



# Open Letter to Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu

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Dear Prime Minister Netanyahu,

In October 2020 an international group concerned with the continual world pressure placed on The State of Israel to return to pre-1967 borders and to create a PA State was formed.

We have produced a short video titled "Israel, G-d's gift to the Jews" which can be found on our website [www.biblicalpathtopeace.org](http://www.biblicalpathtopeace.org).

Our aim is to **call on you PM Netanyahu and all candidates for the Knesset** in the forthcoming elections to **publicly declare your support for applying Sovereignty over the entire Land of Israel** as soon as possible and not only to stand proud and strong against the pressures, but to dismiss them forthwith as invalid and flawed solutions to a problem that needs a radically 'new' and soundly thought-out approach based on reason, equitableness and premises clearly outlined in the Torah.

This is predicated upon the threat that a Palestinian State, the so called "Two State Solution" would present to the existence of Israel and to those living there both Jew and non-Jew alike. The existence of such a state with belligerent and militant inhabitants literally on Israel's doorstep would pose a serious existential and perilous risk to civilians living in Israel and would place everyone in a case of 'pikuach nefesh' as stated many times by the Late Lubavitcher Rebbe, OBM.

A reason for the failure of the "Two State Solution" which came out of the Oslo Accords and has been pursued and proven not to work, is because it places the 'Palestinians' as victims and at centre stage.

This has been shown to be a fallacious and specious formulation which has not produced much in the way of progress to any sort of rapprochement let alone peace accords. Therefore, logic and reason dictate that an alternative approach be adopted.

As you are well aware PM Netanyahu that the 1.8 million Arabs living in the Yehuda and Shomron region would not be a threat were they to accept the existence of the State of Israel and be prepared to live in harmony with the other inhabitants of the land. Unfortunately, a sizable portion of the Arab population refuses to recognise the State of Israel, let alone be prepared to live alongside it.

Recognising the intransigence of the Arabs is what the previous US administration based their new approach to the region. Placing the Palestinian Arabs out of the limelight and dealing with the general notion of co-existence of Israel and other Arab nations was a master-stroke. (Actually, as I am sure you will agree, it was glaringly obvious, but it takes a person of courage and vision to admit it and try to devise a different plan.)

The success of the Abraham Accords that you so skilfully forged lies in the fact that all parties share common goals and are willing to work towards them.

Meanwhile, there remains the problem of what to do with the stalled current solution. It is with this in mind that we have formulated or at least presented not really a novel solution, but the solution that has existed from the beginning.

Making all the land from the Mediterranean to the River Jordan the State of Israel. It already has this title in the Torah, it just needs to be recognised by the majority of Israeli citizens and their government.

## Paradigm shift

It truly takes a paradigm shift to accept this approach, yet in all sincerity, it is the one that makes most sense, is most equitable, from historical, Biblical, and legal perspectives, and once everyone 'gets their head around it' most likely to succeed. It certainly cannot be worse than the international approach that has been adopted and shown to be leading nowhere.

A shift based upon Torah premises that all people, Jew and non-Jew can co-exist peacefully within one country that is the Land of Israel (Eretz Yisrael) if non-Jews accept upon themselves a moral and sustaining life based on the Seven Universal Noachide Laws then peaceful coexistence can take place. This is not so far-fetched, as most Muslims are moral citizens willing to live in peace, given the chance.

Furthermore, compared to the rights many Arab civilians of other Arab nations in the region 'enjoy', living in Israel even without voting rights would still be preferable and offer more benefits.

Citizenship would essentially be determined by one being a Jew and full citizenship rights would ensue. If one chooses to remain a non-Jew, as is already the case, there are equal rights for everyone with no discrimination placed on one for their beliefs. One would reap all the benefits of being a resident these ideas are clearly explained in our video titled "**Biblical Path to Peace**" which can be viewed via our website [www.biblicalpathtopeace.org](http://www.biblicalpathtopeace.org)

We fervently believe that these principles would provide a fundamental improvement to the long sought-after quest for a peace process between two peoples of who have long been neighbours and enjoyed recognition and cooperation and would be a viable alternative to a so called two-state solution which would be an existential threat to those living in the Land of Israel to both Jew and non-Jew alike.

We, therefore, ask you to seriously consider our ideas and at least bear them in mind when the newly formed US Administration prepares to pressure the Government of Israel to once again get on the 'merry-go-round' to nowhere with their old, tired and ill-conceived ideas to bring the two parties together again.

**We urge you PM Netanyahu to stand strong against international pressure** to cede land to the Arabs and create a Palestinian State but rather to **immediately declare sovereignty over the entire Land of Israel**.

Yours sincerely,

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