

Israel-Palestine Peace Talks Pre-Doomed to Failure

Any peace talks between Israel and the Palestinian Authority are pre-doomed to failure.

The prime minister invited Abbas to begin negotiations in order to advance efforts towards achieving peace, instead of "wasting time with unilateral moves," adding that the Palestinian statehood bid at the United Nations would not bring a peaceful resolution to the crisis.

No Netanyahu-Abbas meeting is currently scheduled during Netanyahu's five day trip to New York.

*Earlier, senior Israeli officials said that Israel has no intention of compromising on its demand that any future parameters for negotiations include **a Palestinian recognition of Israel as the nation state of the Jewish people**.* (<http://www.jpost.com/DiplomacyAndPolitics/Article.aspx?id=238628>)

Therein lies the heart of the problem. It is religiously impossible for any Muslim to recognize any state in former "Lands of Islam" that is not a Muslim state.

And when the sacred months are passed, kill those who join gods with God (Christians) wherever ye shall find them; and seize them, besiege them, and lay wait for them with every kind of ambush; but if they shall convert, and observe prayer, and pay the obligatory alms, then let them go on their way for God is Gracious, Merciful. (Koran, Sura 9, verse 5 et. Seq.)

Make war upon such of those to whom the Scriptures have been given as believe not in God or in the last day, and forbid not that which God and His Apostle have forbidden, and who profess not the profession of the truth (Islam), until they pay tribute out of hand and they be humbled. (Koran, Sura 9, verse 28 "The Verse of the Sword")

This is why there can never be peace between Muslims and anybody else. The history of Islam is a history of war and conquest until the Second Battle of Vienna when technology defeated the Ottoman armies. Whatever dreams Erdogan has of resurrecting the Ottoman Empire, or the Muslim Brotherhood (Ikhwan) has of an Islamic (Sunni) world, or the Mullahs of Iran have of a Shiite world, all must be confronted by force of arms and thoroughly defeated. Islam must be reduced to its beginnings in Mecca as a small cult of personality.

It gives me no pleasure to say that whole peoples must be decimated even to the fifth generation. If some way could be found to remove the violence from the Koran and the Hadiths, then the mass destruction of peoples might not be necessary. We do not know and cannot know how many Muslims would leave Islam were there not a death penalty for doing so. Unfortunately, Muslim scholars have made it clear that only Mohammad can change what is in the Koran.

Si vis pacem, para bellum.

If you wish peace, prepare for war.