250; the Turks in 1517; the British in 1917, and finally, in 1967, the Jews captured Jerusalem.)

**Israel said to fear U.S. peace plan includes Jerusalem as Palestinian capital**

October 21, 2018 -- *The Times of Israel* reports: "Israel is reportedly concerned that the Trump administration is considering recognizing Jerusalem as the Palestinian as well as the Israeli capital in a bid to bring Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas back to the negotiating table.

That fear is born of an Israeli assessment that the administration sees getting a deal as a fairly simple task once both sides are at the negotiating table, the *Yedioth Ahronoth* daily reported Sunday.

'Trump wants a deal and he's very

serious,' a senior Israeli official told the paper. 'To the Americans, the Israeli-Palestinian conflict is relatively easy to solve.'

Sources told the newspaper that U.S.-led talks between the two sides will work on a strategy of give and take: Anyone who comes to the table has to ante up a concession, one the other side agrees to. Anyone who doesn't come to the table has to pay a penalty, and anyone who rejects the draft deal risks being put in a weaker position for the next round..." (Caroline B. Glick, senior contributing editor to *The Jerusalem Post* wrote a book in 2014 entitled "The Israeli Solution" where she stated in the preface: "Establishing a Palestinian state, so the thinking goes, would be a panacea for all the region's ills. It would end the Arab world's conflict with Israel, because the reason the Arab world is anti-Israel is that there is no Palestinian state. It would also nearly erase the Arab world's anti-Americanism, because the reason the Arabs – and the larger Muslim world – are anti-American is that the United States supports Israel even though there is no Palestinian state... For the past ninety years, the two-state solution has been tried more than a dozen times, and every time it has failed, abysmally. Between 1970 and 2013, the United States presented nine different peace plans for Israel and the Palestinians, all based on the two-state solution – and for the past twenty years, the two-state solution has been the centerpiece of the U.S. Middle East policy. But despite this laser focus, American efforts to

implement the two-state solution have all been dismal failures.")

**Jerusalem the capital of 'Palestine'? Not anytime soon**

October 22, 2018 -- *Israel National News* reports: "A U.S. administration official told *Arutz Sheva* on Sunday that, for the time being, the possibility of Washington recognizing eastern Jerusalem as the capital of a Palestinian state is not being considered nor is it on the agenda.

The official was responding to comments made by a senior Israeli political official, who was quoted in the *Yediot Aharonot* newspaper expressing concern that if the results of the midterm elections in the U.S. lead to a weakening of the Republicans, the pressure on President Donald Trump to reach a political settlement between Israel and the Palestinian Authority (PA) will increase.

The Israeli concern, the senior official said, includes the possibility that Jerusalem will be included in the American political proposal. This could mean defining 'East Jerusalem' as the capital of a future Palestinian state parallel to the recognition already given to 'West Jerusalem' as the capital of Israel..." (God's Holy Word dogmatically states 930 times that Jerusalem was given to God's chosen people, the Jews, and the place where our Christ, the second member of the Holy Trinity will reign forever upon His return – Matthew 6:10; Psalm 2:6; Isaiah 59:20; Zechariah 2:10, 4:14; Luke 1:32, 33.)

# NEWS FROM ISRAEL

**This is not a 'terror attack' – it's an execution'**

October 7, 2018 -- *Israel National News* reports: "Media personality Shai Golden published a post on Facebook following the deadly shooting attack in Barkan Sunday and the particularly brutal manner in which the murders

were carried out.

'When bodies are found handcuffed and shot, this is not a shooting attack, it's an execution' Golden wrote shortly after the shocking details were published.

'It is important to be precise in terms of terminology and not to tell stories about a struggle for Palestinian freedom,

occupation, stagnation in diplomatic negotiations and rage against the siege in Gaza.'

'It's an act of blind hatred, a cold-blooded murder of civilians, that there is no way in the world to explain it,' Golden said.

'We did not get to the Land of Israel from

the Diaspora, after all the pogroms, oppression, and the Holocaust, so that Jews would be tied here and shot like dogs ... No, that's not why we ran away from the Diaspora to the Land of Israel." **(The enemies of Israel do not want peace. Their goal is "...let us cut them off from being a nation; that the name of Israel may be no more in remembrance" – Psalm 83:4. Benjamin Netanyahu stated: "If the Arabs put down their weapons today, there would be no more violence. If the Jews put down their weapons today, there would be no more Israel." He is wrong on one point, there will always be an Israel – "...I will give them [Israel] an everlasting name, that shall not be cut off" – Isaiah 56:5.)**

**'What are we supposed to tell the children?'**

**October 7, 2018 -- Israel National News** reports: "Iris Hajbi, mother of Ziv Hajbi, who was murdered in the shooting attack in the Barkan industrial zone, called for a death sentence for the terrorist who murdered her son after he was caught.

Ziv, who worked for the Alon company for two years, was supposed to celebrate his 35th birthday this Saturday.

'My son went out to work. He did not go to war. We started to see Barkan in [the news] this morning, so we started to check the phones. I called him and he did not answer my phone calls. I began to panic. All the phones started ringing. They said that there was a slightly wounded person and two others who were critically wounded, and then we understood 'Iris told the *Israel Television News Company*.

The bereaved mother added: 'I will bury him at the age of 35. What have I done wrong in my life? He's leaving little children behind, 7-year-old twins, a 4 and a half-year-old boy. What is their mother supposed to tell them? These are children who are connected to their father, small children who are attached to their father.'..." **("...whosoever shall offend one of these little ones that believe in me, it is better for him that**

**a millstone were hanged about his neck, and he were cast into the sea. And if thy hand offend thee, cut it off: it is better for thee to enter into life maimed, than having two hands to go into hell, into the fire that never shall be quenched: Where their worm dieth not, and the fire is not quenched" – Mark 9:42 – 44.)**

**' Hamas is giving out candies'**

**October 7, 2018 -- Israel National News** reports: "Education Minister and Chairman of the Jewish Home party Naftali Bennett spoke about the attack this morning in the Barkan Industrial Zone in which Kim Levengrond-Yehezkel and Ziv Hajbi were murdered.

'Like every day, this morning, Ziv and Kim took their children to kindergarten and school, and went to work in the Barkan Industrial Zone. They did not imagine it would be the last time they would see their children. This morning, a cruel terrorist cut their lives short, and injured another worker. Kai, who is one and a half, will not know Mommy, and Ziv's three children will never again play with their Dad,' Bennett said in a statement published by the Education Ministry.

The Minister stressed, 'While Israel endures terrible sadness, Hamas is handing out candies and Abbas is looking after salaries. We must stop this celebration. The State of Israel is obliged to ensure the security of its citizens. We must restore the deterrence.'..."

**Hamas entices preschoolers to play with incendiary balloons**

**October 3, 2018 -- Israel National News** reports: "A new attempt by Hamas to entice Israeli children to play with incendiary balloons includes choosing colorful balloons and attaching lights and toys to them, *Yediot Ahronot* reported.

According to the report, a cluster of balloons recently found in the Eshkol Region was attached to an explosive toy. The balloons, found late at night, were colorful and included colorful flashing lights.

Kibbutz Be'eri's secretary, Yaniv Hagi, told *Yediot Ahronot*: 'Incendiary balloons land in our kibbutz at all hours of day and night. They arrive with flashing and sparkling lights, and some of the balloons have smiley faces on them, so that children will want to touch them.'

'Two days ago, we had a kite festival in the kibbutz, and suddenly I heard a girl ask her father, 'How will I be able to tell the difference between one of our kites and a kite which flew in [from Gaza]?...' **(Hamas is full of savage barbarians that continue to sink lower and lower into depravity. What human being could entice little children to play with incendiary balloons? Our Lord showed great compassion towards children: "Then were there brought unto him little children, that he should put his hands on them, and pray and the disciples rebuked them. But Jesus said, Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me; for of such is the kingdom of heaven. And he laid his hands on them, and departed thence" – Matthew 19:13-15. See the next report.)**

**Balloon bombs land in Israeli town near Jordanian border**

**October 15, 2018 -- Israel National News** reports: "Balloons attached to incendiary devices were found in the Israel town of Yafit in the Jordan Valley along Israel's eastern border on Monday. Residents reported the discovery to local police, who sealed off the area and deployed a bomb squad to neutralize the incendiary devices.

No injuries or damage were reported.

In recent months, terrorists operating out of the Hamas-ruled Gaza Strip have launched thousands of kites and balloons carrying explosives and incendiary devices, using them to wreak havoc on nearby Israeli farms and towns.

The discovery Monday of the balloons raises suspicions that terrorists in Judea and Samaria may also be launching the balloon bombs..."