own party, even as his financial shenanigans had him in constant trouble with the law. Ehud Olmert (2006-09) had to resign due to a cloud of corruption charges.

"Focused on the Iranian threat, Netanyahu was doing well since 2009, but his recent offer of 104 murderers disturbingly contradicts the electoral platform of half a year ago.

"On a personal note, through the two decades since Shamir, I have constantly looked for someone with the character, energy, skills and vision to lead Israel. I have known Danon since 2009 and have concluded that he has the necessary qualities. I hope and expect he will stay true to his principles and rise to the point where he can end the recent desultory politics of the Jewish state and bring them in line with the country's many remarkable achievements." [iii] (End quote)

Another Important Prayer Request

When basically all the nations of the world pulled their embassies out of Jerusalem, after Israel voted to declare Jerusalem to be their eternal, undivided capitol, Christian supporters of Israel took the initiative to establish the International Christian Embassy in Jerusalem (ICEJ).

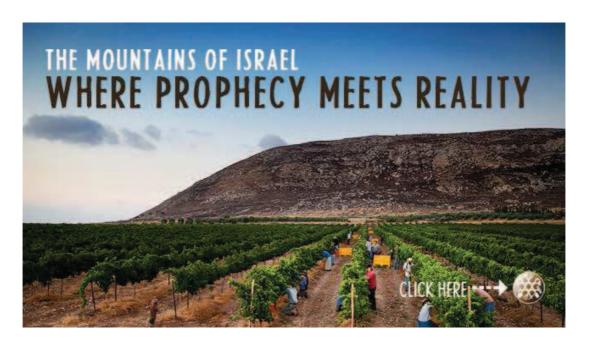
As the nations of the world now unilaterally reject Israel's right to Judea and Samaria, a similar initiative is now emerging, this time, however, from Jewish rabbis in Israel! Having noticed the unselfish and unwavering support year after year of the volunteer organization **HaYovel** led by Tommy and Sherri Waller from Nashville TN, Rabbi Eliezer Melamed has taken an initiative to establish a Christian Zionist Visitor Center on the Mount of Blessing in Samaria, in order to strengthen and encourage Christian support for the so called settlers.

Rabbi Melamed is Head of Yeshivat Har Bracha and is a prolific author on Jewish Law. He is well known in Israel and has a popular weekly column in the Beersheva newspaper called "Revivim." At the moment he is gathering other rabbis in Israel to get behind his historic initiative with a visitor center open for Christians on the Mount of Blessing.

We need to pray that Rabbi Melamed will succeed. Melamed has said that it is time for the Jewish people to act like Abraham, and open up the tent in order to receive those that have come to support them. He has gone even further and stated about HaYovel, "If we say no to these people, we will say no to the Messiah!"

HaYovel Ministries is this year once again mobilizing believers in Yeshua from the nations to help the farmers in Judea and Samaria to harvest their vineyards and olive groves. The number of volunteers is higher than ever this year. It is a fulfillment of the prophecy in Isaiah, which describes the restoration of Israel and says,

"They shall build up the ancient ruins; they shall raise up the former devastations; they shall repair the ruined cities, the devastations of many generations. Strangers shall stand and tend your flocks; **foreigners shall be your plowmen and vinedressers**." (Isa 61:4-5)



We have eight people who are willing and eager to join HaYovel in the harvest in Israel this fall, but they need financial help in order to do so. You can go to our web site to donate money to help them. <u>Click here!</u> Please indicate your donation "HaYovel." Thank you for getting involved in the restoration of Israel!

Let us all do what we can right now to bless and comfort Israel in practical

ways. Pray for the work of HaYovel and also help us send people to work with them this fall! If you cannot go yourself you can send someone else.

Prayer Points:

• Pray that the "peace negotiations" to divide God's Land will fail and that more leaders in Israel will speak out against the "two state solution"!

"On that day I will make Jerusalem a heavy stone for all the peoples. **All who** lift it will surely hurt themselves." (Zec 12:3)

- Pray that God will send strong confusion and division into the peace negotiations so that they will end as soon as possible! "The LORD brings the counsel of the nations to nothing; he frustrates the plans of the peoples. The counsel of the LORD stands forever, the plans of his heart to all generations." (Ps 33:10-11)
- Pray that God will raise up new leaders in Israel that will do His will and will refuse to negotiate the surrender of their heartland! "I have given strength to a soldier. I have raised up a young man from among the people... My powerful hand will keep him going. My mighty arm will give him strength. No enemies will require him to bring gifts to them. No evil person will beat him down." (Ps 89:19-22 NIV)
- Pray for the ministry of HaYovel and that we can send workers this fall to help Jewish farmers in Judea and Samaria!

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• Pray that Rabbi Melamed's vision of a Visitor Center for Christian Zionists on the Mount of Blessing will get strong support and quickly succeed!

"Son of man, take a stick and write on it, 'For Judah, and the people of Israel associated with him'; then take another stick and write on it, 'For Joseph (the stick of Ephraim) and all the house of Israel associated with him.' And join them one to another into one stick, that they may become one in your hand...

And I will make them one nation in the land, **on the mountains of Israel**." (Ez 37:16-17,22)

- Pray that Israel will continue to build in Judea, Samaria, Golan and East Jerusalem like never before despite international pressure! "And the governors of Judah shall say in their heart, 'The inhabitants of Jerusalem are my strength in the Lord of hosts, their God." (Zec 12:5 NKJV)
- Pray that God will give wisdom to Israel to deal with the dangerous situation in Syria, Iran and Sinai!

"There is none like God, O Jeshurun, who rides through the heavens to your help, through the skies in his majesty. The eternal God is your dwelling place, and underneath are the everlasting arms. And he thrust out the enemy before you and said, Destroy." (Deut 33:26.27)

May God bless you as watchmen on the walls of Jerusalem!

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