**ALBERT EINSTEIN'S 1948 LETTER to the NEW YORK TIMES**

**COMPARING ISRAELI POLITICIANS TO THE NAZIS.**

**By**

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            On December 2, 1948 Albert Einstein was one of the signers of an open letter to the New York Times,1 comparing the politicians of Israel to the Nazis.  The letter was a warning to the American public and to the people of the world of the true intentions of the new "Freedom Party".  Supporting the present Prime Minister Menachem Begin was like supporting the Nazis. The following is the letter signed by Einstein and other prominent Jews:

"TO THE EDITORS OF THE NEW YORK TIMES:

            "Among the most disturbing political phenomena of our times is the emergence in the newly created state of Israel of the “Freedom Party” (Tnuat Haherut), a political party closely akin in its organization, methods, political philosophy and social appeal to the Nazi and Fascist parties. It was formed out of the membership and the following of the former Irgun Zvai Leumi, a terrorist,  right-wing, chauvinist organization in Palestine.  
            "The current visit of Menachem Begin, leader of this party, to the United States is obviously calculated to give the impression of American support for his party in the coming Israeli elections, and to cement political ties with conservative Zionist elements in the United States. Several Americans of national repute have lent their names to welcome his visit. It is inconceivable that those who oppose fascism throughout the world, if correctly informed as to Mr. Begin’s political record and perspectives, could add their names and support to the movement he represents.  
            "Before irreparable damage is done by way of financial contributions, public manifestations in Begin’s behalf, and the creation in Palestine of the impression that a large segment of America supports Fascist elements in Israel, the American public must be informed as to the record and objectives of Mr. Begin and his movement.   
            "The public avowals of Begin’s party are no guide whatever to its actual character. Today they speak of freedom, democracy and anti-imperialism, whereas until recently they openly preached the doctrine of the Fascist state. It is in its actions that the terrorist party betrays its real character; from its past actions we can judge what it may be expected to do in the future.

            Enclosed with the letter was a clipping from the New York Times of the article on the village oF Deir Yassin, which reads as follows:

            "A shocking example was their behavior in the Arab village of Deir Yassin. This village, off the main roads and surrounded by Jewish lands, had taken no part in the war,, and had even fought off Arab bands who wanted to use the village as their base.  On April 9 terrorist bands attacked this peaceful village, which was not a military objective in the fighting, killed most of its inhabitants "240 men, women and children" and kept a few of them alive to parade as captives through the streets of Jerusalem.  Most of the Jewish community was horrified at the deed, and the Jewish Agency sent a telegram of apology to King Abdullah of Trans-Jordan. But the terrorists, far from being ashamed of their act, were proud of this massacre, publicized it widely and invited all the foreign correspondents present in the country to view the heaped corpses and the general havoc at Deir Yassin."

               "The Deir Yassin incident exemplifies the character and actions of the Freedom Party.

            "Within the Jewish community they have preached an admixture of ultranationalism, religious mysticism, and racial superiority. Like other Fascist parties they have been used to break strikes, and have themselves pressed for the destruction of free trade unions. In their stead they have proposed corporate unions on the Italian Fascist model.

            "During the last years of sporadic anti-British violence, the IZL and Stern groups inaugurated a reign of terror in the Palestine Jewish community. Teachers were beaten up for speaking against them, adults were shot for not letting their children join them. By gangster methods, beatings, window-smashing, and wide-spread robberies, the terrorists intimidated the population.

            "The people of the Freedom Party have had no part in the constructive achievements in Palestine. They have reclaimed no land, built no settlements, and only detracted from the Jewish defense activity. Their much-publicized immigration endeavors were minute, and devoted mainly to bringing in Fascist compatriots.

            "The discrepancies between the bold claims now being made by Begin and his party, and their record of past performance in Palestine bear the imprint of no ordinary political party. This is the unmistakable stamp of a Fascist party for whom terrorism (against Jews, Arabs, and British alike), and misrepresentation are means, and a “Leader State” is the goal.

            "In the light of the foregoing considerations, it is imperative that the truth about Mr. Begin and his movement be made known in this country. It is all the more tragic that the top leadership of American Zionism has refused to campaign against Begin’s efforts, or even to expose to its own constituents the dangers to Israel from support to Begin.

            "The undersigned therefore take this means of publicly presenting a few salient facts concerning Begin and his party; and of urging all concerned not to support this latest manifestation of fascism.

(signed)

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            The United Nations in 1947 declared Israel and Palestine as a two-State.   Israel declared its statehood on May 14, 1948.

            Ze'ev Jabotinsky was a Zionist who created the "Iron Wall" doctrine, which maintains that Jews must crush the spirit and will of Palestinians through superior fire-power and sheer brutality, rather than seeking peace through diplomacy and compromise. He was greatly admired and emulated by future Israeli Prime Ministers.

            In 1977 Begin, the former terrorist, was elected Prime Minister. He promoted the construction of illegal Jewish settlements in the West Bank and Gaza, stealing the land of the Palestinian farmers and their families; destroying the olive trees. Illegal ethic cleansing was practiced on a large scale in the Occupied Palestinian Territories. More than 24,000 homes were demolished, which were followed by Israel's 'settlement expansions."

            At the present time Benjamin Netanyahu is the Prime Minister of Israel. His policies of racism, ethnic cleansing, disrespect, and injustice to the Palestinians has been and is approved by each and every U.S. Administration.

            Ever since the 1977 Camp David Accords commenced by President Jimmy Carter, the U.S. has been paying to Israel $4 billion a year. President George H.W. Bush at one time threatened to stop payment of this money to Israel because of the settlements.  Israel disregards all mandates of the United Nations and is not punished. This demonstrates the weakness of that organization, since the governments that form it, do not wish economic sanctions or other measures taken against it by the U.S. Self interest is apparent in all governments.

            Today Israeli planes spray crop killing chemicals on Gaza farms.2 Israel limits the water supply to the Palestinians to two hours a week.3 Israel stole Palestinian offshore gas worth $15 billion.4 Israel stole Syria's Golan Heights. It found oil on that land and will never give it up5.

            Today thousands of Palestinians are taking action every Friday, (as recommended by Mahatma Gandhi), in peace demonstrations, along the border of Israel. Thousands have been wounded by Israeli bullets that explode in the body and that pulverize the bones. Hundreds have died.6 They are willing to risk their lives for freedom and for the return of their land stolen by Israeli settlements. Because the U.S. supports Israel there are no sanctions or actions taken against Israel by the United Nations. Our Congress is silent. When Netanyahu visited the U.S. in 2011, our Congress gave him 29 standing ovations.7  Jewish PAC money is appreciated by them for their re-election.

            Science now admits that everything is ENERGY.  It is the energy of hatred and revenge that creates illness and discord. If we could see the upper psychic spheres we would recognize a miasma, which depletes the immune system. Nature, to balance its energies, creates floods, hurricanes, earthquakes, volcanic eruptions and draughts. As students, understanding the Law of Karma, we cannot indulge in hatred for anyone, for any nation, or for anything. The spiritual Hierarchy considers MOTIVE in connection with karma. The karma of nations may take place 900 years from now. Parts of the nations may be under the sea.

            Israel has nuclear, chemical and biological weapons.  If, in the near future, there is a war against Russia and Iran and Israel participates in such war, a catastrophe might occur that coincides with the maps of the Spiritual Hierarchy. Parts of Europe and ALL of the Middle East would be devastated. Mega banks today, are buying up lakes and fresh water systems.8

            There are groups in Israel working for a viable peace agreement. Thirty thousand Israeli and Palestinian women marched for two weeks through the desert to arrive at the home of Netanyahu in Jerusalem.9  The mainstream media was silent on this epic event.

            The Shministim are idealistic, principled young Israeli Jews who refuse to serve in  a brutal army of occupation after they graduate from high school.

            But do not despair. We are destined to have a Golden Age as presaged by Hindu and Zoroastrian Sages.10We are being helped today by the World Teacher,11 who is a Planetary Avatar. When we have progressive governments that work with goodwill for world cooperation, and for the 99%,  not only will there be justice, but all the cells in the body of our One humanity will be fed and doing its right work, in furtherance of the divine Plan. And in the Mercury decanate of the Aquarian Age, which is 700 years from now, **Liberty, Equality and Fraternity** will be a reality. There will be equal pay and work for all.12

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