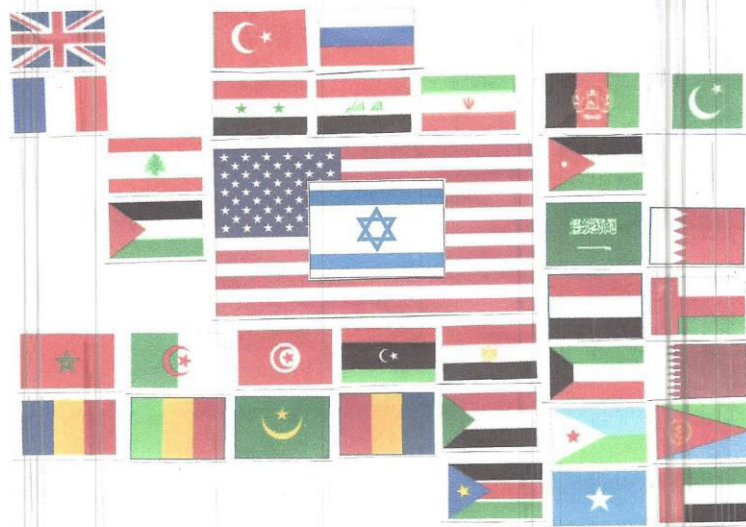


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THE THESIS OF THE ‘WAR ON SCHMERROR

“When an organ from a foreign body is transplanted into another body, the body’s immune system will attempt to reject that organ. The transplanted organ can be maintained in place only if the body’s natural immune system is suppressed. The necessary chemical suppression will have to be continued until the end of that body’s life.”

“Unfortunately the application of immune system suppressants results in a severe debilitation of the body’s ability to resist other opportunistic diseases with the result that the body is attacked by an increasing array of infections that under normal circumstances might have been controlled by conventional antibiotic drugs.”

“Increasingly powerful drugs may have to be administered to combat these opportunistic infections as they metastasize”. Eventually the body will succumb to this excessive treatment and die. However organ transplants do extend lifespan for a while. Can anyone imagine Israel still existing one hundred years from now?

THE ‘WAR ON SCHMERROR’

INTRODUCTION

The ‘War On Schmerror’

This story is about the amazing process whereby a small country of about seven million people took control of the United States of America’s Government in order to eliminate its own enemies in the Middle East.

That small country, namely Israel, performed this miraculous feat with the assistance of the seven million strong American Jewish Community assisted by most American Evangelical churches, other Pro-Zionist Religious Groups and by the Israel Lobby.

This remarkable achievement was realized by means of financial contributions donated to the United States Senators, Congressmen and a small army of Lobbyists. Approximately 40% of all political cash contributions to Congress came from these sources. “Never before in the history of political lobbying has so much been achieved for so little,”

The Israelis and their fervent American supporters have taken control of United States Middle East foreign policy rather like a “Stuxnet Virus” or by means of “Orwellian’ Mind Control”. They have achieved this feat by the adroit application of the Financial Power wielded by Banks, Corporations, Lobbyists and Individual Billionaires sympathetic to the Jewish cause. The amount of cash spent on this effort pales into insignificance compared to the outlandish expenditures incurred by the United States Government in its visceral reaction to the September 11th 2001 attacks, which probably exceed Three Trillion Dollars in past and future costs. This unbudgeted expenditure has upended the American Economy, helped catalyze the Financial Crisis of 2008, laid waste to

America's reputation in the world and ignited a conflagration that no-one knows how to expunge.

The story relates the past history of events that have led up to the War 'On Schmerror', but goes on to forecast the probable outcomes of this incredible adventure in deception and mind control.

The book additionally reveals the complicity of the American Media in the development of their program of deception, hypocrisy, censorship, partisanship and outright mendacity that has been a requirement to keep the truth from the American People and that part of the world population that did not wish to hear, see or speak the truth.

The 'War On Schmerror' has "not necessarily turned out in America's favor" and the country is now obligated to "accept the unacceptable, to endure the unendurable" and to face up to facts that it has hitherto refused to face up to even although these facts are and have been in plain view before its eyes for a considerable time.

No one else in the United States has raised this issue because they are afraid to speak out and risk being denounced as Anti-Semitic. Well, the Palestinians are Semitic People also! Furthermore they are more purely Semitic than any of the European Jews who have been racially intermingled for almost 2000 years. The immigrants into Israel include millions of Eastern Europeans, over one million Russians, North Africans and even Ethiopians. Non Jewish immigrants to Israel usually end up living in Saharonim.

The 'War On Schmerror' has been prosecuted with increasing intensity for several decades and can be expected to continue in one form or another for decades to come. The War has escalated wildly since the US invasion of Iraq and has now metastasized into a world-wide terrorist war. The fundamental objective of the 'War on Terror' declared by George W. Bush was, in reality, simply another stage in the "War On Schmerror" whose objective is to destroy the enemies of the State of

Israel. The failure of the Arab States to destroy Israel from 1947 onward has led to increasing frustration with existing Arab Governments and among Islamists throughout the world. The rise of the Islamic Jihad and the ISIL is the direct outcome of that frustration.

If the Islamic Fundamentalists do gain power, they will launch an attack on Israel that may lead to apocalyptic results. Whether the Islamic Fundamentalists can ever gain the power to achieve their ends is of course a matter of debate. Their resources are ostensibly small and indeed tiny compared to the resources available to the Zionists. It is possible that 'The War On Schmerror' can be concluded by some negotiated arrangement, particularly if the ISIL can be destroyed and the Caliphate dismantled, but it is more likely to continue as a low grade but irreconcilable infection expressed as a 'Guerilla War'. However, the Islamic Jihadists do have several advantages in their favor. Firstly the Middle East is their native territory whereas to the Americans it is a remote foreign land and as we have seen in Vietnam, Iraq and Afghanistan it is difficult for a foreign army to sustain itself when the local population is against it. Secondly the Americans will never become acceptable to the Arabs of the Middle East or to Muslims world-wide so they will be pitting themselves against 1.30 Billion people who, to say the least, do not sympathize with their aims. The Israelis do have the determination to defend their State and the continuity of their support from the United States Government, American Zionists and Evangelical Churches appears to be endless and virtually unconditional. It appears obvious that the Israelis will never be accepted by the Arabs or the wider Muslim Community in spite of US Government hand-outs to Egypt, Jordan and any other potential Arab recipients.

The goals of the Jewish Zionist Fundamentalists to achieve Eretz Israel and the goals of the Islamic Fundamentalists to achieve the demise of Israel appear to be diametrically opposed to each other. Consequently we may expect the 'War on Schmerror to continue indefinitely into the

future. There are still optimists in the US and Europe who hold to the belief that a Two State solution is still possible, but this does not remotely meet the ambitions of the principal protagonists in the Middle East. Furthermore the metastasization of the 'War On Schmerror' has by now unleashed powerful religious and racial emotions across the Middle East that were not apparent at the beginning in the 1960's when the goal was simply to demolish Israel's enemies. It is not uncommon in history, as students of the American Civil War know so well, for the initial causes of a seemingly simple conflict to become lost in the wider ramifications of social enmity in all of its zealous forms. It is now unlikely that the establishment of a Two State solution in Palestine, even if it could be accomplished, would resolve the expanding conflicts now catalyzed by the 'War On Schmerror', but it could be the beginning of a healing process.

THE ‘WAR ON SCHMERROR’

PREFACE

The ‘War On Schmerror’ is an extremely broad based story that involves a bewildering range of issues that the vast majority of the world’s population simply fails to understand in detail. In many cases this failure is indeed a refusal to understand. “There are none so blind as those who will not see”.

Yet the basis of the story is very simple and probably well understood by the world at a visceral level, but due to the efforts of the US Government, its Political Societies and its Media and to a lesser extent the European Governments and their Societies, the facts behind the story are being suppressed by the US government and the US Media.

This book reveals the fundamental truth behind the ‘War On Terror’ and why it must be re-titled The ‘War On Schmerror’ before this ‘war’ can be fully understood. The instigators of the US Government’s ‘War On Schmerror’ are clearly visible, but the US Media has cast a fog over the American Public’s eyes for reasons that are quite obvious; “The protagonists shall be carefully hidden”.

This book does not provide a definitive answer to the problems raised by the ‘War On Schmerror’, but it is written in the sincere belief that we shall never find solutions, until we face up to the truth. The degree of obfuscation carried out by Governments, Religious Authorities, Societies, Media etc is breathtaking while also profoundly saddening, disillusioning and frustrating,

This book does not rely on mere opinion for its version of the truth. The truth is to be found in the facts on the ground and in men’s actions in

real time. It took a long time for the American People to accept the lies and deception behind the Vietnam War and although many people recognized the stupidity and brutality of our so called leaders, even in that war's early stages, the truth only sank in after the debacle of the rout at the end of that ghastly and costly fiasco. Already the American people are slowly beginning to understand that the Wars in Afghanistan and Iraq are gross failures based on gross lies and incomprehensible hubris and stupidity, but they have not yet begun to understand the real meaning behind the US Government's attempt to destroy Israel's enemies in the Muslim World. The US Government and Media are now expanding their failed policies to embrace the Greater Muslim World in Africa and Asia. They will find increasingly greater numbers of enemies as their efforts expand and proliferate. These are just facts. This book simply aims to shine a light on this fiasco.

The author decided not to include the names of active participants in the 'War On Schmerror' other than the obvious public figures and the historical figures that have contributed to the current situation. They themselves know who they are. They are easily found in an Internet Search. The author also declined a Bibliography or Extensive Notation. There are many books published that explain the day to day Tactics of the 'War On Schmerror' which they call the 'War on Terror, but they fail to explain the Strategy behind this gigantic exercise in deception. These books are full of exquisite details about various Jihadists and political personalities that are irrelevant to the over-riding Strategy, but they fail to explain their motivations, as if it would be blasphemous to even mention the reasons behind their actions. The 'wood is very well concealed behind the trees'. The author has relied on Internet Search, Books, News Papers and News Magazines for data, but failed to find any mention in these sources of the over-arching strategy at the roots of the 'War On Schmerror'. This fact alone reveals the suppression of the truth by the US Government and the Media.

Although it is impolite in many Societies to discuss or debate Religion, this book will offer up a profound critique of all Religions including one

of Religion's more provocative topics, namely the Apocalyptic Messianic Visions that almost all of the world's Religions subscribe to in varying degrees of faith ranging from Fundamentalism to Fanaticism.

This book is careful to make a distinction between hypocritical faith in some fictitious deity conjured up by the Religious Authorities that profit so greatly from religious contributions and the truth of Human Morality that is universal and worthwhile, being independent of Divisive Religious Creeds.

The failure of our Societies to acknowledge the extreme danger of continued uncritical Theistic Religious Faith and the continuance of Theistic Belief in a scientific age that contradicts virtually all of current Theistic Religious Teachings represents a clear and present danger to all of the people of this world.

THE ‘WAR ON SCHMERROR’

CHAPTER 1.0 – HISTORY OF THE WAR ON SCHMERROR

1.1 The ‘War On Schmerror’ is a Religious War

The difference between the ‘War on Terror’ as declared by George W. Bush and the ‘War On Schmerror’ as described in this book is that the religious attributions are reversed. Whereas George W. Bush initially announced this as a ‘Crusade’ he was rapidly advised to drop that type of language and thereafter the US Government has scrupulously avoided any religious connotations to their ‘War on Terror’. They have been extremely reluctant to use the term ‘Islamic Terrorism’ at least until the recent Republican Nomination campaign of 2015/2016. By Contrast the ‘War On Schmerror’ proclaims the true role of religion in the foundations of this catastrophe and the future role of religion in the intensification of the conflict.

George W. Bush’s Neo Con Administration publicly declared war on Islamic Terrorists, principally Al Qaeda. The Barack Obama Administration may have seen through the Bush ‘War on Terror’ for the hoax that it is, but they are politically incapable of disclosing their opinions. Even after the insult of being criticized in Congress by ‘Bibi’ Netanyahu who was invited there by the Republican Party, Obama was unable to express his true feelings. The succeeding Administration will doubtless also be constrained about disclosing the real purpose behind the war, as will the Administrations to follow.

George Bush’s Neo Con Administration secretly expanded and extended the ongoing ‘War On Schmerror’ with the purpose of eliminating the

enemies of the State of Israel. The religious purpose behind this action was to implement the Eretz Israel policy espoused by the Zionists both in Israel and in the United States. There is some evidence that the Obama Administration may comprehend this, but there is overwhelming evidence that they are heavily constrained by the 'Israel Lobby'.

The major difference between the 'War on Terror' as conducted by previous US Administrations and the 'War On Schmerror' conducted by the George Bush Administration is that George W. Bush actively invaded the Arab States considered to be Israel's worst enemies, whereas previous Administrations had contented themselves with buying off Israel's foes.

The George W Bush Administration's actions have led the Arab-Israeli conflict over Palestine to metastasize into a Regional Conflict which most observers admit has gone out of control. The Obama Administration, apparently understanding the truth, but unwilling to pronounce it, has resisted the Neo-Con calls for additional military adventurism, but their political positions have been weakened and their base constituencies are not willing to admit the realities behind the 'War On Schmerror'.

The repeated efforts by Democrats and Republicans to proclaim this situation as a war on Terrorism and not a war about Religion stem from their reluctance to admit that this is a crusade. They cannot admit the religious basis of this situation without discussing the opposing viewpoints of the Arab Muslims and the Israeli Zionists vis-a-vis Palestine. The US Media are completely under the control of the Oligarchy that is promoting these policies.

Without the admission by the Administration that the advancement of Zionism is behind the 'War On Schmerror' there is no hope of any resolution of this impasse. Even if ISIL (or Daesh) appears to be defeated the root causes of the conflict will remain and future resurgences may be expected.

Some rational people who probably subliminally understand the ‘War On Schmerror’ have called for a solution to the Palestinian – Israeli conflict by means of a Two State Solution. Their hopes have repeatedly been dashed by the realities. The extreme Zionists of the Yesha will not accept anything that denies them Eretz Israel and their refusal to negotiate a solution is bolstered by the Secular Zionists who can only see the ‘Indefensible Borders’ of the current Israeli State. The extreme Islamists not only want the West Bank and Gaza, but they want the right of return for the descendants of the exiled Palestinians and the cessation of the Israeli State

1.2 History of Israel

Israel has a long history of victimization dating back to the days of the Egyptian Empire when Pharaoh Thutmoses III expanded Egyptian political control over Palestine and parts of Syria. This was around the period when according to the Bible the Semitic people of Palestine were obliged to emigrate into Egypt due to a famine.

The Egyptian sojourn was described as a captivity and from the point of view of the Palestinian Semites who were a pastoral race that made a living tending their flocks of sheep and goats, their integration into the strictly regulated Egyptian agricultural economy probably did feel like slavery. All pastoral people have suffered from this effect to this day. The Palestinian Semites probably did not live any different from the Egyptian peasantry within the Nile Delta.

Archaeologists have labored long and hard to find evidence of the Jewish Captivity in Egypt, but in vain, which is strange in a society where the Egyptian scribes were famous for keeping meticulous records on stone and papyrus for thousands of years. So much of the Bible is allegorical including the Creation Myth which hardly squares with Darwinian Evolution in spite of the efforts of American Christian Evangelical Museum Directors. The Jewish Bible is not a historical

document by any stretch of the imagination or by any scholastic standard and long periods

of time pass without any written reference to real events. The first

recorded Jewish Captivity took place in 586 BCE when the Jewish temple was demolished by Nebuchadnezzar II after a protracted war that started in 589 BCE. According to accounts the Jews were treated quite well in Babylon during the period of their exile until they were permitted to return to Israel by King Cyrus the great in 538 BCE. Jews themselves described their exile and the Babylonian Captivity as a just punishment from God.

The Jewish State apparently prospered under the political disruptions caused by the collapse of the Persian Empire, the invasion by Alexander the Great, the collapse of the Ptolemaic Empire and the arrival of the Romans. Under the auspices of Herod the Great who cooperated with the Romans, Israel developed a thriving commerce with spectacular Roman style cities whose remains may still be seen today. All that changed when Herod died and Jewish zealots began to challenge Roman dominance. The period when Christ lived passed without any written documentation whatever, but one Jewish historian, Flavius Josephus, did describe the history of that period in great detail and he lived through the destruction of Jerusalem in 70 AD and the exile of the Jews that followed the Jewish War. Josephus' history is the only account that comes down to us from that period, but it is a stunningly detailed description of events that we know to be true from Roman records. The Bible neglected to tell this story completely! The Jewish Diaspora began after 73 AD and they dispersed all over the known world. The Jews did not return to Palestine in the form of the State of Israel until the 20th Century, which is when our story begins.

1.3 History of the 'War On Schmerror'

The 'War on Terror', has been formally progressing for 15 years since it was declared by President George W. Bush as of Year 2001. However

the ‘War on Schmerror’ really started a long time before that date and it has its roots in a dream conceived in the 19th Century. That particular dream materialized at a time when the Middle East, as Europeans and Americans

title this land mass, was largely governed by the Ottoman Empire.

The Ottoman Empire was an Autocracy characterized by indolence, incompetence, intolerance and ignorance but ameliorated by a certain degree of beneficent neglect. It was nicknamed the “Sick Man of Europe” for rather obvious reasons.

The Empire embraced a wide range of people that is generally, for convenience sake, termed Arab although a closer examination reveals a wide ranging array of races, sects and tribes. The Arabs embraced the religion of Islam, but not in a universal or singular manner. Various divisions exist in the Arab World, principally between Sunni and Shia belief systems, but spiced up by a whole host of religious variants similarly to what we see in Christianity today.

In addition the Empire contained numerous religious groups that were not Islamic, but followed a wide assortment of disparate religious belief systems including Christians, Jews, Druze, Nativist etc. These people congregated into groups or societies mainly for self-protection as well as for social cohesion and congeniality, however in many places they lived together fairly amicably.

Living together over a long period of years, these disparate groups had acquired a degree of mutual tolerance based on shared economic and social needs while maintaining a strict segregation in their religious lives.

This tolerance did not come about naturally, but rather was imposed by the ruling Ottoman power from its capital city of Istanbul. The Ottoman Empire was just the latest one in a long tradition of Empires going back over thousands of years. The Chaldeans, the Assyrians, the Babylonians,

the Persians, the Sassanids, the Greeks, the Romans, Muslims and eventually the European powers such as the Venetians, the French and the British.

All of these Empires recognized the multiplicity of peoples, religions, races, social customs, languages and belief systems and welded them into a political union enforced by military power and economic interest. The Empires created a form of stability in a ferment of disparity.

The collapse of the Western Roman Empire under barbarian assaults in the 5th Century AD was soon followed by the rise of Islam which quickly spread over Arabia, North Africa and eventually into the southern parts of Europe. Meanwhile the eastern Roman Empire maintained its power as a Christian State from its capital in Constantinople until 1453 AD when it fell to the combined armies of the Turks.

The collapse of the Eastern Roman Empire put an end to the Western European Crusades as a viable military strategy and the Christian dream of occupying and controlling Jerusalem faded away into memory. However the Jewish dream of Jerusalem had never faded away since the destruction of the Jewish State by the Romans in the year 70 AD. This dream was kept alive even as the Jewish people were spread around Europe, Asia and Africa following the Diaspora. “Next Year in Jerusalem” was a perpetual toast at Jewish Ceremonies.

The Ottoman Empire gradually shrank under the combined assaults of the European Powers, Spain, France, Italy and eventually Britain, North Africa was lost then Egypt fell under British administration economically and financially. The construction of the Suez Canal in 1874 converted the Eastern Mediterranean Sea from a tranquil backwater into a major world trade route with tremendous strategic potential.

The Industrial Revolution, starting in Britain in the late 18th Century was powered by coal which was plentiful in Britain and other European countries. Steamships soon dominated international trade and the coal fired Royal Navy soon dominated the oceans, permitting the British to colonize Australia, Canada, New Zealand, South Africa and establish political and economic control over about one quarter of the world's land mass and population, although most of these other countries like India were never actually colonized in the true sense of the word.

The creation of the German Empire by Otto von Bismarck in 1871 changed the power structure of Europe dramatically. Prussia led and consolidated the new German State which industrialized rapidly and soon replaced France as the dominant power in Europe. The new Germany began to challenge Britain in industrial and economic power.

The British Empire was based on sea power which gave it dominant access to the trade markets of the whole world. The German challenge to the British "Pax Britannica" could only be advanced by the creation of a fleet that could equal or exceed the Royal Navy.

Towards the end of the 19th Century the Royal Navy was a large assemblage of strange ships of all different types, many of them small, slow and relatively weak that had been accumulated over the preceding 60 years. Nevertheless they constituted a technological power that overwhelmed the naval forces of all other countries. Britannia truly ruled the waves for the century since the Battle of Trafalgar in 1805.

German ambitions could not be fully realized, they thought, while Germany remained the greatest military power in Europe, but had no access to the world outside the European Continent. Under the ambitions of Kaiser Wilhelm II and the inspiration of Admiral Tirpitz, Germany commenced construction of a fleet of modern steel battleships with the intention of competing and even challenging Britain's control of the seas. This new fleet was to be powered by coal since Germany had little or no oil.

Britain's Royal Navy was actually a technically stagnant and obsolete organization that had been resting on its laurels for many years, obsessed with traditions dating back to the age of sailing ships and led by aristocratic dunderheads that despised any new technology. Even the latest warships bordered or exceeded the standards of incompetence. This was a dangerous situation which the industrious Germans sought to turn to their advantage.

In 1904 a new wind started to blow through the dusty corridors of the Admiralty. A new First Sea Lord named Jack Fisher took command and immediately started to shake up the moribund, lethargic establishment that had slumbered on for so many years, he achieved this revolution in a shockingly vigorous fashion.

Fisher, surrounding himself with the best and brightest minds in the Navy whom he termed the 'Fish Pond', set out to revolutionize the moribund establishment. He introduced new emerging technologies and in secret rearranged the naval construction so as to build a revolutionary new type of 'all-big-gun' battleship within the shocking speed of one year. With characteristic flair, Admiral Fisher named it 'Dreadnought'. The Dreadnoughts were the Super Weapon of their time in every way comparable to the Atom Bomb from the point of view of their effect on the International Politics of the Edwardian Age. With the Dreadnought Fleet Britain could never be defeated, neither Germany nor any other country could ever win a world war.

So what does this have to do with the 'War on Schmerror'? The answer is oil.

1.4 The Advent of Oil

The Dreadnought Battleships used oil for fuel! They also used the new steam turbine engines designed by Charles Parsons, this provided superior speed and endurance. They carried 8 -12inch or 15 inch guns compared to previous battleship classes that carried four. They

standardized each ship's weaponry so that all the guns were the same size and had the same range. They coordinated the gunfire with centralized director control. In short the Dreadnoughts outclassed everything else on the sea including all of Tirpitz's new, but now obsolete, German Fleet.

Britain had no oil available, but it could buy oil on the international market, in the USA, South America, but this oil was under foreign control and therefore unreliable as a source in wartime. The Persian Gulf States did have abundant oil and Britain's control of the sea, the Suez Canal, Egypt and the presence of the huge Indian Empire adjacent to the Middle East gave it the opportunity to gain control of the Gulf oil.

The Germans were completely shocked by the launch of the Dreadnought which rapidly became the Super-Weapon of the time. Admiral Tirpitz almost suffered a breakdown and retired into the Black Forest for eighteen months to rethink his naval strategy. The new German fleet built at enormous expense was obsolete. What was far worse was that Germany had no oil resources and would have to import all its oil by sea, which the British controlled.

Eventually the Germans decided to build a new dreadnought fleet but they had fallen behind the British by several years and their additional requirement for a huge standing army led them into severe financial difficulties. Worse still was the fact that their efforts to build a fleet that could rival the Royal Navy led to a ruinous arms race with Britain. This arms race set the stage for the upcoming tragedy of World War I.

Two factors had a direct and dire effect on the Middle East. First, the Germans and their Austro-Hungarian allies made a pact to include Turkey in their alliance, thus bringing the entire Ottoman Empire into the conflict. The Ottomans expected to regain control of Egypt and to revive their influence in the Middle East and in the Balkans. Secondly the British recognized their need to secure control of the Middle East's oil supplies. They did this by invading Iran and securing its oil fields.

The Royal Navy blockaded Germany by sea and eventually ground down the German War Economy with particular emphasis on creating food and oil shortages. The war eventually exhausted Germany and the Austrian-Hungarian Empire while bringing the Ottoman Empire close to collapse.

1.4 The Rise of Zionism

Now, back home in Britain, Theodore Herzl and Chaim Weitzmann the two prominent Jewish leaders recognized with growing excitement that unexpected opportunities were developing in the Middle East. To their amazement they suddenly could envisage the possibility of establishing a Jewish Homeland within the lands held by the Ottoman Empire.

Back home in Germany the large Jewish Community also saw the opportunity for the establishment of a Jewish Homeland if the Germans won the war.

Both the British and German Governments recognized the necessity of gaining access to the large financial reserves held in Europe and America by Jewish finance houses if they were to continue financing the war. A sort of bidding war commenced with each Government making increasingly attractive promises to their respective Zionist Organizations.

Here is where Fisher's Dreadnoughts held the whip hand. The German fleet dared not put to sea after one large naval engagement at Jutland (Skaggerak as the Germans called it) in 1916 and the German Government's ability to make good on any promises it might make for a Jewish Homeland became moot.

Theodor Hertzl, Walter Rothschild and Chaim Weizmann eventually prevailed on the British Government to support their cause until the British Foreign Secretary Arthur Balfour issued the Government's new policy on the homeland question. "His Majesty's Government supports the establishment of a homeland for the Jewish people in Palestine,

provided that nothing shall be done to compromise the rights of the existing inhabitants in Palestine”. The seeds of the ‘War On Schmerror’ had been planted.

When General Allenby entered Jerusalem in 1917, there was jubilation in the Zionist Organization, but this was tempered by the political reality of Britain’s accommodation of the ambitions of the newly created Arab States of Saudi Arabia, Jordan, Iraq, Kuwait, Syria, Lebanon and the Gulf Emirates.

Jewish immigration into Palestine did increase in the post-war period, but the Arab States vigorously opposed the formation of a Jewish State in Palestine. Things drifted until the rise of Nazi Germany finally brought the British Government to its senses in 1940. By then the British realized the folly of postponing their re-armament until it was virtually too late. A long series of military and political disasters followed until the Nazis turned their attention to the Soviet Union and America finally entered the war, having meanwhile relieved the British of their entire gold reserves.

The British Empire was virtually bankrupt by the end of 1942 and it was obvious that great changes were coming to all of the countries under British control after the war ended. The Zionists recognized this sea change and recognized that the United States would be the future arbiter of power in the Middle East. They re-oriented their campaign accordingly and planted the dream into the large Jewish Community in the US.

Towards the end of the war the United Nations Organization was founded and the US Government under Harry Truman supported the formation of the State of Israel. This was supported by the British who actually controlled Palestine through a League of Nations Mandate and by most other countries in the UN membership. The State of Israel was formed in a part of Palestine over the objections of the Palestinians and most of the Arab States. The boundaries of the new State of Israel were

hardly viable and virtually indefensible. The fact that Palestine itself was never recognized as a sovereign state was to prove a major bombshell.

The real reasons for the 1948 Arab-Israeli War are debatable according to the points of view of the contestants, but the results were indisputable. The Israelis captured all of Palestine covered by the British Mandate except for the West Bank of the Jordan River which was then under Jordanian Control and backed by the British trained Jordanian Army under the generalship of Sir John Bagot Glubb – “Glubb Pasha”, Approximately 700,000 Palestinians were evicted from their homes and became refugees in Gaza under Egyptian control, Lebanon, Syria and Jordan. Many Palestinians, however, did not leave and became subjects of the expanded Israeli State.

Israel did not achieve recognition of Jerusalem as the capital of the State of Israel. Under a UN sponsored arrangement the city remained divided under joint Jordanian – Israeli control.

These events were accompanied by the growth of support for Israel within the Jewish Communities of the US and subsequently by the sometimes hesitant support by the US Government. This support has now blossomed up to the point where US Government leaders describe Israel as a Vital Ally and even a Strategic Ally, although no one in the US Government can define what that Strategy actually consists of. As a consequence of this support the US Government has become the principal and often the only supporter of Israel in the United Nations and other International Bodies, supplying an almost endless series of diplomatic vetoes, delays, procrastinations and obfuscations that support the Israeli Government's positions and policies. The US diplomatic efforts have been accompanied by a flood of military equipment into Israel that has made it by a large margin the most powerful force in the Middle East.

Israel in return has developed a Nuclear Arsenal amounting to a minimum of at least 150 fission and fusion bombs, but more likely to

about 450 to date. Israel has never joined the Nuclear Non Proliferation Treaty unlike Iran and other Arab countries. The US Government, alone in the world, still refuses to acknowledge that Israel is a nuclear power.

The American-Israeli Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC) has become the single most powerful lobby in the United States to the point where it provides about 40% of all political funding to the Republican and Democratic parties.

A US Senator's lunchtime boast to a reporter that "I could get 80 Senator's signatures on his linen napkin supporting any measure in favor of Israel", is generally regarded as true in Washington. The House of Representatives is similarly beholden to AIPAC financing.

1.6 World View

Worldwide, the general perception is that the US will support Israel in all circumstances regardless of the validity of the Israeli Government's actions. No other country in the world is prepared to adopt that viewpoint.

The sources of the US policy towards Israel are quite simple and straight forward. Cultural Affinity and Money.

The so-called Judeo-Christian culture is a term that has become popular since the 1950's. Prior to the Second World War there was considerable anti-semitic prejudice in the US as reflected by the unwillingness of the US Government to accept Jewish Refugees before the war. Among non-Jews it is the Evangelical Christian community that has generated the greatest support for Israel and provides ardent moral support back home in the US. This might be considered surprising, given that Evangelical Christian Theology requires the conversion of the Jews to Christianity before the Second Coming of Christ can be realized. This does not

appear, at least on the surface, to perturb the Jewish-American Societies that regularly welcome Evangelical delegations to Israel.

It is within the world of Finance that the greatest degree of support for Israel is to be found, Jewish organizations under the umbrella of AIPAC (American Israeli Public Affairs Committee) contribute political funding to US Congressmen and Senators that allegedly amounts to 40% of the total political contributions received. The US Government regularly provides financial and military support to Israel to the reported amount of US\$3.50 Billion per annum. US Jewish Organizations which number in excess of 3,600 also raise funds that support Israel. The US Government, as a member of the United Nations Security Council, has provided the Israeli Government with virtually 100% diplomatic support, often in the face of World-wide condemnation while Israel has violated numerous international laws and norms, particularly in relation to militarily occupied lands. To acknowledge the truth, the US position in the UN is not alone since it has also often been supported by such allies as Micronesia and the Marshall Islands.

Militarily, the US Government has nominated Israel as a Vital Ally. This astonishing terminology goes right to the heart of the 'War on Schmerror'. No political or military analysts have ever produced a rationale for this alliance. Israel is also termed a 'Strategic Ally' by Republicans although no-one can define what that strategy might be. Instead there is bluster and jingoism and invective. It is not possible to find any instance where Israel has actually aided the US in any of its Middle East Policies. Rather Israeli actions, in particular with regard to the Palestinian people, have generated immense hostility towards the US for its blatant and continuous support of injustice to these people.

The US Government obviously supported the development of the Israeli nuclear weapons industry, while Israel has never considered joining the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty and is clearly in violation of all nuclear regulation measures. The Israeli nuclear arsenal is estimated at

over 450 weapons, but the US Government will not publicly admit that this arsenal exists.

The US Government is committed to providing Israel with Military Superiority over its neighbors in the Middle East. This implies the supply of the latest fighter aircraft, tank technology, anti-aircraft detection and suppression technology, satellite surveillance, intelligence sharing, nuclear miniaturization technology etc. This unequivocal support has naturally frustrated the Arab people in the neighborhood and generally antagonized Muslims world-wide. The lack of any meaningful ways to resolve the situation of the Palestinian people over so many years has generated the terrorism by that small minority of the Arab people who are willing to take extreme action against formidable odds. This explains suicide bombers and whatever new acts of vengeance can be expected in the future.

1.7 Israel's Policy

The policy of the Israeli Government and Society may be summed up in two words. "Eretz Israel". This proposes the creation of a Zionist State for the Jewish people within the historical boundaries of ancient Israel that date back to 74 AD and beyond.

The original boundary of the Jewish State as agreed by the United Nations in 1947 was a small area adjacent to Jerusalem that included the majority of Jewish settlers at that time and a sizeable number of Palestinians. The remainder of Palestine was occupied by Palestinian Arabs who were mainly shepherds, farmers and small businessmen in the towns and villages. Bedouins occupied the Negev Desert areas and a part of the land that the Israelis call Judea and Samaria, the so-called West Bank, was part of the Kingdom of Jordan.

It makes for an interesting speculation as to what would have happened if the Arab-Israeli War had not broken out in 1948. Israel would have

remained as a small isolated island lying in a Palestinian sea. Israel would certainly have had to adopt accommodative policies with its Arab neighbors. It is probable that the 'War on Schmerror' would never have started, because there was no need for it. America could still have supported the Jewish State both Financially and Militarily thus ensuring its survival, however, the economic viability of the 1947 borders would in all probability have kept the population to around one million people.

1.8 The Israeli-American Relationship

The term Vital Ally is widely used in the US by Government officials and other commentators, however there is no evidence that there is a formal alliance or that its terms have been formally ratified. Rather it appears to be an informal structure of Military Agreements, Financial Commitments, Zionist Activism and Benign Tolerance on the part of the US, accompanied by Development Grants amounting to about US\$3.0 Billion per annum not including other items of military materials. All this for a country that is already rather well developed.

The basis of this so called alliance in practical terms is obscure and kept as a tightly controlled secret. There are no immediately obvious US interests involved. Indeed the so-called alliance appears to commit the US Government to various responsibilities that on the surface are antagonistic to US Long Term Interests, while Israel appears to be the beneficiary in all aspects without being obliged by any responsibilities.

Now the US Government usually is quite perceptive to the need for a 'quid pro quo' in its alliances so we have to assume that in the case of the Israeli Alliance there is one. What is it? What could it be?

The answer, if any, has to be Militarily-Strategic. Historically, the British recognized Egypt as a vital strategic asset after the construction of the Suez Canal in 1874. They occupied Egypt and installed a government to their liking which controlled Egyptian finances and military security. After the 1956 'Suez War' the British lost control of

Egypt completely and soon after they abandoned their ‘responsibilities’, as they were termed, in the Middle East. The US essentially eventually inherited the mantle of ‘World Super Power’ or ‘Internationale Gendarme’.

It was not practical for the US to re-occupy Egypt, but Israel was an immediate neighbor with secure ties to the US. By turning Israel into the Major Regional Military Power, the US ensured a secure foothold in the Middle East. This infuriated some of the Arabian countries, but reassured the monarchical dynasties ruling many of the states in the near neighborhood such as Saudi Arabia, the Gulf States and Kuwait.

Given that the US Jewish Community commits such a large percentage of financing to both of the major American political parties this alliance is probably also considered ‘vital’ in a political sense, at least to the campaign budgets of Senators and Congressmen. It is also ‘vital’ to the Lobbyists swarming lucratively around K Street.

Taken objectively, the alliance is a decidedly one sided affair. Israel receives large doses of “Immuno-Suppressant” drugs in the form of military, financial and diplomatic support that maintains its viability against rejection within the body of the Arab World. Israel does not get involved in any of the military actions taken by the US Government. Indeed Israel is specifically prohibited by the US from participating in these actions. During the First Gulf War in 1991 Iraq fired Scud Missiles at Israel, but when the Israelis wanted to respond by attacking Iraq, the George H.W. Bush Administration told them not to respond. It is obvious that the US did not want Israel to be seen as a US Partner within the same alliance with Arab States. The only people in the world who do not understand this are the American Public.

In 1956 the British and French Governments conspired with the Israeli Government to invade Egypt with the intention of regaining control of the Suez Canal which Gamal Abdel Nasser had nationalized. The plan involved Israel attacking Egypt through the Sinai desert and on up to the

canal. This was supposed to be a counter to Egyptian military provocations. The British and French would then invoke clauses in the Suez Canal treaties negotiated at the time Britain's Armed Forces left Egypt to re-invade Egypt as a protective measure against invasion by a third party. It is easy to visualize the fine hand of International Lawyers in this concoction. The Israelis did attack and soon reached the banks of the Suez Canal, the British and French forces landed at Port Said and Suez City and soon occupied most of the canal zone. Unfortunately they dilly dallied about and gave the US Government enough time to mount a counter action in the form of a Financial Embargo that forced the British and French to withdraw their troops. The Israelis retreated back to their border with the Sinai. It is not yet clear what threats the Eisenhower Administration employed against the Israelis to force their retreat. What is perfectly obvious is that in 1956 the US Government was still not in complete thrall to the American Zionists at that time.

In 1967 the Israeli armed forces launched a surprise attack on Egypt and Syria that destroyed their air forces on the ground. This came after a prolonged blitz of threats from Gamal Abdel Nasser that the Arabs would eliminate Israel, supported by extensive armaments supplied to Egypt by the Soviet Union. Why the Egyptians and Syrians were surprised by the attack seems to be an obscure mystery and they had made no attempts to harden their air bases. The US Government rushed to intervene with calls for a cease-fire, and obviously highly pleased by the outcome, made no complaints when the Israelis occupied the West Bank of Jordan, the Golan Heights and the Sinai Peninsula up to the east bank of the Suez Canal. Israel never seriously contemplated releasing these spoils of war in spite of numerous International Conferences convened to negotiate the reversal of the Israeli occupation of these lands. According to International Law the seizure of lands seized after military action is not considered to be legal. This is one of the major bones of contention between Israel and the International Community.

In 1973 the Egyptian armed forces under the leadership of Anwar Sadat stormed across the Suez Canal under the protection of Soviet supplied anti-aircraft defenses which destroyed a substantial number of Israeli fighter planes. The Israeli Defense Force was taken by surprise during the Yom Kippur holiday and was driven back from the east bank of the canal. The Syrian Army also invaded across the Golan Heights with their Soviet supplied tank forces. For a while the Israeli Government actually panicked to the point where the use of nuclear weapons was considered to drive back the attacks. Resupply of lost equipment became an urgent issue and Israeli appeals to the Nixon Administration were initially treated with something less than urgency. This delay in resupply brought about a more conciliatory frame of mind in the Israeli Government and after the fighting stopped under a cease fire a large part of the Egyptian Army was left on the east bank of the canal. This delay in arms re-supply indicates that the US Government was still not totally in thrall to the Israel Lobby, so the Israelis did agree to refrain from destroying the Egyptian Army trapped on the East side of the Canal. However the arms re-supply did resume with a vengeance,

Four years later in 1979 Anwar Sadat was able to negotiate the return of the Sinai Peninsula to Egypt in return for Egypt's diplomatic recognition of Israel as a Jewish State. This was the first achievement in the 'War On Schmerror' and was accomplished without much cost to the US. Jordan which had also joined the attack in a desultory manner recognized Israel, but ceded the West Bank, presumably to the Palestinians, partly in an attempt to get the Palestinian refugees out of Jordan which is a Bedouin State.

So we next witness the US, under Ronald Reagan, sending its Marines, Navy and Air Force to Lebanon in 1983 to quell the rise of Islamic Hezbollah Terrorists intent on destabilizing the Coalition Government there. Israel contributed intelligence, but no forces. One Israeli enemy had been somewhat some-what subdued. The US forces were humiliated

by a suicide attack on the Marine Barracks in which 241 marines were killed. Republicans refrained from attributing responsibility for this debacle to President Reagan and US forces were soon withdrawn from Lebanon. All this at zero cost to Israel.

So we witness the curious situation in which the 'Vital Ally' of the United States stands its military down while in 1991 its US 'Patron' raises a large International Coalition Army including most Arab States to evict Saddam Hussein's army from Kuwait. Israel is prohibited from returning fire against the few Scud missiles launched against it by Iraq. Another major Israeli enemy vanquished, at least for the time being, at zero cost to Israel

So in 2001 we witness the launch of the War on Terror against Al Qaeda and the Taliban in Afghanistan. Again there is no visible Israeli support although Al Qaeda is obviously a declared enemy of Israel. The lack of bombing targets made Afghanistan an unsatisfying zone of operations although no satisfactory rationale was given for its occupation. This ill-thought-out invasion became increasingly expensive for the US in terms of men's lives and material, however it cost Israel nothing.

So in 2003 an exceptionally flimsy excuse was found to invade Iraq and eliminate one of Israel's major enemies for good. The invasion was an outstanding success without Israeli participation although it was difficult to persuade a skeptical world that Al-Qaeda was operating in Saddam Hussein's Iraq. Although this escapade ultimately cost the US\$ 1.20 Trillion in direct military expenses, with another US\$1.80 Trillion to follow over the next 50 years in medical costs and pensions to wounded troops, the beauty of it all was that it cost Israel nothing.

Saddam Hussein had fallen out of favor with his Neo Conservative friends in the US who had enthusiastically supported his invasion of Iran in 1980 and although no terrorists were allowed to operate in his Baathist Oligarchy the invasion and demise of Saddam soon proved to generate a fertile ground for the real terrorists who moved into Iraq in

earnest after 2003 as the incredibly ignorant US led Coalition Provisional Authority under Paul Bremer and the to-be-expected incompetent US sponsored Shiite Iraqi Government floundered.

It soon became obvious that the forces fighting against the US Coalition in Iraq were not exactly sympathetic towards Israel and a prolonged occupation became necessary to convince the Iraqis and their uninvited Arab guests that they should alter their attitude toward the Jewish State. Even worse, there was some evidence that Iran was funding Hezbollah in Lebanon to subvert the Syrian Government and also funding then Sunni Islamic Jihadists in Iraq. The Neo-Cons had always hated Iran since the Ayatollah Komeini descended from his aircraft after his trip from Paris. Now they really had an enemy they could dislike. War planning against Iran has been in the US Military mindset since 1980, now it moved into high gear. Israel was not going to be permitted any participation and the Europeans had had enough so the US Taxpayer was going to have to lift up the tab. Israel was not expected to contribute to this effort either in military effort or in cash. Barack Obama managed to quell the thirst for war by negotiating with the P5+1 for a nuclear non-proliferation agreement with Iran, much to the chagrin of 'Bibi' Netanyahu.

In 2011 the Arab Spring broke out amid Western hopes for a new democratic future in the Arab world. Some saw this as a pious hope that was completely unrealistic, they were swiftly silenced by the American Media who were still enthralled by the Neo-Con Vision of a New Arab World living in harmony with Israel. The revolutionary protagonists of the Arab Spring were generally sectarian liberals who were generally urbanized and Westernized. The viewpoint of the urbanized sectarians was not shared by the rural Arabs and the village Arabs throughout these countries.

It soon became apparent that the major political forces within the Arab Spring countries were the Islamic Parties. The Muslim Brotherhood, long suppressed by Hosni Mubarak soon dominated Egypt and

eventually formed a government. Libya also had Islamic Parties, but these were less united and coordinated than the Muslim Brotherhood. Soon a power struggle broke out amongst them. Tunisia was blessed by a more mature urban populace and although power struggles did break out between the Islamic and sectarian groups, these were more easily contained by the common agreement on the need for a more democratic form of government.

Syria came lately into the Arab Spring movement and this was because the demographic structure of Syria was quite different from that of the other Middle Eastern countries. Although the population of Syria is mainly Sunni Muslim, the country has been governed under the control of the Alawite religious group headed by the Assad family since 1971. Syria has also been within the sphere of interest of the Soviets and latterly of the Russian Government. In addition the Baathist Party of Syria maintained close ties to the Baathist Party of Iraq as led by Saddam Hussein.

The Syrian Government did not collapse swiftly under the tsunami wave of the Arab Spring and although the rebel forces facing the Assad Government were quite strong, their movement began relatively peacefully. The Assad Government decided to suppress the rebellious elements in the populace using police and later military force. The rebellion quickly spread across the whole of Syria, but the Syrian Government was able to maintain control of the principal urban areas. The failure of the rebel forces to overwhelm the Government soon brought men of a sterner disposition into the picture. Islamic forces soon added to the tumult and vestigial forces of Al Qaeda soon took advantage of the disruption to make their presence felt. The Nusra Front arose as another dissident group and out of these groups finally arose the much more vehement Islamic Caliphate Movement, Daesh or ISIL.

This is where things stand today, in early 2016, with Russian military forces now stationed in Alawite Syria alongside Iranian military and

political advisers. The dwindling forces of the “moderate rebels” rapidly becoming less effectual and the Syrian Kurds being joined by the Iraqi Kurds as one of the more effective groups. The US Government meanwhile does not quite know what to do in the midst of this mess.

1.9 The View from Jerusalem

Israel, the largest and most powerful military and economic force in the Middle East is calmly sitting right on the borders of the most tumultuous area in this tortured region.

Obviously the Israeli Government must be concerned at some of these events, but it must also be deeply gratified to watch its enemies tear each other apart without their needing to contribute much more than a little fuel to the fire. Currently in February 2016 all of Israel’s neighbors are safely engaged in varying degrees of chaos.

Egypt is under the strict control of a military dictatorship partially funded by the US Government as part of the Sinai Peace Program. Any danger of insurrection by the Muslim Brotherhood seems to be safely suppressed. Egyptian suppression of Hamas in Gaza has largely succeeded with the demolition of Raffah and the destruction of the tunnels between Gaza and Egypt. Only the Islamic insurrection in Sinai disturbs the tranquility.

Jordan which had been neutralized by the US led and funded by Control Agreements had been quiescent for several decades, but was now preoccupied in a major refugee crisis as Syrians poured across their borders to escape the wars in Syria.

Lebanon, which is partially under the control of Hezbollah, at least in the south and south-east is also pre-occupied by the waves of Syrian refugees, Further constraints derive from the Israeli policy of destroying shipments of Iranian supplied military equipment from Syria into south-east Lebanon.

Iraq, which was once a source of major concern to the Israelis under the leadership of Saddam Hussein, has now been taken out of the picture and is probably now facing dismemberment into separate Sunni, Shiite and Kurd states. This would probably be a stable if weak arrangement that should pose few problems for Israel.

Syria represents a wild card in the Israeli security establishment's hand. It really all depends on how the turmoil with ISIL is resolved if ever. The worst outcome might be the formation of the Islamic Caliphate right on Israel's borders. This would bring Israel into immediate proximity with dedicated Jihadists who are not afraid to die in their zeal to eliminate the Zionist State that is gradually forming in Israel. Israel must expect that the Islamic Caliphate would not be an accommodationist state like Egypt, Assad's Syria, Jordan or Lebanon. There is no sign that the Caliphate would be likely to observe the diplomatic niceties of International Politics, the United Nations and other bodies.

Iran now remains the sole source of immediate concern for the Israeli Government, except for Pakistan which is next on their list. There is little prospect of any military attack on Israel in spite of the rhetoric coming out of the Iranian hardliners. A land attack is foreclosed by the Iraq and Jordanian deserts; an aerial attack is foreclosed by the abysmal state of the Iranian Air Force, the superiority of the Israeli Air Force and the availability of US Air Force support; a Naval Attack by the Iranian Navy is simply a preposterous thought since the Iranian ships could only reach Eilat on the Red Sea, and would have to negotiate the Suez Canal to reach any of the Israeli coastal cities; This leaves a nuclear attack which if successful might destroy a considerable part of Israel's cities and population.

1.10 The Israeli Nightmare

Israel is beset by nightmares that are not immediately apparent to its supporters. Nightmares are usually defined as irrational psychotic responses to underlying stresses in the brain's deeper cortexes.

In the case of a widespread Israeli National Nightmare the causes may be quite real even if irrational or the causes may be generated from a type of National Guilt.

The Israelis have quite a lot to feel guilty about;

- Driving the Palestinians out of their homeland in 1948.
- The land and property theft that followed the 'Nakhba' in 1948.
- The acquisition of land in the West Bank against the rules of International Law.
- The suppression of the Palestinians in the West Bank, Gaza, East Jerusalem and in Israel proper.
- The brutal occupation of the West Bank, Gaza and East Jerusalem.
- The on-going construction of illegal settlements throughout the West Bank.
- The destruction of family homes as a collective punishment.
- The hatred against the Arabs inculcated into Israeli children in their schools.

Psychologically the thief always hates his victims.

As the Israeli generals and security chiefs asked in the film 'The Gatekeepers'. "Are we cruel?" The guilt is accompanied by a deeply subconscious fear of retribution.

1.10.1 Nuclear Attack on Israel by Iran

The most obvious Israeli nightmare is that Iran might mount a nuclear attack on the Israeli cities presumably using ballistic missiles which are difficult to stop. Five bombs targeted onto the principal cities of Haifa, Tel Aviv, Jerusalem, Beersheba and Ashkelon would destroy almost 80% of Israel's population and much of the country's infrastructure. It could precipitate the end of the Israeli State. Even one bomb on Tel Aviv would be disastrous for Israel.

The Israeli Military would certainly retaliate by bombing the major Iranian cities. Since the Israeli already have a stockpile of approximately

300 to 500 nuclear weapons and an Air Force capable of carrying them to Iran, the retaliation would be colossal, destroying all of the major Iranian cities. In addition it is quite likely that the US would join any Israeli retaliation on Iran.

Knowing this as they assuredly do, the Iranian Government would be highly unlikely to unleash a nuclear attack on Israel. The outcome would certainly be the dissolution of the Clerical Islamic State by a coalition of US and Coalition Forces.

1.10.2 Nuclear Attack on Israel by Pakistan

A more distant Israeli concern is attack by another Muslim Nuclear Power such as Pakistan. This would also involve the use of ballistic missiles with which Pakistan is quite well supplied. The Pakistani arsenal is estimated at about 450 warheads, many of which are fitted to short range missiles targeted at India.

There is no evidence that the Pakistanis have developed anything near the level of animus towards Israel that would push them into an attack, but the Muslims in Pakistan have been almost completely radicalized against Israel by their Islamist Madrassas, by their Media and the majority of opportunistic politicians.

The Pakistani Secret Service is well known to be in alliance with Islamic Jihadists in Afghanistan and the Northwest Frontier Provinces. These include Al Qaeda, the Taliban and more recently the Islamist State (ISIL). They are trying to maintain or expand Pakistani control over Afghanistan in the face of creeping influence from India and in the future from China which shares a narrow but critical border with Afghanistan. To this extent the Inter Services Intelligence Agency (ISI) has surreptitiously aided the Islamist Jihadis while professing alliance with the American Army. If the US Government by now harbors any illusions about the solidity of Pakistani support for their 'War on Terror' then they should be declared delusional.

There is a realistic fear that internal political instability in Pakistan may lead to the installation of an extreme Islamic Government that might be inspired to launch a suicidal attack on Israel, but this would require the collapse of the Pakistani Army which appears to be highly unlikely. Pakistan is sodden with primitive form of the Islamic Religion which has destroyed any hope of inculcating a rational Education System or even rational human behavior. There can be little hope that this state of affairs will change over the next few hundred years, so it is a highly volatile society that could easily be radicalized by Islamic Jihadis.

Pakistan is also subject to reprisal by Israel's nuclear weaponry that would be highly destructive to its population and infrastructure. The Israelis are substantially worried about developments in Pakistan, without have a means to influence it. Currently the Israelis rely on the US Government's support of the Pakistani Military to keep Pakistan in line.

1.10.3 Nuclear Attack by Terrorist Forces

Of all the Israeli nightmares this is perhaps the most realistic given the level of rage generated against the Zionist State within the Muslim World. The motivation is crystal clear, the willingness to carry out an attack is self-evident, the means to carry out such an attack are much less certain.

A ship-borne nuclear weapon could be introduced into any Israeli port so Haifa, Tel Aviv, Ashkelon and Eilat could be targets.

The disappearance of Malaysian Airlines Flight 370 forced the Israeli Air Force to declare an exclusion zone around Israeli air space that required all commercial airlines to identify themselves, their flight origin and destination and other details. If that aircraft indeed fell into Terrorist

hands it would have been possible to divert it to a remote desert air strip and fit it with a nuclear device such as a weapon or as a dirty bomb. Since the aircraft has not yet been accounted for, the Israeli Ministry of Defense remains on high alert.

The missile attacks aimed at Israel from Gaza consist principally of unguided short range rockets which cause more nuisance value than military damage. The Hamas Organization which controls Gaza does have some longer range missiles, but these are still primitive and lack effective guidance controls. The Israeli blockade of Gaza by land and sea in combination with the Egyptian Border blockade has prevented Hamas from importing more sophisticated missiles from Syria and Iran.

The prospect of ISIL assuming control over Syria presents its own nightmare of potential attacks, but the possibility of ISIL gaining access to a portable nuclear weapon must rank very high amongst the Israeli nightmare scenarios.

Terrorist forces or a terrorist state such as the Caliphate would not necessarily be subject to the discipline generated by fear of retaliation. So this is probably the most realistic nightmare scenario.

1.10.4 Nuclear Attack on Iran by Israel

This scenario is not as far-fetched as Americans may think. Such a scenario could be envisaged under a number of circumstances.

- * Israel may use nuclear weapons in an attempt to destroy the Iranian nuclear weapons program. This has been opposed by the US Government.
- * Israel may use nuclear weapons to turn back an assault by Islamic forces based in Iran or Syria. An attack would be logistically difficult for Iran to accomplish. So the Israeli rational would be weak.
- * The use of nuclear weapons against Egypt and Syria was considered by the Israeli Government during the 1973 war with

Egypt before American resupply assistance came through. This may indicate that Israel has intent to use such weapons.

- * Israel may conduct a pre-emptive nuclear assault on Iran's nuclear armed forces if it feared an Iranian attack by conventional forces. This may lead to Iranian retaliation by unconventional means which might include nuclear material.
- * A false alarm or action by Jewish zealots may launch a nuclear attack on Iran. This could result in a much greater disaster for Israel than anything else it might fear.
- * Unjustified use of nuclear weapons by Israel could place Israel in the position of a Pariah State. This could lead to drastic repercussions