

LIVE BLOG: New Resistance Operations in Gaza as Hamas Declares Day of Global Solidarity – Day 667

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Israel has continued to use starvation of civilians as a weapon of war against Palestinians in Gaza.(Photo: Social media, via QNN)

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With over 200,000 Palestinians killed or wounded, resistance movements escalate operations across Gaza and beyond, spotlighting Israeli war crimes.

Meanwhile, the Palestinian Resistance movement Hamas called for a day of global solidarity with Gaza and Palestine on Sunday.

Since October 7, 2023, Israel has killed 60,332 and injured 146,894 others, the majority of whom are women and children, according to the Palestinian Ministry of Health in Gaza.

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Sun, Aug 3, 12:01 AM (Palestine Time)

Al-Quds Brigades Strike Israeli Command Center in Khan Yunis

AL JAZEERA: The Al-Quds Brigades, the armed wing of Islamic Jihad, announced that in coordination with the Al-Amoudi Brigade of the Al-Aqsa Martyrs Brigades, they shelled an Israeli command center on Street 5 in Khan Yunis using a 107-type rocket. They reported observing the landing of an Israeli helicopter at the site to evacuate wounded, indicating confirmed casualties among Israeli forces.

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Fears of Potential Clash Between Israeli Political and Military Leadership

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli media reported that the country is entering a critical week in which strategic decisions may be made that could alter the course of the war in Gaza. Channel 12 said there are fears of a possible clash between the political and military leadership. Israel's public

broadcaster noted the military's reservations over the political leadership's intention to expand operations in Gaza.

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Senior Israeli Official Confirms Talks Still Ongoing

AXIOS (citing senior Israeli official): "No final decision has been made to change course on negotiations." A partial deal that includes a 60-day ceasefire is still on the table. "We are at a crossroads. Hamas is stalling and not engaging, but that could change soon."

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Scotland: It Is Absolutely Clear That a Genocide is Taking Place in Gaza

THE GUARDIAN: According to the British newspaper The Guardian, Scottish Prime Minister John Swinney said it is absolutely clear that a genocide is taking place in Gaza and that this fact cannot be denied.

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51 Palestinians Killed by Israeli Fire in Gaza Since Dawn

AL JAZEERA: Sources in Gaza hospitals reported that 51 Palestinian civilians were killed by Israeli army fire since dawn today, including 27 who were waiting for aid. The "death traps" set up at US-managed aid centers have deepened the crisis at morgues, which are overwhelmed, and worsened shortages of shrouds and plastic burial bags.

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Video of Captive Israeli Soldier Shocks the Israeli Public

AL JAZEERA:

The release of a video by the Al-Qassam Brigades showing the Israeli captive soldier Avitar David has shocked Israelis.

The soldier's family said that he has only a few days left to live in his current condition.

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Al-Qassam Brigades Release Video of Captive Soldier Digging His Own Grave

AL-QASSAM BRIGADES: The Al-Qassam Brigades have once again published a video of the Israeli captive soldier Avitar David. In the video, he says:

"I haven't eaten in days. Our little food is lentils and beans. The captors give us what they can.

Netanyahu abandoned us. Everything we were raised on in Israel is a lie.

I'm digging my own grave with my hands because my body grows weaker every day. I may end up being buried here in the tunnel."

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Hamas: Witkoff's Misleading Statements Contradicted by Ground Reality

HAMAS STATEMENT: Witkoff's visit to the aid distribution center was a prearranged theatrical performance. The goal of the visit was to mislead public opinion, whitewash the image of the occupation, and provide it with political cover to manage starvation.

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Al-Qassam Brigades Announce Mortar Attack on Israeli Forces in Gaza

AL JAZEERA: The Al-Qassam Brigades announced that they bombarded Israeli troop gatherings with mortar shells near the Al-Rantisi Mosque in the Ma'an area, south of Khan Younis in the southern Gaza Strip.

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Abu Salmiya: The Occupation Seeks to Destroy the Health System

AL JAZEERA: Dr. Mohammad Abu Salmiya, director of Al-Shifa Medical Complex in Gaza, told Al Jazeera: Hospitals in the Strip are operating at minimal capacity due to the lack of medicines.

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Over 1,000 EU Staff Call for Suspension of Diplomatic Ties with Israel

AL-JAZEERA: In a letter signed by more than a thousand European Union employees: Time is running out and the threat of famine in Gaza is escalating rapidly. The famine in Gaza is accelerating and cannot be stopped through temporary aid or airdrops.

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Gaza Health Ministry: 98 Bodies Delivered to Hospitals in 24 Hours

GAZA HEALTH MINISTRY: The bodies of 98 martyrs and 1,079 injured people were brought to hospitals in the Gaza Strip within the past 24 hours.

The total number of victims of the Israeli aggression has reached 60,430 martyrs and 148,722 wounded since October 7, 2023. Since March 18, 9,246 people have been killed and 36,681 injured.

In the past 24 hours alone, 39 martyrs and 849 wounded aid seekers were taken to hospitals. The number of aid seekers killed while trying to access food has risen to 1,422 martyrs and over 10,067 wounded.

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Palestinian Woman Martyred in Israeli Strike on Al-Amal Neighborhood in Khan Yunis

AL JAZEERA: Nasser Medical Complex reported that a Palestinian woman was martyred in a drone strike launched by Israeli forces on Al-Amal neighborhood in the northwestern part of Khan Younis, in southern Gaza.

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900,000 Children Suffering from Malnutrition in Gaza

AL JAZEERA: The head of the Palestinian NGO Network in Gaza told Al Jazeera: 900,000 children are suffering from varying degrees of malnutrition. Safe corridors must be secured for aid

entry into the Strip. The situation is worsening, and the occupation is deliberately targeting the humanitarian aid system.

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Witkoff Meets Families of Captives in Tel Aviv

YISRAEL HAYOM: The American envoy to the Middle East, Steve Witkoff, held a meeting in central Tel Aviv with families of the captives held in Gaza.

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UK Foreign Minister: Shooting Civilians Waiting for Aid Is Appalling

THE GUARDIAN (citing UK FM David Lammy): The shooting of civilians waiting for aid is appalling, and I demand Israel be held accountable. The condition of the Palestinian population and the Israeli hostages in Gaza is miserable, and a ceasefire must be achieved to end the suffering.

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Witkoff Arrives at 'Hostage Square' in Central Tel Aviv

HAARETZ: The Israeli newspaper Haaretz reported that US Middle East envoy Steve Witkoff arrived at the 'Hostage Square' in central Tel Aviv to attend a demonstration demanding a prisoner exchange deal to bring the captives back from Gaza. Israel's Channel 13 said protesters greeted Witkoff with chants calling for the immediate return of the hostages.

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Civil Defense in Gaza: Occupation Kills Aid Seekers, Buries Their Bodies

AL JAZEERA: The spokesperson for the Civil Defense in Gaza told Al Jazeera: The occupation kills aid seekers and buries their bodies to prevent their discovery. Every time aid is brought into the Strip, dozens of people are martyred. Israel refuses to allow our teams to rescue those wounded while seeking aid.

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PFLP: Witkoff's Visit to Death Traps is a PR Show

AL JAZEERA: The Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine said: The US administration is complicit in the starvation and killing of our people, and Witkoff's visit to the death traps is a theatrical attempt to whitewash the occupation. What is happening in Gaza is an organized war crime committed in full view of a hypocritical world that boasts about freedom and justice. The US aid company in Gaza is a criminal tool for engineering hunger and killing civilians as a prelude to forced displacement.

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Gaza Government Media Office: Only 73 Trucks Entered Yesterday, Most Looted

GAZA GOVERNMENT MEDIA OFFICE: The Gaza government media office said: Only 73 aid trucks entered Gaza yesterday, and most were looted due to the security chaos orchestrated by the occupation. The daily needs of Gaza exceed 600 trucks of relief supplies and fuel. We hold the occupation and those collaborating with it in the genocide responsible for the ongoing humanitarian

disaster. We call for immediate opening of crossings and entry of sufficient food aid and infant formula.

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82 Palestinians Killed since Dawn, Including 49 Aid Seekers

GAZA HOSPITAL SOURCES – The death toll in Gaza rose sharply on Friday as Israeli forces targeted civilians waiting for aid.

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Hamas Rejects Trump's Accusations over Stolen Aid

HAMAS – The group dismissed Trump's claims as recycled Israeli propaganda, citing UN and USAID reports that debunked the allegations.

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Netherlands Joins Air-Drop Alliance for Gaza Aid

DUTCH FOREIGN MINISTRY – The Dutch government announced it is joining the international effort to air-drop supplies, while stressing the need to open land crossings.

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Poll: 56% of Israelis Fear Traveling Abroad amid Backlash

ISRAEL'S CHANNEL 12: Growing international criticism of Israel's war in Gaza has led over half of Israelis to feel unsafe traveling internationally.

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Zamir Expects to Be Blamed for Gaza Campaign Failures

ISRAEL'S CHANNEL 13 – Israel's army chief believes Netanyahu's government is preparing to scapegoat him, similar to what happened to his predecessor.

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Ansarallah: We Hit Ben Gurion Airport With Hypersonic Missile

ANSARALLAH – The group claimed responsibility for a strike on the Israeli airport using a "Palestine 2" missile, saying millions sought shelter as a result.

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UNICEF: 5,000 Children in Gaza Suffer From Severe Malnutrition

UNICEF – A top official said there were no cases of malnutrition before the war, warning that the lives of thousands of children are now at risk.

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Israeli Army Chief Threatens Resignation amid Political Rift

CHANNEL 12 – Chief of Staff Eyal Zamir reportedly threatened to resign as tensions peak between the military and political leadership.