LIVE BLOG: Israel Continues Attacks on Gaza as Hamas Delivers Two More Bodies – Day 758

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Israel continues to carry out massacres in Gaza. (Photo: social media, via QNN) Share

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Palestinian outlets reported that Israel carried out more than ten air raids targeting the eastern areas of Khan Yunis, in the southern Gaza Strip.

Meanwhile, the Al-Qassam Brigades handed over the bodies of two Israeli prisoners to the Red Cross in Gaza, warning that Israel's ongoing violations of the ceasefire threaten to obstruct further recovery operations.

Since October 7, 2023, Israel has killed 68,527 and injured 170,395 others, the majority of whom are women and children, according to the Palestinian Ministry of Health in Gaza.

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Fri, Oct 31, 10:56 PM (Palestine Time)

Hezbollah 'Ready to Defend Lebanon' if War Is Imposed – Sheikh Qassem

ISRAELI MEDIA: Hezbollah's Sheikh Naim Qassem accused the US of enabling Israeli violations of Lebanese sovereignty, affirming that Lebanon's people, not foreign powers, are its true sovereigns and vowing readiness to defend the country if attacked.

Fri, Oct 31, 10:44 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Media: Red Cross Hands Over Three Bodies to Israel

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli media reported that Israel received three bodies from the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), which were transferred to the Institute of Forensic Medicine for examination.

Fri, Oct 31, 10:44 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Army Carries Out Demolitions and Shelling East of Khan Yunis

AL-JAZEERA: Al-Jazeera's correspondent reported that the Israeli army is conducting demolition operations alongside artillery shelling and tank fire east of Khan Yunis in the southern Gaza Strip.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:25 PM (Palestine Time)

'Ongoing Restrictions' by Israel Limit Humanitarian Operations in Gaza – UN

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: The UN OCHA says aid convoys have faced repeated rerouting orders from Israel for three consecutive days, forcing them to travel through the Philadelphi Corridor along the border with Egypt before moving up the narrow Coastal Road.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:19 PM (Palestine Time)

'Dangerous Escalation' – Israel to Approve Nearly 2,000 West Bank Settlement Units

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Far-right Israeli Finance Minister Bezalel Smotrich announced on Thursday that the Higher Planning Council will approve the construction of 1,973 new settlement units in the occupied West Bank during its next session.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:17 PM (Palestine Time)

Poll: 67% of Israelis Fear a Political Assassination

ISRAELI MEDIA: An Israeli Channel 12 poll revealed that 67% of Israelis believe the United States makes the decisions regarding military operations in Gaza, while 69% think Israel is now under American supervision. The same poll showed that 67% of respondents fear the possibility of a political assassination inside Israel.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:17 PM (Palestine Time)

Haaretz: Israeli Army Preparing to Receive Bodies from Hamas

HAARETZ: The Israeli newspaper Haaretz reported that the Israeli army is preparing to receive the bodies of several of its prisoners from Hamas in the Gaza Strip.

Fri, Oct 31, 8:09 PM (Palestine Time)

Israel Blocks Gaza Aid through New NGO Registration System - Report

FINANCIAL TIMES: Humanitarian organizations say Israel is blocking aid to Gaza through a new registration system for NGOs.

Fri, Oct 31, 8:09 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Estimates Suggest Possible Handover of Captives' Bodies Tonight

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli media reported that there are estimates suggesting Hamas may hand over the bodies of several captives tonight.

Fri, Oct 31, 6:46 PM (Palestine Time)

Targeting Those Who Practice 'Do No Harm': The Failure to Protect Gaza's Healers

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: In Gaza, health and education professionals have faced targeted violence for two years. The lives and professional dignity of healthcare workers must be protected everywhere, in compliance with the Hippocratic Oath and Geneva Conventions.

Read the article by Lori Maria Eaton and Ikram Mezghani

Fri, Oct 31, 6:34 PM (Palestine Time)

Israel's 'Right To Rape': Leaked Video Investigated and Labeled Blood Libel

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Israelis are, again, furious about the infamous gang rape of a Palestinian hostage in Sde Teiman concentration camp, but not at the rapists themselves. Instead, they are demanding the prosecution of those responsible for leaking the video.

Read the latest analysis by Robert Inlakesh.

Fri, Oct 31, 6:00 PM (Palestine Time)

Turkiye to Host Meeting Monday on Gaza Ceasefire

TURKISH FM:

Turkish Foreign Minister Hakan Fidan announced Friday that foreign ministers will meet next Monday to discuss the Gaza ceasefire and next steps, expressing Ankara's concern about the fragility of the truce.

Speaking at a press conference in Ankara, Fidan said the meeting will include ministers who met with U.S. President Donald Trump in New York in September, adding that discussions continue over the formation of a Gaza Task Force and a stabilization force.

"The topics currently under discussion concern the transition to the second phase, which is the stabilization force," he said.

Fri, Oct 31, 5:50 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Army's Top Legal Officer Dismissed after Leak of Sde Teiman Torture Footage

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Israeli Defense Minister Israel Katz announced on Friday the dismissal of the army's top legal officer from her position due to "the severity of the suspicions" against her regarding the leaking of a video that captured the brutal abuse of a Palestinian detainee by Israeli guards in the notorious Sde Teiman prison.

Fri, Oct 31, 5:11 PM (Palestine Time)

Three Palestinians Killed as Israel Resumes Shelling and Demolitions in Gaza

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: Despite the ceasefire, Israeli forces continue large-scale demolitions and bombardments across Gaza, killing three Palestinians and worsening an already dire humanitarian situation.

Fri, Oct 31, 5:02 PM (Palestine Time)

US Chairman of the Joint Chiefs Arrives in Israel

AL-JAZEERA: A US official told Al Jazeera that the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff arrived in Israel to hold talks concerning Gaza.

The Times of Israel reported that U.S. Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Dan Kane discussed regional developments on all fronts with his Israeli counterpart.

Fri, Oct 31, 5:02 PM (Palestine Time)

Red Cross and Al-Qassam Brigades Head to Eastern Khan Yunis

AL-QASSAM BRIGADES: A source within the Palestinian resistance told Al Jazeera that the International Committee of the Red Cross and the Al-Qassam Brigades — the military wing of Hamas — headed to areas east of Khan Yunis to search for the bodies of Israeli prisoners.

Fri, Oct 31, 1:45 PM (Palestine Time)

Palestinian Killed by Israeli Gunfire in Jabaliya

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: A source at Al-Shifa Hospital reported that a Palestinian was killed by Israeli army fire in the Jabaliya al-Balad area in northern Gaza, as Israeli military escalation continues across the Strip.

Fri, Oct 31, 1:45 PM (Palestine Time)

Limited Entry of Food Aid Trucks into Gaza Through Kissufim Crossing

AL-JAZEERA: Al-Jazeera's correspondent reported the limited entry of food aid trucks into the Gaza Strip through the vicinity of the Kissufim crossing, as part of ongoing efforts to bring humanitarian aid into the enclave amid a severe crisis caused by the blockade and widespread destruction.

Fri, Oct 31, 1:45 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Military Prosecutor Submits Resignation to Chief of Staff

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli media reported that the military prosecutor submitted her resignation to Chief of Staff Eyal Zamir following suspicions of her involvement in leaking a video showing Israeli soldiers assaulting a Palestinian detainee inside the Sde Teiman detention facility.

Fri, Oct 31, 11:55 AM (Palestine Time)

Classified US Report Reveals 'Many Hundreds' of Israeli Human Rights Violations in Gaza

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: A classified US watchdog report uncovered "many hundreds" of possible Israeli violations of US human rights law in Gaza, The Washington Post revealed.

Fri, Oct 31, 11:28 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Army Bombards Al-Sheja'iya and Al-Tuffah Neighborhoods East of Gaza

AL-JAZEERA: Al-Jazeera's correspondent reported that the Israeli occupation army carried out demolitions of residential buildings alongside heavy artillery shelling in the Al-Sheja'iya and Al-Tuffah neighborhoods east of Gaza City, in a continuing breach of the ceasefire agreement.

Fri, Oct 31, 11:28 AM (Palestine Time)

Heavy Shelling and Gunfire East of Khan Yunis

AL-JAZEERA: Al-Jazeera's correspondent reported that eastern areas of Khan Yunis, in southern Gaza, were subjected to intense artillery bombardment and continuous gunfire from Israeli helicopters since last night.

Fri, Oct 31, 11:28 AM (Palestine Time)

Nasser Medical Complex Receives Bodies of 30 Palestinian Prisoners

AL-JAZEERA: The Nasser Medical Complex announced the arrival of 30 bodies of Palestinian prisoners handed over by the Israeli occupation as part of the prisoner exchange agreement with Hamas.

Fri, Oct 31, 11:28 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Defense Minister: Military Prosecutor Will Not Return to Her Post

ISRAELI DEFENSE MINISTRY: Israeli Defense Minister Yisrael Katz said the army's chief military prosecutor will not return to her position due to her involvement in leaking a video from the Sde Teiman detention facility. Katz added that "all those who participated in the blood libel against soldiers in the Sde Teiman case will be prosecuted."

Fri, Oct 31, 11:28 AM (Palestine Time)

Palestinian Killed, Brother Wounded by Israeli Gunfire in Al-Sheja'iya

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: A source at the Al-Ahli Baptist Hospital reported that a Palestinian was killed and his brother wounded by Israeli army gunfire in the Al-Shuja'iya neighborhood east of Gaza City.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Former Israeli Policeman Severely Injured after Self-Immolation

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli media reported that a former police officer suffered severe burns after setting himself on fire near the home of an official responsible for the rehabilitation of Israeli soldiers.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Chief of Staff Dismisses Military Prosecutor

ISRAELI MEDIA: Channel 14 reported that Israeli Chief of Staff Eyal Zamir dismissed the army's chief military prosecutor over suspicions she leaked a video showing Israeli soldiers assaulting a detained Palestinian.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Opposition Leader Lapid Criticizes Government Silence After Jerusalem Protest

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli opposition leader Yair Lapid condemned the government's silence following the ultra-Orthodox draft-dodging protest in Jerusalem, where participants reportedly burned the Israeli flag and referred to Israel as "the enemy."

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

UNRWA Schools Turn into Temporary Shelters for Displaced Gazans

UNRWA: The UN Relief and Works Agency said its schools have become temporary shelters for displaced families in Gaza amid intensified military operations. Despite severe shortages, the agency said it remains the backbone of humanitarian work in the Strip and continues to provide aid and protection to affected civilians.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Palestinian Dies from Injuries Sustained in Previous Israeli Strike on Khan Yunis

AL-JAZEERA: A Palestinian succumbed to severe wounds sustained in an earlier Israeli strike that targeted a displaced persons' tent in the Al-Mawasi area west of Khan Yunis, southern Gaza.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Smotrich Accelerates Settlement Construction ahead of Israeli Elections

YEDIOTH AHRONOTH: Israeli Finance Minister Bezalel Smotrich is fast-tracking land seizures and settlement expansion in the occupied West Bank before next year's Knesset elections, seeking to entrench "facts on the ground" and block future Palestinian statehood.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Forces Conduct Massive Demolitions East of Khan Yunis and Gaza City

AL JAZEERA: Israeli forces carried out four large demolition operations east of Khan Yunis and additional blasts east of Gaza City, according to Al Jazeera's correspondent.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Army Destroys Homes in Gaza City

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Palestinian media reported that Israeli forces detonated several residential buildings east of Gaza City overnight.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Forces Target Gaza City and Khan Yunis

AL-JAZEERA: Israeli tanks opened fire on eastern Gaza City as artillery units shelled areas east of Khan Yunis.

Fri, Oct 31, 9:59 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Policeman Injured During Ultra-Orthodox Protest in Jerusalem

ISRAELI POLICE: An Israeli police officer was injured during clashes at the ultra-Orthodox antidraft protest in Jerusalem, where demonstrators lit fires, threw stones, and blocked streets before several arrests were made.

Fri, Oct 31, 12:15 AM (Palestine Time)

14-Year-Old Palestinian Killed by Israeli Fire in Silwad, Ramallah

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: Medical sources reported that a 14-year-old Palestinian boy was shot and killed by Israeli forces at the entrance to the town of Silwad, near Ramallah, in the occupied West Bank.

Fri, Oct 31, 12:15 AM (Palestine Time)

Two Palestinians Injured in Israeli Strike on Khan Yunis

PALESTINIAN MEDIA: The Nasser Medical Complex reported that two Palestinians were injured in an Israeli airstrike targeting the town of Bani Suhaila, east of Khan Younis, in southern Gaza.

Fri, Oct 31, 12:15 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Army: Armed Fighters Operating Underground in Gaza

ISRAELI MEDIA: An Israeli military official told Channel 12 that armed fighters remain underground in areas under Israeli control in Gaza, adding that "a thorough and systematic cleansing operation" is underway.

Fri, Oct 31, 12:15 AM (Palestine Time)

Washington Post: US Report Documents Hundreds of Israeli Violations in Gaza

WASHINGTON POST: The Washington Post reported that a recent US State Department Inspector General report found that the Israeli military may have committed hundreds of violations in Gaza. The watchdog raised doubts about Israel's accountability and confirmed it is gathering evidence on alleged theft of aid by Hamas and other armed groups. The report was completed just days before the Gaza ceasefire agreement.

Fri, Oct 31, 12:15 AM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Airstrikes Target Eastern Khan Yunis

AL-JAZEERA: Al Jazeera's correspondent reported that Israeli warplanes carried out strikes on the towns of Abasan al-Kabira and Bani Suhaila, east of Khan Yunis, in southern Gaza.

Fri, Oct 31, 12:15 AM (Palestine Time)

New Investigation: Leonardo Supplied F-15 Components to Israel During Gaza Genocide

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: According to an investigation by Stefania Maurizi for il Fatto Quotidiano, the electronics division of Leonardo continued to supply components for Israel's F-15 fighter jets in 2024 and 2025, during the height of the genocide in Gaza.

Thu, Oct 30, 10:03 PM (Palestine Time)

Erdogan to Merz: Does Germany Not See the Genocide in Gaza?

AFP: Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan rejected pro-Israel remarks made by German Chancellor Friedrich Merz, reminding him that thousands of innocent people have been killed in Gaza and that Israel continues its genocide and starvation campaign against Palestinians. Speaking at a joint press conference in Ankara, Erdogan called for immediate action to curb Israel and end the genocide and famine in Gaza.

Thu, Oct 30, 10:03 PM (Palestine Time)

Haaretz: US Rejects Israeli Proposal on Gaza Aid Distribution

ISRAELI MEDIA: According to Haaretz, the United States rejected a proposal from Israeli security agencies to distribute humanitarian aid near the so-called "Yellow Line" in Gaza.

Thu, Oct 30, 10:03 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Media: Netanyahu Holds Security Consultations on Lebanon

ISRAELI MEDIA: Israeli media reported that Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is holding security consultations tonight regarding Lebanon, following intelligence on Hezbollah's recent efforts to strengthen its capabilities.

Thu, Oct 30, 10:03 PM (Palestine Time)

Hamas Condemns New Settlement Plan in the West Bank

HAMAS STATEMENT: Hamas condemned Israel's approval of 1,973 new settlement units—one day after approving 1,300 more—calling it a dangerous escalation in Judaization and settlement policy. Hamas said the rapid expansion aims to fragment the West Bank, isolate Jerusalem, and entrench annexation in violation of international law and UN resolutions.

Thu, Oct 30, 8:10 PM (Palestine Time)

Israeli Airstrikes Target Eastern Khan Yunis

AL-JAZEERA: Al-Jazeera's correspondent reported that Israeli warplanes launched airstrikes on the towns of Abasan al-Kabira and Bani Suhaila, east of Khan Yunis, in southern Gaza.

Thu, Oct 30, 7:47 PM (Palestine Time)

The UAE's War on Muslims: From Sudan to the Gaza Genocide

ALESTINE CHRONICLE: While the United Arab Emirates advertises itself as both a peacemaker and opponent of so-called "Islamic radicalism", it is currently involved in genocide in both Gaza and Sudan. Connecting these dots is key to understanding the overarching goals of the regime.

Read the latest analysis by Robert Inlakesh.

Thu, Oct 30, 5:58 PM (Palestine Time)

Al-Qassam Brigades Return Two Israeli Bodies, Warn against Escalation in Gaza

PALESTINE CHRONICLE: The Al-Qassam Brigades handed over the bodies of two Israeli prisoners to the Red Cross in Gaza, warning that Israel's ongoing violations of the ceasefire threaten to obstruct further recovery operations.