



TARGET ISRAEL

Caught in the Crosshairs of the End Times



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BIBLICAL POSITION

“For this is what the Lord Almighty says...
whoever touches you touches the **apple**
of his eye” Zechariah 2:8



UNBIBLICAL RESPONSES



“One of the most deplorable consequences of World War II was the promise of the allies to give Palestine to the Jews.”

- Francis Piper, Lutheran



“It is God’s will that there should no longer be any Jewish people in the world-yet here they are! That is a sad fact brought about by their wicked rebellion against God”

- Albertus Peters, Reformed



“Judaism should have disappeared ... its continued existence as the enemy of the Christian Church after AD 70 was sinful.”

- Loraine Boettner, Presbyterian



“There are no literal promises for the nation and people of Israel. The fact that Israel is back in the Promised Land today is no more than a coincidence of history.”

- Colin Chapman, Anglican



ISLAMIC EXTREMISM



**“The Army of Iran can by itself destroy
Israel.”**

- Maj. Gen. Ataollah Salehi



“The enemies are talking about the options [they have] on the table. They should know that the first option on our table is the annihilation of Israel.”

- Ayatollah Hossein Nouri Hamedani



“The Zionist regime will soon be destroyed, and this generation will be witness to its destruction.”

- Hojatoleslam Ali Shirazi



“The destruction of Israel is the idea of the Islamic Revolution in Iran and is one of the pillars of the Iranian Islamic regime. We cannot claim that we have no intention of going to war with Israel!”

- Ahmad Alamolhoda



PROPHETIC PROMISES



JERUSALEM UNDER SIEGE

“The day of the LORD is coming...I will gather all nations to Jerusalem to fight against it...Then the LORD will go out and fight against those nations, as he fights on a day of battle.”

Zechariah 14:1-3



MESSIAH RETURNS

“On that day his feet will stand on the Mount of Olives...will be split in two from east to west...It will be a unique day known only to the LORD.”

Zechariah 14:3,7



MESSIAH RETURNS

“The LORD will be king over the whole earth. On that day there will be one LORD, and his name the only name.”

Zechariah 14:9



NEW TESTAMENT FULFILLMENT

“Then they gathered the kings together to the place that in Hebrew is called Armageddon.”

Revelation 16:16



JESUS RETURNS

Revelation 19:11-21



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PROPHETIC PROMISES



GOD'S COVENANT WITH ABRAHAM

ABRAHAMIC COVENANT

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Genesis 12:1-13

"land" "seed" "blessing"

**ISRAEL LAND
COVENANT**

Deuteronomy 30

"land"

**DAVIDIC
COVENANT**

2 Samuel 7

"seed"

**NEW
COVENANT**

Jeremiah 31

"blessing"



UNCONDITIONAL AGREEMENT

Genesis 15:1-6

Symbol: Cut the animals in half



BLOOD OF COVENANT

Exodus 24:8 “sprinkle on people”
Exodus 31:16 “perpetual covenant”



DAVIDIC COVENANT

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