LIVE BLOG: A New Israeli Massacre at Nasser Hospital as Military Assassinates Five More Journalists – Day 690

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Israel committed horrific massacres in Gaza. (Photo: social media, via QNN) Share

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The Gaza Health Ministry stated that the Strip is in a race against time to confront famine, and the humanitarian response must be wide-ranging.

Meanwhile, four people were killed and scores wounded when Israeli forces bombed the Yemeni capital, Sanaa.

Since October 7, 2023, Israel has killed 62,744 and injured 158,259 others, the majority of whom are women and children, according to the Palestinian Ministry of Health in Gaza.

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Netanyahu Considers Plan To Bypass Zamir After His Call For A Deal

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israel's Channel 13 reported that Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's office is considering a proposal to bypass Chief of Staff Eyal Zamir after his call to move forward with a deal in Gaza. One possibility under discussion is appointing an authority above the Chief of Staff to act as supreme commander of the army.

Assessments indicate that Zamir is seen as not aggressive enough and unwilling to occupy Gaza City.

Zamir, however, would not accept the appointment of a commander above him. Netanyahu's office is reportedly angered after Zamir demanded reaching a deal now.

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Families Of Israeli Prisoners: We Will Not Accept Sabotaging The Deal

ISRAELI MEDIA: The Israeli Prisoners' Families Forum regarding those held in Gaza declared: We urge everyone to take to the streets tomorrow and raise their voices for the return of all hostages. Everyone must unite and fight for their return. We will not accept the sabotage of the prisoner exchange deal again.

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Soldiers Who Bombed Nasser Hospital: We Coordinated with Senior Command

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli Channel 14 reported that soldiers who fired shells at Nasser Hospital said the bombing was carried out in coordination and with approval from senior command.

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German Shock Over Journalists Killed in Gaza

GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTRY

We express our shock at the killing of several journalists, rescuers, and other civilians in an Israeli airstrike in Gaza. There must be an investigation into the Israeli attack on Nasser Hospital.

German Ambassador to Israel: We are appalled by the killing of journalists, medics, and civilians in the Israeli strike on Nasser Hospital.

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Trump: Situation in Gaza Horrific

TRUMP: The situation in Gaza is horrific. There are fewer than 20 hostages, and we will get them out of the Strip. Asked about the bombing of Nasser Hospital, he said: "I am not happy about that, and we need to put an end to this nightmare."

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Al-Qassam Brigades Announce Operation in Gaza's Largest Neighborhoods

AL-QASSAM BRIGADES: The Al-Qassam Brigades revealed a new operation against the Israeli army on Sunday, announcing that a Merkava tank was targeted with an explosive device south of the Zeitoun neighborhood, and a rescue force was monitored arriving at the scene.

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OIC Final Statement

The final communiqué of the OIC meeting:

We call on the UN Security Council to convene over the aggression against the Palestinian people.

We support the efforts of Qatar, Egypt, and the US to secure a ceasefire in Gaza.

We condemn Israel's intransigence and refusal to respond to mediation efforts.

We demand the opening of crossings, the unrestricted entry of aid to Gaza, and the protection of relief agencies, foremost among them UNRWA.

We reject Netanyahu's irresponsible statements about "Greater Israel."

We strongly condemn the recent assassination of journalists in Gaza.

We affirm the need for the Palestinian government to assume responsibilities across all occupied territories.

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Israeli Media: Nasser Hospital Bombed by Tank

ISRAELI MEDIA: According to sources, Nasser Hospital in Khan Yunis was shelled by an Israeli tank as part of a special forces operation in the area. The investigation is focusing on the chain of approvals granted to the tank before it fired. Firing at a hospital requires authorization from senior command and sometimes from the Chief of Staff. The tank crew carried out orders, but an investigation is necessary into why the order was given to bomb a hospital.

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UNRWA: World's Indifference and Inaction Is Shocking

UNRWA: More journalists are being killed in Gaza, silencing the last voices reporting on the deaths of children. The world's indifference and inaction in the face of what is happening in Gaza is shocking. The famine must end, crossings must be opened without restrictions, and journalists and aid workers must be protected.

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Foreign Press Association Condemns Killing of Journalists in Gaza

FOREIGN PRESS ASSOCIATION: We express our shock and anger at the killing of a number of journalists from major international media outlets. We call for an immediate explanation from the Israeli army and the prime minister's office. This moment must be a turning point.

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Poll: 73% Of Israelis Support Ending The War

WALLA (quoting a poll by Agam Institute): 73% of Israelis support ending the war and reaching a prisoner exchange deal. Two-thirds of Israelis believe the war is being managed for political reasons. Sixty-four percent of soldiers think the war is directed according to political calculations.

Motivation to serve has dropped among 40% of regular and reserve soldiers. Fifty-four percent of Likud voters support ending the war in Gaza within the framework of a prisoner exchange deal. Seventy-three percent of reserve and regular soldiers are in favor of ending the war, while 26.1% support its continuation.

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Gaza Death Toll Rises

GAZA HEALTH MINISTRY: The Ministry of Health in Gaza announced that the death toll from the Israeli assault on the Strip since October 7, 2023, has risen to 62,744, with 158,259 wounded.

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Euro-Med Monitor: Israeli Attack Was Not Random

EURO-MEDITERRANEAN MONITOR: The Israeli assault on Nasser Medical Complex was a calculated trap designed to target rescue teams and journalists and to silence witnesses. Our field team observed an Israeli drone flying at low altitude over Nasser before it was attacked. The strike was not random but deliberate, carried out with precise intelligence guidance. This pattern is not an isolated incident but part of a repeated Israeli policy documented in multiple locations.

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Distress Call to Protect Health Services in Gaza

GAZA HEALTH MINISTRY: We condemn the heinous crime committed by the occupation through its direct targeting of Nasser Medical Complex in Khan Yunis. Targeting the hospital is part of the systematic destruction of the health system and a continuation of genocide. The targeting of Nasser Hospital is a message of defiance to the entire world and to all human and moral values.

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Borrell: European Union Losing Credibility

AL-JAZEERA: We call for legal action against the failure of European Union institutions to address the massacres in Gaza. The European Union has not only lost its spirit but also faces a decline in its global credibility. Israel is violating human rights, and the European Union is obligated to act under its treaties.

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Death Toll at Nasser Medical Complex Rises to 19

AL-JAZEERA: The death toll from the Israeli bombing of Nasser Medical Complex in Khan Yunis has risen to 19, including Al Jazeera cameraman Mohammed Salama, journalists Hossam al-Masri and Muaz Abu Taha, and journalist Mariam Abu Daqqa.

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Albanese: Sanctions Must Be Imposed on Israel

UN SPECIAL RAPPORTEUR ALBANESE: Journalists, hospitals, and doctors must be protected. Politicians are the ones who have emptied international law of its meaning. Sanctions and an arms embargo on Israel must be imposed. Pressure must be intensified to allow the entry of aid into the Gaza Strip. European countries have not done enough to pressure Israel.

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Saudi Foreign Minister Demands End to Occupation Crimes in Gaza

SAUDI FOREIGN MINISTER FAISAL BIN FARHAN AL SAUD: We stress the importance of taking all necessary measures to break the siege on Gaza and deliver aid to the Strip. The international community must provide support for UNRWA and UN agencies operating in the Palestinian territories. The international community must put an end to the crimes of the Israeli occupation forces in Gaza. The international community must reject the occupation's declared intention to impose full control over Gaza.

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Four Journalists Killed in Strike on Nasser Medical Complex

AL-JAZEERA: The Israeli bombing of Nasser Medical Complex in Khan Yunis, southern Gaza, resulted in the martyrdom of four journalists, including cameraman Muaz Abu Taha, cameraman Mohammed Salama, cameraman Hossam al-Masri, and journalist Mariam Abu Daqqa.

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14 Killed in Nasser Medical Complex Strike

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Fourteen Palestinians were killed in the strike on Nasser Medical Complex in Khan Yunis, including four journalists: Al Jazeera cameraman Mohammed Salama, cameraman Hossam al-Masri, cameraman Muaz Abu Taha, and journalist Mariam Abu Daqqa.

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US Soccer Club Faces Backlash for Ignoring Palestinian Player's Nationality

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: The Columbus Crew soccer club is under fire from fans for displaying only a Danish flag next to the name of its new player, Wassim Abu Ali, despite his official Palestinian nationality.

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Smotrich on Gaza Civilians: 'Let Them Die of Hunger or Surrender'

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Israeli Finance Minister Bezalel Smotrich told a Cabinet meeting that Gaza civilians should be left to "die of hunger or surrender," sparking a heated clash with army chief Eyal Zamir.

Mon, Aug 25, 11:33 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Strike on Nasser Hospital Kills Journalists and Patients in Gaza

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Israeli warplanes struck the Nasser Medical Complex in Khan Yunis, southern Gaza, on Monday, killing three journalists, including cameraman Hossam al-Masri, Al-Jazeera cameraman Mohammed Salama, and journalist Mariam Abu Daqqa.

Mon, Aug 25, 11:17 AM (Palestine Time)

Journalist Hossam al-Masri Killed

AL-JAZEERA: Al-Jazeera's correspondent reported the killing of photojournalist Hossam al-Masri and the injury of other journalists as a result of an Israeli bombing that targeted Nasser Medical Complex in Khan Younis, southern Gaza.

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Death Toll From Malnutrition and Famine Rises to 300

GAZA HEALTH MINISTRY: The Ministry of Health in Gaza announced the death of 11 Palestinians during the past 24 hours, including two children, as a result of famine and malnutrition.

The ministry confirmed that the total number of victims from famine and malnutrition has risen to 300, including 117 children.

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Resigned Dutch Foreign Minister Criticizes Netanyahu's Government

ISRAELI MEDIA: Channel 12 quoted resigned Dutch Foreign Minister Caspar Veldkamp as saying:

The operation in Gaza City and the actions of Netanyahu's security cabinet harm Israel's security.

The war, which was defensive and justified at the beginning, must end.

Netanyahu's government has lost its legitimacy in the eyes of the world.

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Gantz Calls On Opposition To Act To Save Prisoners

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli Blue and White party leader Benny Gantz said opposition leaders in Israel must act immediately to form a government capable of releasing prisoners held in Gaza.

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Haaretz: Netanyahu Criticized Army Representatives In Several Meetings

ISRAELI MEDIA: Haaretz quoted sources as saying that Netanyahu criticized army representatives in several meetings, claiming they were exaggerating their concerns. They added that the occupation of Rafah city led to the killing of prisoners and soldiers without freeing them.

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Israeli Forces Demolish Buildings In Northern And Southern Gaza

AL-JAZEERA: Al Jazeera's correspondent reported that Israeli occupation forces carried out demolitions of buildings in the Al-Zarqa and Jabaliya Al-Nazla areas in northern Gaza, in addition to the Zaytoun neighborhood in the southeast of the Strip.

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Three Killed And Others Injured In Al-Karama Neighborhood

AL-JAZEERA: Al-Shifa Medical Complex in Gaza announced the killing of three Palestinians and the injury of others as a result of an Israeli airstrike on a house in the Al-Karama area northwest of Gaza City.

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Malnutrition Cases Escalating In Gaza

GAZA MEDICAL RELIEF SOCIETY: The Gaza Medical Relief Society said the Strip is witnessing a sharp rise in cases of malnutrition, some of which have reached critical stages. The group reported suffering from a severe shortage of medicines, noting that the quantities that entered Gaza are not sufficient to treat the widespread diseases in the Strip.

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Israeli Army Destroys Residential Buildings In Zaytoun

AL-JAZEERA: Israeli occupation forces carried out demolitions of residential buildings in the Zaytoun neighborhood southeast of Gaza City this morning, amid ongoing military escalation affecting all areas of the Strip.

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Israeli Forces Detonate Explosive Robots In Al-Tuffah Neighborhood

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli occupation forces detonated booby-trapped robots on Yafa Street east of Al-Tuffah neighborhood in eastern Gaza City, coinciding with airstrikes targeting the Sheja'iyya and Zaytoun neighborhoods.

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UNRWA: Gaza's Education System On The Verge Of Total Collapse

UNRWA: The United Nations Relief and Works Agency (UNRWA) warned that Gaza's education system is on the verge of total collapse, after all school buildings in the Strip were damaged during Israel's genocidal war.

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France Summons US Ambassador Over Accusations against Macron

FRENCH MEDIA:

France summoned US Ambassador to Paris Charles Kushner following his "unacceptable" accusations that President Emmanuel Macron had "not taken sufficient measures" to combat antisemitism.

The French Foreign Ministry said on Sunday that "the ambassador's allegations are unacceptable. They violate international law, in particular the duty of non-interference in the internal affairs of states, as stipulated in the 1961 Vienna Convention governing diplomatic relations."

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One Killed and Others Injured in Israeli Strike on Displaced Persons' Tent in Khan Younis

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: The Emergency and Ambulance Authority in Gaza reported that one person was killed and others injured in an Israeli strike on a displaced persons' tent in the Mawasi area of Khan Younis in the southern Gaza Strip.

Sun, Aug 24, 11:45 PM (Palestine Time)

Iran Strongly Condemns Israeli Attacks on Sanaa

IRANIAN FM: The Iranian Foreign Ministry strongly condemned the Israeli attacks on the Yemeni capital today, which targeted infrastructure and a power station.

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Four Dead and 71 Injured in Israeli Airstrikes on Sanaa

YEMENI MEDIA: Health sources affiliated with Ansarallah reported that four people were killed and 71 injured in the near-final toll of Israeli airstrikes on Sanaa.

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Smotrich: No Food, No Water, No Fuel for Gaza

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli Finance Minister Bezalel Smotrich was quoted as saying they cannot bring aid to their enemy in Gaza, and there will be no water, no electricity, no fuel, and no food.

Sun, Aug 24, 11:45 PM (Palestine Time)

51 Killed in Gaza, Including 24 Waiting for Aid

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Hospital sources in Gaza reported that 51 Palestinians were killed by Israeli army fire in the Strip today, including 27 in Gaza City. Among today's victims are 24 people who were waiting for humanitarian aid.

Sun, Aug 24, 9:50 PM (Palestine Time)

Australia Holds Largest-Ever Pro-Palestine Protests amid Gaza Famine

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Tens of thousands joined record-breaking pro-Palestine rallies across Australia, demanding sanctions on Israel as Gaza famine deepens.

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