And the Jews say: Uzair is the son of Allah; and the Christians say: The Messiah

is the son of Allah; these are

the words of their mouths;

they imitate the saying of those who disbelieved before;

may Allah destroy them; how they are turned away!

The Holy Qur'an (9.30)

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PRAYER TIMINGS

U.S. Warned

Against Aiding

Israel in Any

Attack on Iran

TEHRAN - Iran's ambassador to

the United Nations says the United

States bears full responsibility for

provoking and arming the Israeli

regime towards carrying out potential acts of aggression against

Amir Saeid Iravani made the re-

marks in a letter addressed to the

UN Security Council on Monday

after U.S. President Joe Biden

said during a press conference in

Berlin that he was aware of "how

and when Israel intends to launch

an attack against the Islamic Re-

The envoy called the remarks

'profoundly alarming and pro-

vocative," saying they indicated

the U.S.'s "tacit approval and ex-

plicit support for Israel's unlaw-

ful military aggression against

Iravani said the support, which

has seen Washington arming Tel

Aviv with technical expertise

and advanced weaponry, "would

make the U.S. government 'com-

plicit' in any Israeli aggression

against Iran and its consequenc-

The Israeli regime, which en-

joys all-out political and military

support on the part of the United

the Islamic Republic.

public.'

11:49 17:37

06:18

04:54

Noon (Zohr)

Evening(Maghreb)

Sunrise "Tomorrow"

Dawn(Fajr)" Tomorrow"

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Viewpoint

Death in Battle & Growing Suicide Depleting Israeli Army

By: Kayhan Int'l Staff Writer

Suicide is a death committed by faithless cowards who instantly invite the wrath of the Almighty Creator upon themselves and forever undergo punishment for ingratitude towards the Divine gift

Islam considers it 'haraam' or forbidden death. The laws of Moses according to Judaism also regards such a death as unlawful and liable for unceasing affliction in afterlife.

Suicide has now become common amongst the dastardly Israeli soldiers sent to massacre men, women, and children in Gaza.

Devoid of any faith in God, lacking the least form of manliness, and fond of committing cruel crimes against fellow humans, especially the Palestinians, more and more Israeli soldiers are now lining up for taking the plunge into the fires of hell.

They are facing terrible traumas on coming home from bouts of genocide in Gaza. Most of them suffer from Post-traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and wake up every morning to various sights, sounds and feelings of guilt.

They are also shocked at their unmanliness in contrast to the indomitable spirit of resistance of not just the Gaza combatants, but also the ordinary Palestinian citizens, including women, and children.

As a result, these homecoming Zionist soldiers are committing suicide. Based on official records 1,227 Israeli soldiers have committed suicide over the past year.

The actual number is much higher. The Israeli army is covering up the exact number.

According to reliable reports, the will to fight has collapsed, despite the destruction they have wrought in Gaza. Morale is low. The soldiers have begun to falter between a deteriorating military spirit and the desire to desert.

With more unwilling to serve in Gaza, and even in the West Bank,

the Zionist entity faces the imminent collapse of its reserve forces. Frustration and anxiety are spreading among soldiers, leading to the loss of combat readiness, and a deep sense of fear and despair. Now the opening of the Lebanese front and the fight with such a formidable opponent as Hezbollah has frightened the Israeli army, which is unable to predict guerrilla tactics, making it difficult for them to anticipate the time and place of the next attack or ambush.

Burdened by other combat pressures, their psychological defences break down, resulting in insomnia, withdrawal, confusion, paranoia, distrust, and fears of capture.

All this augurs well for the Axis of Resistance and its resolve to continue the struggle until victory, since it is a known fact that coupled with increasing deaths on the battlefront the returnee Zionist soldiers commit suicide in thousands.

Iran Calls for Economic Sanctions, **Cutting Off Vital Lifelines of Israel**



Iran's parliament speaker Muhammad Baqer Qalibaf (C-R) is seen during a meeting with ambassadors from the Islamic countries in Tehran, October 22, 2024.

TEHARN - Iran's parliament speaker Muhammad Bager Qalibaf on Tuesday urged Islamic countries to act in coordination and work for imposing "economic sanctions and cutting off vital lifelines of the usurping regime."

Speaking at a meeting with ambassadors from the Islamic countries, Qalibaf urged Islamic nations to leverage "international avenues" to condemn the crimes of Israel.

"This regime must not be permitted to exploit the resources of Islamic nations to commit crimes against Muslim brothers and sis-

"Islamic countries should act in coordination to leverage the favorable international avenues to condemn the crimes of the Zionist

regime and enforce a ceasefire." "We need to impose economic sanctions and sever the vital life-

lines of the usurping regime." Qalibaf underscored the role of the ambassadors, stating that they can urge their governments to extend support for the oppressed

people in Gaza and Lebanon. "The sinister regime finds itself grappling with internal protests and external security threats, placing its illegitimate existence at

"In this critical moment, Muslims and Islamic nations bear a significant responsibility to respond," the Iranian Parliament speaker said.

risk of collapse."

Qalibaf also highlighted the ongoing acts of Israeli aggression in the region. "The Zionist regime has plunged the region into bloodshed and chaos. This criminal gang, bolstered by the support of certain countries, is perpetrating violence with the intent of altering the region's geopolitical landscape, all the while remaining unaccountable to any authority."

He warned against "silence, and indifference" toward the crimes of Israel. "The occupiers have shown that they do not understand the language of dialogue. Silence and indifference only bring their barbaric nature to the fore.'

"The Islamic Republic stands firmly with resistance front, fortified by the sacrifices of its commanders and soldiers. The Islamic Republic is actively pursuing diplomatic initiatives to further constrict the Zionists' position."

Army Chief: Iran Ready to Deal Devastating Blow to Israel

TEHRAN - The chief commander of the Iranian Army says any mistake by Israel will be met with a decisive response, warning that the Islamic Republic is fully prepared to deliver a 'crushing blow' to the re-

The spokesman for Iranian Parliament's National Security and Foreign Policy Committee, Ebrahim Rezaei, cited Major General Abdolrahim Mousavi as saying that in case the Zionist regime makes a slightest mistake, it would certainly face a decisive response from the Armed Forces of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

Mousavi made the stern warning to Tel Aviv at a meeting with some members of the National Security

and Foreign Policy Committee, Rezaei noted, adding that Iran's Army chief presented a report on the activities, plans, and actions of the Army of the Islamic Republic of Iran during the meeting.

"Major General Mousavi referred to the Army's recent naval drill, dubbed IONS, which was conducted with the participation of three countries and observers from 11 countries. He emphasized that the exercise was carried out peacefully, with full authority, and according to plan," Rezaei further said.

The IONS 2024 Joint Naval Exercise, also known as the Indian Ocean Naval Symposium (IONS) Maritime Exercise "IMEX 2024", kicked off on Saturday in Iran's

southern waters.

fleets of warships to participate in the joint drills alongside the Iranian Navy, the Navy of Iran's Islamic Revolution Guards Corps (IRGC), and the country's coastguard forc-

As observers, Saudi Arabia, Pakistan, Qatar, Thailand, and Bangladesh also sent their representatives to take part in the exercise.

He added that Iran's Army chief had stressed the role of his force in performing Operation True Promise II, which came in response to Israel's assassinations of Hamas chief Ismail Haniyeh in Tehran, Hezbollah's leader Sayyed Hassan (Continued on Page 7)

Russia and Oman deployed their

States, its biggest ally, has been threatening to attack the Iranian territory in response to the country's retaliatory strike against the occupied Palestinian territories in early October. The retaliation saw Iran target-

ing the Zionist entity's military and intelligence bases in reprisal for the regime's deadly acts of aggression against the regional countries, including the Islamic Republic.

Tehran has defended the retaliation as a legitimate act of self-defense that took place after a long period of self-restraint.

Washington, Iravani reminded, was already complicit in the Israeli regime's October 2023-present genocidal war on the Gaza Strip and deadly escalation against Lebanon due to its providing Tel Aviv with ample military support.

The support that emboldens the Israeli regime to commit further acts of regional aggression contradicts the U.S.'s consistent claims of backing de-escalation in the region, the envoy noted.

Iravani called on the Security Council to unequivocally condemn such reckless behavior on the part of the American administration and demand it to rather fulfill its obligations under international law and the UN Charter.

Tehran Bent on Safeguarding Territorial Integrity

TEHRAN - Iran's Judiciary spokesman Asghar Jahangir said on Tuesday that no country, including Iran, compromises its territorial integrity.

Jahangir's remarks followed "baseless" claims from certain neighbors over three Iranian islands in the Persian Gulf.

He emphasized that the Islamic Republic would pursue legal action against these claims.

He also urged the world to focus on combating the actions of the "child-killing regime" of Israel, suggesting that such

remarks only serve to distract public attention with no significant outcome.

Addressing regional nations, Jahangir highlighted Iran's resilience during its eight-year war, saying, "Just as Iran did not surrender one handspan of its land during the unequal war, it will not permit any infringement on its sovereignty now."

The European Union (EU) and the (Persian) Gulf Cooperation Council (PGCC) reiterated allegations concerning Iran's territorial rights over the islands of Greater Tunb, Lesser Tunb, and Bu Musa during their first summit in Brussels.

In response, Hungary's ambassador, Giola Peto, repre-

senting the current EU Council

presidency, was summoned by the Iranian Foreign Ministry's Western Europe Department director-general on Sunday.

Earlier on Monday, Iran's government ordered the start of a housing project on the island of Bu Musa in the Persian Gulf, just days after the United Arab Emirates (UAE) repeated claims on the island.

Deputy head of Iran's Ministry of Roads and Urban Development (MRUD) Arsalan Maleki said that the administrative process had started for a project to build 110 residential units in Bu

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