

LIVE BLOG: Zakaria Zubeidi, Dozens to Be Released | Israeli Massacre in Tubas – Day 481

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Palestinian displaced returned to their destroyed homes in northern Gaza. (Photo: via QNN)

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US Middle East envoy Steve Witkoff is set to visit Gaza to monitor the implementation of the ceasefire. His trip includes an inspection of the Netzarim corridor.

As Israel's military campaign in the West Bank escalates with widespread demolitions and arrests.

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Thu, Jan 30, 6:51 AM (Palestine Time)

Displaced Palestinians Continue to Return to Northern Gaza Strip

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: The journey of Palestinians returning from the central and southern Gaza Strip to the northern part of the Strip continues via Al-Rashid and Salah Al-Din streets. This coincides with the gradual return of life to the streets and neighborhoods of Gaza City.

Thu, Jan 30, 4:08 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Forces Surround House in Qaffin, North of Tulkarm

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli special forces have surrounded a house in the town of Qaffin, located north of Tulkarm in the West Bank. Clashes broke out shortly after between resistance fighters and the Israeli occupation forces.

Thu, Jan 30, 1:56 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Forces Raid Nablus City

MEDIA REPORTS: Sources reported that Israeli forces have raided the city of Nablus in the northern West Bank.

Thu, Jan 30, 1:56 AM (Palestine Time)

Ten Killed in Tammoun

PALESTINIAN MINISTRY OF HEALTH: The Palestinian Ministry of Health reported 10 martyrs in the village of Tammoun in Tubas due to Israeli airstrikes.

Thu, Jan 30, 1:56 AM (Palestine Time)

Trump's Envoy: Efforts to Free All Detainees Continue

CHANNEL 12: Trump's envoy emphasized the ongoing efforts to support the release of all detainees, noting that if that requires the resumption of fighting, it is ultimately a decision for Israel.

Thu, Jan 30, 1:27 AM (Palestine Time)

Hamas, Prisoner's Authority Release Names of Prisoners to Be Freed Tomorrow

HAMAS:

Hamas and the Palestinian Prisoners' Authority released the list of prisoners who will be freed as part of the "Freedom of the Heroes" deal:

- 16 from Fatah
- 11 from Islamic Jihad
- 2 from the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP)
- 2 from the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine (DFLP)
- 1 from Hamas

Among those to be freed:

Mohammad Abu Warda (sentenced to 48 life sentences).

Zakaria Zubeidi, a resistance fighter from the 2002 Jenin Camp invasion and one of the prisoners from the Gilboa Tunnel Escape in 2021.

Sami Suleiman Jarradat, sentenced to 23 life sentences.

Thu, Jan 30, 1:27 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Airstrike Hits Tammoun, Northern West Bank

PALESTINIAN HEALTH MINISTRY: The Palestinian Ministry of Health reported 9 Palestinians martyred and 4 injured in an Israeli airstrike on the town of Tammoun in the northern West Bank.

Wed, Jan 29, 9:32 PM (Palestine Time)

Poll: Most Israelis Distrust Netanyahu, Knesset, and Political Parties

HAIFA UNIVERSITY POLL:

74% of Israelis do not trust Netanyahu.

85% lack confidence in the Knesset and political parties.

55% do not trust the police.

Wed, Jan 29, 8:24 PM (Palestine Time)

Khalil al-Hayya: Our People Foiled Displacement Plans

KHALIL AL-HAYYA:

Khalil al-Hayya, head of Hamas in Gaza, said that the Palestinian people have thwarted plans for displacement, expressing pride in the Arab and regional support received.

He thanked those who backed the resistance and honored the martyrs in the Al-Aqsa Flood battle.

Al-Hayya commended Egypt and Jordan's rejection of any displacement plans and reaffirmed the commitment to the prisoners, promising to fulfill the late leader Abu Ibrahim's vow.

He called for Palestinian unity and the continuation of resistance until complete victory is achieved.

Wed, Jan 29, 6:43 PM (Palestine Time)

Abu Obeida: Hamas to Release Prisoners Tomorrow

ABU OBEIDA: As part of the Al-Aqsa Flood deal, Hamas will release prisoners Arbel Yehud, Agam Berger, and Gadi Moshe Moses tomorrow.

Wed, Jan 29, 6:43 PM (Palestine Time)

Israel to Release 33 Life-Sentenced Prisoners Tomorrow

CHANNEL 12: Israel will release 33 life-sentenced prisoners, 30 minors, and a woman tomorrow in exchange for the release of Israeli soldier Agam Berger.

Wed, Jan 29, 6:43 PM (Palestine Time)

Israel to Free 110 Palestinian Prisoners Tomorrow

CHANNEL 12: Israel will free 110 Palestinian prisoners tomorrow in exchange for 3 Israeli prisoners held by Hamas.

Wed, Jan 29, 6:43 PM (Palestine Time)

Al-Qassam Brigades: Fierce Battles in Jenin

AL-QASSAM BRIGADES: The Al-Qassam Brigades in Jenin reported engaging in fierce battles with Israeli forces in the Al-Hamama axis, directing heavy fire at Israeli troops and military vehicles, causing confirmed casualties.

Wed, Jan 29, 6:43 PM (Palestine Time)

Trump Executive Order to Combat Antisemitism

NEW YORK POST: The New York Post reported that President Trump is expected to sign an executive order to combat antisemitism, directing federal agencies to find ways to deport anti-Jewish activists, including those supporting Hamas.

Wed, Jan 29, 6:43 PM (Palestine Time)

Egypt Rejects Displacement, Stresses National Security

EL-SISI: Egyptian President Abdel Fattah el-Sisi reiterated that forced displacement of Palestinians is unjust, and Egypt will not allow it, as it would compromise the country's national security.

Wed, Jan 29, 3:11 PM (Palestine Time)

US Envoy Visits Netzarim Axis in Gaza

AXIOS: According to an Israeli official, US Special Envoy for the Middle East, Steve Vitkoff, visited the Netzarim axis in Gaza alongside Israeli Minister of Strategic Affairs, Ron Dermer. They discussed the implementation of the ceasefire agreement in Gaza and vehicle inspections.

Wed, Jan 29, 3:11 PM (Palestine Time)

85% of Gaza Buildings Destroyed

GOVERNMENT MEDIA OFFICE: The Government Media Office in Gaza reported that over half a million displaced people have returned to northern Gaza after being evacuated from the southern and central provinces.

Wed, Jan 29, 3:11 PM (Palestine Time)

Gaza Death Toll Rises

GAZA HEALTH MINISTRY: 47,417 Palestinians have been killed, and 111,571 wounded in Israel's ongoing genocide in Gaza starting on October 7, 2023.

Wed, Jan 29, 1:49 PM (Palestine Time)

Humanitarian Protocol in Gaza Revealed

AL-JAZEERA:

Sources told Al-Jazeera that the humanitarian protocol for Gaza affirms the commitment of relevant parties to work in accordance with international humanitarian law.

The protocol ensures regular meetings between the guarantors to monitor its implementation during the ceasefire and commits to fulfilling the requirements of the May 27, 2024 agreement.

It also ensures sufficient humanitarian aid, including 600 trucks per day, and the entry of 60,000 caravans and 200,000 tents to accommodate displaced people.

Furthermore, the protocol calls for the repair of infrastructure, including the power station, and enhanced coordination for early recovery efforts.

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Israeli Forces Continue Burning Homes in Jenin

AL-JAZEERA: Sources reported that Israeli forces continue to burn homes in the Jenin refugee camp and are deploying additional military reinforcements.

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Palestinian Injured by Israeli Fire in Tulkarm Camp

PALESTINIAN RED CRESCENT: The Palestinian Red Crescent reported that a Palestinian was injured by Israeli gunfire in the Tulkarm refugee camp in the northern West Bank.

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Smotrich Hopes for Ultra-Orthodox Draft Law Approval

ISRAELI ARMY RADIO: Israeli Finance Minister Bezalel Smotrich expressed hope that the new draft law aimed at recruiting ultra-Orthodox Jews into the military will pass. This follows growing protests against the mandatory conscription law after the Knesset voted in favor of it last June.

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UK Urges Israel to Ensure UNRWA's Continued Operation

BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE: The UK Foreign Office urged Israel to guarantee the continued operation of UNRWA, the UN agency providing life-saving services to Palestinian refugees.

Wed, Jan 29, 12:31 PM (Palestine Time)

Sa'ar: Israel Rejects Hamas Rule in Gaza

ISRAELI FM: Israeli Foreign Minister Gideon Sa'ar told his Finnish counterpart that Israel rejects Hamas' rule over Gaza, claiming it undermines its security and regional stability.

Wed, Jan 29, 12:31 PM (Palestine Time)

14 Bodies Recovered from Al-Rashid Street

PALESTINIAN RED CRESCENT: The Palestinian Red Crescent reported that its teams recovered 14 decomposed bodies from various locations along Gaza's coastal Al-Rashid Street.

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Two Gaza Detainees Die in Israeli Prisons

PALESTINIAN PRISONERS' AFFAIRS: The Palestinian Prisoners' Affairs Authority announced that two detainees from Gaza died in Israeli prisons. According to the Authority and the Prisoners' Club, the deceased were identified as Mohammed Sharif Al-Asali and Ibrahim Adnan Ashour.

Wed, Jan 29, 11:21 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Army Destroys 60 Homes in Jenin Camp

YEDIOTH AHRONOTH: An unnamed Israeli military source told Yedioth Ahronoth that the Israeli army has demolished about 60 buildings in the Jenin refugee camp during a week of military operations.

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Israeli Soldier Criticizes Army over Gaza War

TIMES OF ISRAEL: A reservist who took part in Israel's attack on Gaza criticized the army, saying that instead of targeting Hamas, the Israeli military destroyed infrastructure and homes.

Wed, Jan 29, 11:21 AM (Palestine Time)

US Envoy Visits Gaza to Oversee Ceasefire Implementation

KAN: US Middle East envoy Steve Witkoff visited Gaza to oversee the implementation of the ceasefire.

Israeli media reported that Witkoff will inspect the Netzarim corridor before meeting Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu to discuss the second phase of the agreement with Hamas.

Wed, Jan 29, 11:21 AM (Palestine Time)

Israel Arrests 12 Palestinians for Celebrating Prisoner's Release

YEDIOTH AHRONOTH: Israeli occupation police arrested 12 Palestinians in Kufr Aqab, north of Jerusalem, for participating in a celebration marking the release of a prisoner.

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Palestinian Found Dead in Jenin after Bleeding Overnight

AL-JAZEERA: Residents of Jenin found the body of a young Palestinian who had been wounded the previous night and left to bleed to death by Israeli forces.

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Egypt, Jordan Warn Trump's Allies against Palestinian Displacement Plan

JERUSALEM POST: According to sources, Egypt and Jordan warned close associates of former US President Donald Trump that his plan to displace Palestinians from Gaza could harm regional normalization efforts.

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Israeli Gunboats Attack Fishermen, Make Arrests Off Khan Yunis

AL-JAZEERA: Israeli warships attacked Palestinian fishing boats and detained two fishermen off the coast of Khan Younis in Gaza.

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Israeli Army Extends West Bank Offensive Indefinitely

ISRAELI ARMY STATEMENT: The Israeli occupation army announced it would continue its offensive in the occupied West Bank indefinitely. “We will not leave until the infrastructure of terrorism is dismantled, and Operation Iron Wall has no set timeframe”.

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Occupation Forces Withdraw from Nablus after Detaining Three

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli occupation forces withdrew from the city of Nablus after arresting three young men.

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Israel Destroys 31 Homes in Jenin Camp

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli occupation forces have demolished around 31 homes during their ongoing assault on Jenin refugee camp in the occupied West Bank.

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Israel Issues Demolition Orders for 45 Homes in Hebron

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Israeli authorities have issued demolition notices for 45 homes and structures in the town of Beit Ummar, north of Hebron, in the occupied West Bank.