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Violence does not grow in a Vacuum

This issue of Common Sense was to be about recent rioting in Bradford and Oldham as well as events in Palestine, but more dramatic happenings force a shift of focus. Whilst different in scale, there are, however, common strands to escalating violence in those far apart places. When things go out of hand, reflection is usually in short supply and emotion takes over, often making things only worse. Violence is a symptom of underlying causes, and if the causes are not addressed, the problem will perpetuate. Vendettas of old show how revenge and counter-revenge do not bring conflict to an end.

As with previous occasions where American installations were targeted, the administration and the media have been quick to point the finger at Muslims, happily aided by numerous and vociferous Israeli commentators. The British official response, for a change, was somewhat more considered, and whilst some TV commentators went as far as conjuring images of the crusades of old, feedback to the letter columns of print and broadcasting media indicated that the public at large did not see the USA as the purely innocent victim. The British National Party, of course, took its new strategy of targeting Muslims rather than Blacks and Asians as the enemy of Britain to new levels after having first put it to the test during the events surrounding the riots in the North.

Early investigations of the New York and Washington attacks have been characterised by

lack of concrete factual evidence and an abundance of circumstantial material and speculation. Details of the fate of the planes which did not hit their targets were dropped from reporting. Much was made of the find of a Qur'an, Arabic flight manuals and an instructional video in a car. Taken to their logical conclusion one could assume that the ama-

teur hijacker pilots crashed the plane near Pittsburgh because in their hurry they forgot the video which was going to tell them how to fly the plane. Totally ludicrous, such discoveries help, however, to create a scene of suspicion and give the impression that the law enforcement agencies are on to something. They desperately need to show successes, for the devastating destruction of the twin towers of the World Trade Center is very much proof of their failure.

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Violence

If Bin Laden was the key culprit, given that his organisation was, so we have been told all along, constantly being watched, why did not the CIA and FBI pick up some advance information? Their budget and powers already blur the distinction between a free country and a dictatorship. Allegedly, there have been some warnings from the Israeli intelligence service Mossad about an imminent terror attack outside Israel, so why was there no higher state of alert, and why did Mossad not share what they knew with their American counterparts? Many more questions need to be asked, first among them, who benefits?

Muslims are likely to be the losers, as they will be the targets of retribution. Israel has already used the shock of world opinion as a convenient smoke screen to move with tanks against Palestinian civilians, and nobody dare speak out. Tougher laws and increased police powers will be the inevitable result in the West, providing the pretence for a clamp down on hitherto legitimate opposition activities. The police state is on the doorstep.

There have been previous occasions where governments, including the government of the United States of America, engineered tragedies to stir up an otherwise disinterested populace into supporting their policies and wars. The suicide plane crashes were compared to Pearl Harbour, and if that comparison is accurate, than the American intelligence service had prior knowledge of the events. It is now established historical fact that they let Pearl Harbour happen to bring America into the war against Japan. They also dropped the Hiroshima bomb when it was already clear that the war was over. Little surprise, America has many enemies, and they would have more, especially at home, if the full truth was known. The now executed bomber of Oklahoma,

Timothy McVeigh was no loner. Many American patriots are disillusioned with their own administration.

The direct hit of the World Trade Center also provided a new twist to the story of recession for which America was anyway heading. It now provides an outside cause for what until then would have been profiteering and irresponsible mismanagement. But given that one of the planes destroyed a large portion of the Pentagon, the United States' military command centre, it was unlikely a Pearl Harbour like own goal. The attack must, however, had the support of influential people inside the American administration.

We are told that half a dozen planes were hijacked simultaneously, that control of the planes was seized shortly after takeoff, that the transponders which identify the planes on air traffic control radar screens were turned off, and that radio communication with air traffic control was lost. To the uninitiated this would seem like an uncontrollable situation. Yet, it is hard to believe that air traffic control would sit by idle and watch several planes go off their screens. When a transponder is turned off the plane does not disappear from radar, but as its identification is missing, alarm bells immediately go off in the control centre. If this happens with multiple planes and they all head for the same direction, even somebody merely on work experience could figure out that this was a real emergency.

At such times, order 761 comes into effect, which requires all facilities of the Federal Aviation Authority to follow the directions of the hijack coordinator in Washington. Military escort missions will be dispatched to track intercept the hijacked aircraft. So why did none of this take place?

If Bin Laden managed to disable the United States air traffic control emergency procedures from his distant hideout in the

Afghan mountains, president Bush would be best advised to invite him as a security advisor, pointing out the loop holes of American intelligence. Highly unlikely.

At this juncture, the culpability of Mossad becomes, once more, a real possibility. The Israeli intelligence service, not incapable of hiring a few misguided Arabs under the pretext of a jihad opportunity, has quite a history of friendly fire against American targets. With a long-standing terrorist and cynic, Ariel Sharon, at the helm it would be foolish to rule out this option. A published interview, dating back to 1982, shows how little respect this man has for humanity, including his own compatriots, boasting that he even wouldn't mind blowing up one synagogue or two if that frightens the diaspora Jews and makes them rally behind Israel, makes them "hurry home before it gets really dark".

The Israel led by this man despising humanity is a nuclear power with considerable influence in Western governments. It was only just at risk of losing the propaganda war of its atrocious occupation of Palestinian land. Now, everybody will once more pledge to support them in their laudable attempt to eradicate terrorism. Israel would only be too happy to pressure the US into a military strike against Afghanistan with sufficient collateral damage to disable Pakistan's use of its "Muslim Bomb".

As the hate mail arriving at our offices suggests, American patriots and many other so-called nationalists want to vent their anger at any Muslim they come into contact with. When watching Hollywood produced films they were always assured that their powerful state would protect them against the terrorist menace, no matter how close it came to home. In the disbelief that they were struck right in the centre, they forget that violence always begets more violence.

A Word from The Leader

Pearl Harbor - executed to a plan

by Islamic Party Leader David Musa Pidcock

If, as the American media states that the attack on the Pentagon, and the World Trade Centre: "is another Pearl Harbor," then the President and his cabinet knew all about it, just as Roosevelt knew of the impending attack on his own men and ships long before the attack: The blame will fall on the CIA's failure to prevent what Admiral Sidney Sauer - one of its founding fathers - promised Harry Truman: "That another Pearl Harbor would never happen again". In Miles Copeland's autobiography - *The Game Player* - on pages 68-69, he states that President Truman told his new boss, Sauer, that: "President Roosevelt GOT THE INTELLIGENCE and decided to allow the Pearl Harbor attack happen as a way of arousing an otherwise apathetic populace!"

Furthermore, from the War Diaries of Secretary Stimson recorded by Charles A Beard, in his book - *PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT & THE COMING OF THE WAR 1941. A Study In Appearances And Realities*. Yale University Press. We find confirmation of Copeland's astonishing assertion, by Secretary Stimson in the following passage from his diary. Beard describes Stimson as; "A leading and pertinacious actor in the affairs of the time, (who wrote) in his Diary for November 25th, 1941: 'Then at 12 o'clock we (viz. General Marshall and I) went to the White House, where we were until nearly half past one. At the meeting were Hull, Knox, Stark, and myself. The President, instead of bringing up the Victory Parade - This was an office nickname for the General Staff strategic plan of national action in case of war in Europe - brought up the event that we were likely to be attacked perhaps - as soon as next Monday, for the Japanese are notorious for making an attack without warning, and the question was what we should do. The question was how we should manoeuvre them into firing the first shot without allowing too much danger to ourselves...' Chapter XVII p.517. The actual attack took place on December 7th 1941. On Roosevelt's desk was a plaque which read: "NOTHING HAPPENS BY ACCIDENT".

We now know that Roosevelt's "Day of Infamy" Speech was

written on December 6th, 1941, the day before the attack on Pearl Harbour (Harbor). Therefore, Bush's speech and response will have been prepared well in advance, with the warmongers at the Washington Post, et al. waiting for the signal that Randolph Hearst always requested at times like this: "You give us the headlines we'll give you the war". On other occasions he said: "You give us the pictures we'll give you the war". Now they have the both the pictures and the headlines to give America the pretext to sanction Israel, and her other allies, to exterminate whosoever it wishes.

But Mossad, the master of deception, will have played a significant part in generating the plan for the pretext, just as British Intelligence, in 1938 (under the guidance of Captain Sydney Rogerson) had devised the plan for Japan to attack America and, as a result, bring her into "The Next War" again "on our side". This plot was exposed - during a

Congressional Speech, on April the 25th, 1939, by Senator Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota. See Congressional Record, 76th Congress, Vol.84, No.82, pages 6597-6604. The overall plan was to offer to the Zionists "A clear cut policy on Palestine", in return for them bringing the American media - radio, film, and newsreels - to the service of Britain and eventually to bring in the America Army, Airforce & Navy, as the Balfour Declaration had achieved in 1917, when Britain was about to lose World War 1.

The innocent loss of American lives should count for no more - nor less - than the loss of innocent lives of any other peoples on the planet. We must reject the views of the Allbrights of this world who believe that the deaths of 500,000 Iraqi Children - "Is A Price Worth Paying." They always forget that: - "For every action, there is an equal and opposite reaction."

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The following is a reprint of an interview with Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon by Amos Oz as originally published in the Israeli daily Davar on 17 December 1982. The man referred to as C. is Sharon.

“You can call me anything you like. Call me a monster or a murderer. Just note that I don’t hate Arabs. On the contrary. Personally, I am much more at ease with them, and especially with the Bedouin, than with Jews. Those Arabs we haven’t yet spoilt are proud people, they are irrational, cruel and generous. It’s the Yids that are all twisted. In order to straighten them out you have to first bend them sharply the other way. That, in brief, is my whole ideology.

“Call Israel by any name you like, call it a Judeo-Nazi state as does Leibowitz. Why not? Better a live Judeo-Nazi than a dead saint. I don’t care whether I am like Ghadafi. I am not after the admiration of the gentiles. I don’t need their love. I don’t need to be loved by Jews like you either. I have to live, and I intend to ensure that my children will live as well. With or without the blessing of the Pope and the other religious leaders from the New York Times. I will destroy anyone who will raise a hand against my children, I will destroy him and his children, with or without our famous purity of arms. I don’t care if he is Christian, Muslim, Jewish or pagan. History teaches us that he who won’t kill will be killed by others. That is an iron law.

“Even if you’ll prove to me by mathematical means that the present war in Lebanon is a dirty immoral war, I don’t care. Moreover, even if you will prove to me that we have not achieved and will not achieve any of our aims in Lebanon, that we will neither create a friendly regime in Lebanon nor destroy the Syrians or even the PLO, even then I don’t care. It was still worth it. Even if Galilee is shelled again by Katyushas in a year’s time, I don’t really care. We shall start another war, kill and destroy more and more, until

they will have had enough. And do you know why it is all worth it? Because it seems that this war has made us more unpopular among the so-called civilised world.

“We’ll hear no more of that nonsense about the unique Jewish morality, the moral lessons of the holocaust or about the Jews who were supposed to have emerged from the gas chambers pure and virtuous. No more of that. The destruction of Eyn Hilwe (and it’s a pity we did not wipe out that hornet’s nest completely!), the healthy bombardment of Beirut and that tiny massacre (can you call 500 Arabs a massacre?) in their camps which we should have committed with our own delicate hands rather than let the Phalangists do it, all these good deeds finally killed the bullshit talk about a unique people and of being a light upon the nations. No more uniqueness and no more sweetness and light. Good riddance.”

“I personally don’t want to be any better than Khomeini or Brezhnev or Ghadafi or Assad or Mrs. Thatcher, or even Harry Truman who killed half a million Japanese with two fine bombs. I only want to be smarter than they are, quicker and more efficient, not better or more beautiful than they are. Tell me, do the baddies of this world have a bad time? If anyone tries to touch them, the evil men cut his hands and legs off. They hunt and catch whatever they feel like eating. They don’t suffer from indigestion and are not punished by Heaven. I want Israel to join that club. Maybe the world will then at last begin to fear me instead of feeling sorry for me. Maybe they will start to tremble, to fear my madness instead of admiring my nobility. Thank god for that. Let them tremble, let them call us a mad state. Let them understand that we are a wild

country, dangerous to our surroundings, not normal, that we might go crazy if one of our children is murdered - just one! That we might go wild and burn all the oil fields in the Middle East! If anything would happen to your child, god forbid, you would talk like I do. Let them be aware in Washington, Moscow, Damascus and China that if one of our ambassadors is shot, or even a consul or the most junior embassy official, we might start World War Three just like that !”

.....We are talking while sitting on the balcony of the pretty country house belonging to C. which is situated in a prosperous Moshav. To the west we see a burning sunset and there is a scent of fruit trees in the air. We are being served iced coffee in tall glasses. C. is about fifty years old. He is a man well known for his (military) actions. He is a strong, heavy figure wearing shorts but no shirt. His body is tanned a metallic bronze shade, the colour of a blond man living in the sun. He puts his hairy legs on the table and his hands on the chair. There is a scar on his neck. His eyes wander over his plantations. He spells out his ideology in a voice made hoarse by too much smoking:

“Let me tell me [sic] what is the most important thing, the sweetest fruit of the war in Lebanon: It is that now they don’t just hate Israel. Thanks to us, they now also hate all those Feinschmecker Jews in Paris, London, New York, Frankfurt and Montreal, in all their holes. At last they hate all these nice Yids, who say they are different from us, that they are not Israeli thugs, that they are different Jews, clean and decent. Just like the assimilated Jew in Vienna and Berlin begged the anti-Semite not to confuse him with the

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screaming, stinking Ostjude, who had smuggled himself into that cultural environment out of the dirty ghettos of Ukraine and Poland. It won't help them, those clean Yids, just as it did not help them in Vienna and Berlin. Let them shout that they condemn Israel, that they are all right, that they did not want and don't want to hurt a fly, that they always prefer being slaughtered to fighting, that they have taken it upon themselves to teach the gentiles how to be good Christians by always turning the other cheek. It won't do them any good. Now they are getting it there because of us, and I am telling you, it is a pleasure to watch.

"They are the same Yids who persuaded the gentiles to capitulate to the bastards in Vietnam, to give it in to Khomeini, to Brezhnev, to feel sorry for Sheikh Yamani because of his tough childhood, to make love not war. Or rather, to do neither, and instead write a thesis on love and war. We are through with all that. The Yid has been rejected, not only did he crucify Jesus, but he also crucified Arafat in Sabra and Shatila. They are being identified with us and that's a good thing! Their cemeteries are being desecrated, their synagogues are set on fire, all their old nicknames are being revived, they are being expelled from the best clubs, people shoot into their ethnic restaurants murdering small children, forcing them to remove any sign showing them to be Jews, forcing them to move and change their profession.

"Soon their palaces will be smeared with the slogan: Yids, go to Palestine! And you know what? They will go to Palestine because they will have no other choice! All this is a bonus we received from the Lebanese war. Tell me, wasn't it worth it?" Soon we will hit on good times. The Jews will start arriving, the Israe-

lis will stop emigrating and those who already emigrated will return. Those who had chosen assimilation will finally understand that it won't help them to try and be the conscience of the world. The 'conscience of the world' will have to understand through its arse what it could not get into its head. The gentiles have always felt sick of the Yids and their conscience, and now the Yids will have only one option: to come home, all of them, fast, to install thick steel doors, to build a strong fence, to have submachine guns positioned at every corner of their fence here and to fight like devils against anyone who dares to make a sound in this region. And if anyone even raises his hand against us we'll take away half his land and burn the other half, including the oil. We might use

nuclear arms. We'll go on until he no longer feels like it...

"...You probably want to know whether I am not afraid of the masses of Yids coming here to escape anti-semitism smearing us with their olive oil until we go all soft like them. Listen, history is funny in that way, there is a dialectic here, irony. Who was it who expanded the state of Israel almost up the boundaries of the kingdom of King David? Who expanded the state until it covered the area from Mount Hermon to Raz Muhammad? Levi Eshkol. Of all people, it was that follower of Gordon, that softie, that old woman. Who, on the other hand, is about to push us back into the walls of the ghetto? Who gave up all of Sinai in order to retain a civilised image? Beitar's governor in Poland, that proud man Menahem Begin. So you can never tell. I only know one thing for sure: as long as

you are fighting for your life all is permitted, even to drive out all the Arabs from the West Bank, everything.

"Leibowitz is right, we are Judeo-Nazis, and why not? Listen, a people that gave itself up to be slaughtered, a people that let

soap to be made of its children and lamp shades from the skin of its women is a worse criminal than its murderers. Worse than the Nazis...If your nice civilised parents had come here in time instead of writing books about the love for humanity and singing Hear O Israel on the way to the gas chambers, now don't be shocked, if they instead had killed six million Arabs here or even one million, what would have happened? Sure, two or three nasty pages would have been written in the history books, we would have been called all sorts of names, but we could be here today as a people of 25 million!

"Even today I am willing to volunteer to do the dirty work for Israel, to kill as many Arabs as necessary, to deport them, to expel and burn them, to have everyone hate us, to pull the rug from underneath the feet of the Diaspora Jews, so that they will be forced to run to us crying. Even if it means blowing up one or two synagogues here and there, I don't care. And I don't mind if after the job is done you put me in front of a Nuremberg Trial and then jail me for life. Hang me if you want, as a war criminal. Then you can spruce up your Jewish conscience and enter the respectable club of civilised nations, nations that are large and healthy. What you lot don't understand is that the dirty work of Zionism is not finished yet, far from it. True, it could have been finished in 1948, but you interfered, you stopped it. And all this because of the Jewishness in your souls, because of your Diaspora mentality. For the Jews don't grasp things quickly. If you open your eyes and look around the world you will see that darkness is falling again. And we know what happens to a Jew who stays out

in the dark. So I am glad that this small war in Lebanon frightened the Yids. Let them be afraid, let them suffer. They should hurry

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home before it gets really dark. So I am an anti-Semite? Fine. So don't quote me, quote Lilienblum instead [an early Russian Zionist - ed.]. There is no need to quote an anti-Semite. Quote Lilienblum, and he is definitely not an anti-Semite, there is even a street in Tel Aviv named after him. (C. quotes from a small notebook that was lying on his table when I arrived:)

'Is all that is happening not a clear sign that our forefathers and ourselves...wanted and still want to be disgraced? That we enjoy living like gypsies.' That's Lilienblum. Not me. Believe me. I went through the Zionist literature, I can prove what I say.

"And you can write that I am disgrace to humanity, I don't mind, on the contrary. Let's make a deal: I will do all I can to expel the Arabs from here, I will do all I can to increase anti-semitism, and you will write poems and essays about the misery of the Arabs and be prepared to absorb the Yids I will force to flee to this country and teach them to be a light unto the gentiles. How about it?"

It was there that I stopped C.'s monologue for a moment and expressed the thought passing through my mind, perhaps more for myself than for my host. Was it possible that Hitler had not only hurt the Jews but also poisoned their minds? Had that poison sunk in and was still active? But not even that idea could cause C. to protest or raise his voice. After all, he said to have never shouted under stress, even during the famous operations his name is associated with...

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State terrorism Israeli style

During a BBC question time television programme a Muslim contributor summed it all up: "Israel is a terrorist state" she said, "and America is harbouring and abetting terrorists". For some this may seem far-fetched, but the evidence points to a dangerous tango, America has been dancing with Israel who does not mind stabbing her ally in the back. "Arabs may have the oil, but we have the matches," said Sharon before he became prime minister. Notwithstanding all the talk about Iraqi weapon programmes, the only weapons of mass destruction in the Middle East are in Israel, an American protectorate. As Israel's ordinary military prowess fails to put down the Palestinian uprising, their leader, Ariel Sharon, may well remove the country's nuclear arsenal from its nominal strategy of "last resort".

This prospect is raised by John Steinbach, a nuclear specialist whose previous work includes the mapping of deadly radiation hazards in the United States. He quotes Israel's former president Ezer Weizman: "The nuclear issue is gaining momentum [and the]next war will not be conventional." From the 1950s, writes Steinbach in the current Covert Action Quarterly, "the US was training Israeli nuclear scientists

and providing nuclear-related technology, including a small 'research' reactor in 1955 under the 'Atoms for Peace' program". It was France that built a uranium reactor and plutonium reprocessing plant in the Negev desert, called Dimona. The Israelis lied that it was "a manganese plant, or a textile factory". In return for uranium, Israel supplied South Africa with the technology and expertise that allowed the white supremacist regime to build the "apartheid bomb". In 1979, when US satellite photographs revealed the atmospheric test of a nuclear bomb in the Indian Ocean off South Africa, Israel's involvement, writes Steinbach, "was quickly whitewashed by a carefully selected scientific panel, kept in the dark about important details". Israeli sources have since revealed "there were actually three tests of miniaturised Israeli nuclear artillery shells".

Francis Perrin, the former head of the French nuclear weapons

programme, wrote: "We thought the Israeli Bomb was aimed at the

Americans, not to launch it at the Americans, but to say, 'If you don't want to help us in a critical situation [when we] require you to help us ... we will use our nuclear bombs'."

When blackmailing America into support, Israel has shown in the past, that it does not stop at words. Three days after Israel launched its June 5, 1967, surprise attack on Egypt, it carried out a deliberate and sustained attack on the USS Liberty, with the objective of leaving no survivors.

Admiral Thomas H. Moorer, in a memo dated June 8, 1997 wrote, "I am confident that Israel knew the Liberty could intercept radio messages from all parties and potential parties to the ongoing war, then in its fourth day, and that Israel was preparing to seize the Golan Heights from Syria despite President Johnson's known opposition to such a move." Based on declassified transcripts of radio communications, survivor accounts, and interviews with others in the chain of command on the day of the attack, Mr. Bamford, author of "Body of Secrets: Anatomy of the Ultra-Secret National Security Agency from the Cold War Through the Dawn of a New Century," writes:

"On the morning of June 8, the Israeli military command re-

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ceived a report that a large American eavesdropping ship was secretly listening only a few miles off El Arish. At that same moment, a scant dozen or so miles away, Israeli soldiers were butchering civilians and bound prisoners by the hundreds, a fact that the entire Israeli army leadership knew about and condoned, according to the army's own historian..."

"At the time, Israel was loudly proclaiming to the United States, to the United Nations, and to the world that it was the victim of Egyptian aggression and that it alone held the moral high ground. Israel's commanders would not have wanted tape recordings of evidence of the slaughters to wind up on desks at the White House, the UN, or the Washington Post."

President Johnson awarded the Liberty a Presidential Citation for bravery under fire without naming its ally Israel as the attacker. Nor was it named as the armed attacker in the Medal of Honour given to the Liberty's captain.

As much as the hype against so-called Islamic terrorism is misguided, it would be wrong to describe Israeli terrorist policies as Jewish. Israel is run by secular Zionists about whom Rabbi of Neturei Karta says: "One hundred years ago, a Jew, far removed from his faith and in total ignorance of its basic beliefs, launched the movement today known as Zionism. Its early adherents were almost uniformly drawn from the ranks of Jews who had previously abandoned their faith." At the World Conference against Racism in Durban he stated: "In the Additional Service recited on every major Jewish holiday we find the following prayer, "And because of our sins we were exiled from our land and removed from our soil and we cannot now go up and appear and prostrate ourselves before You." These prayers represented nothing new in the way of doctrine to those

who instituted and recited them. From the time of the Temple's destruction and throughout Jewish history our people always regarded their exile as a Divine punishment. Indeed, no Jews ever dared suggest in the thousands of years of our exile that the Romans had destroyed the Temple due to a lack of Jewish military preparedness or resources. Rather, the Temple was lost physically because of the Jewish people's failure to live up to their spiritual obligations to God." "We are called upon by Zionism to view all Arab nations as our enemies. We are forever exhorted to dwell on anti-Semitism, real and imagined, in order to justify the creation of the state and its subsequent aggressions. This obsession with wars, terror and counter terror, the subjugation of the Palestinians, reparations and claims upon all nations and ever wilder charges of anti-Semitism provide an inviting substitute for many Jews. This heresy was particularly tempting to Jews ignorant of Torah and due

to historical and cultural forces, estranged from their faith. The costs of all this in terms of our true exilic tasks are staggering. In place of fulfilling our quiet role of being a "light unto the nations", we are forever dragged into a bloody conflict with the Palestinian people. Thousands of innocents on both sides continually suffer. Jewry worldwide has little time or patience for its primary task - the worship of God and its derivative benefit - the sanctification of His Name."

"Beyond these factors, there remains the tragic fact that much of mankind sees the Israeli state as representative of the Jewish people. Thus, the state which has rejected or, at best, ignored God, conveys the message to humanity that the essence of Jewishness is a secular nationalism. Further, the claim of Israel to represent world Jewry links all of our people to the state's acts of violence against the Palestinian people. This is a frustrating and embarrassing lie."

Don't give in to harrassment

At times of crisis where Islam is referred to at international level, die-hard crusaders at home are quick to stir religious hatred. The British government, and the leaders of the opposition parties have made it clear, that they do not support such hate-mongering. However, as was the case during the Gulf War, individual Muslims are frequently subjected to abuse on the streets, and the British National Party is having a field-day, exploiting the fact that there are no laws against religious discrimination. If you are being attacked or abused, don't take it lying down, but report the incident. If you receive abusive email, report it to the sender's internet service provider. If you feel threatened or are worried about your own or your family's safety or that of your mosque or organisation, talk to the police. If you feel that the local media are hyping up anti-Islamic sentiments, talk or write to your local newspaper. It is equally important that our voice is heard in the letter columns of the national papers, and on the feedback sections of radio and television. You might also want to approach your local MP and lobby for greater protection against religious discrimination under the law. Only by active participation in our society can we avoid being marginalised. For advice or support contact the Islamic Party of Britain (for address details see header on title page).

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