



Terror in September - Past, Present & Future

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The month of September has a trail of historical events that have endangered Western Civilization. Two events are significant in establishing terrorism as a weapon:

September 1970 – "Black September" – the Palestinian uprising and all out revolution against the government of Jordan. The result was the murder of thousands of Palestinians, the expulsion of thousands more from Jordan, and the founding of the Black September Organization ultimately responsible for numerous acts of terror. The Black September Organization became a Palestinian Movement and carried out the Munich Olympics Massacre in September 1972 of 11 Israeli athletes, shocking the world and setting the stage for a legacy of terror.

September 2001 – Terrorism was brought home to the US with the September 11 terrorist attacks on **the World Trade Center, the Pentagon, and United Airlines flight 93. It appears that the Obama administration wants to erase these indelible images, by changing the focus from **honoring the victims of September 11** to instituting a so-called "**National Day of Service.**" This would replace any reminder that **terrorism is alive and well in the radical Islamic world.****

This is what we have to look forward to in September 2009. These events could prove to be pivotal during this month of September.

September 12-13 An "End the Occupation Conference" in Chicago featuring pro-Palestinian speakers, whose connections with President Obama are widely acknowledged, will speak to "the US Campaign to End the Israeli Occupation." The speakers, who are also associated with radical Hamas and Fatah, have as their stated theme: "We aim to change those US policies that both sustain Israel's 42-year occupation of the Palestinian West Bank, Gaza, and East Jerusalem, and deny equal rights for all."

September 22-24 President Obama will address at the United Nations and offer his vision of the "Two State Solution" – with Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu also present with Mahmoud Abbas – as well as the Iranian nuclear threat.

September 19 marks the beginning of the Jewish New Year – 5770 – a time of reflection on our lives and our close relationships with people and circumstances that most affect the quality of our world.

It is a very fitting time, therefore, to consider calling public attention to the dangers that lie before us in this fateful month of September during this new year of the Jewish calendar. But it is also useful to look back and gauge the impact and the lessons learned from other previous events.

Remembering Black September



The **Black September Organization** was a Palestinian militant group founded in 1970 in Jordan that targeted civilians. The group's name derives from the Black September conflict begun on September 16, 1970, when King Hussein of Jordan declared military rule in response to a Palestinian fedayeen coup to seize his kingdom. This on-going battle resulted in the defeat of thousands of Palestinians who were either killed or driven out of Jordan.

The Black September Organization began as a small cell of Fatah, a faction of the PLO, men determined to take revenge upon King Hussein and the Jordanian army. (This is the same group now leading the Palestinian Authority in Judea and Samaria.) They recruited members of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP) and other radical groups as well.

The BSO is notorious for the kidnap and murder of eleven Israeli athletes and officials, and the murder of a German policeman, during the 1972 Olympic Games in Munich, Germany.

There is disagreement among historians, journalists, and primary sources about the nature of the BSO and the extent to which it was controlled by Fatah, the PLO faction controlled at the time by Yasser Arafat.

Mohammed Daoud Oudeh, also known as Abu Daoud, a BSO operative and former senior PLO member, who, according to a 1972 article in the Jordanian newspaper *Al-Dustur*, told Jordanian police: **"There is no such organization as Black September. Fatah announces its own operations under this name so that Fatah will not appear as the direct executor of the operation."** A March 1973 document released in 1981 by the U.S. State Department seemed to confirm that Fatah **was Black September's parent organization.**

According to American journalist John K. Cooley, Black September was formed to take revenge for King Hussein's expulsion of the PLO from Jordan after an attempt to take over his kingdom. The structure offered plausible deniability to the Fatah leadership, which was careful to distance itself from Black September operations.

Fatah needed Black September, according to Benny Morris, professor of history at Ben-Gurion University. He writes that there was a "problem of internal PLO or Fatah cohesion, with extremists constantly demanding greater militancy. The moderates apparently acquiesced in the creation of Black September in order to survive" (Morris 2001, p. 379)

As a result of pressure from militants, writes Morris, a Fatah congress in Damascus in August–September 1971 agreed to establish Black September. The new organization was based on Fatah's existing special intelligence and security apparatus, and on the PLO offices and representatives in various European capitals, and from very early on, there was cooperation between Black September and the PFLP (*ibid.*)

The PLO closed Black September down on September 1973, on the anniversary it was created by the "political calculation that no more good would come of terrorism abroad" according to Morris (*ibid.* p. 383).

In 1974 Arafat ordered the PLO to withdraw from acts of violence outside Israel, the West Bank, and the Gaza Strip following dozens of other deadly attacks targeting Israelis and others. Among them was the November 28, 1971 assassination of Jordan's prime minister, Wasfi Tel, in retaliation for the expulsion of the PLO from Jordan in 1970-71, and also a March 1, 1973 attack on the Saudi embassy in Khartoum, assassinating Cleo Noel, US Chief of Mission to Sudan, his deputy, George Curtis Moore, and Guy Eid the Belgian charge d'affaires to Sudan. Plane hijackings were common. The group's most notorious operation was the killing of 11 Israeli athletes,

nine of whom were first taken hostage, and a German police officer, during the 1972 Summer Olympics in Munich.

Most disturbing is the involvement in the Black September Movement of Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas (former PLO leader Abu Mazen). Today he is hailed as the "moderate" P.A. leader. Here is a brief account of his history:

- As a graduate of Moscow University (Ph.D. thesis: Holocaust Denial) and a beneficiary of KGB training, he managed the logistics of the Munich Massacre of eleven Israeli athletes in 1972.
- He was the architect of PLO ties with ruthless communist regimes until 1989 and, against American, Israeli, and even Arab interests.
- Since 1993 he was responsible for a series of PLO accords with Hamas.
- In 1950, 1966 and 1970, he was forced to flee Egypt, Syria and Jordan, respectively, for subversive activities.
- During the 1970s and 1980s he participated in PLO attempts to topple the Christian regime in Beirut, which resulted in the 1976 Syrian invasion of Lebanon and a series of civil wars, causing close to 200,000 deaths and hundreds of thousands of refugees.
- As Yasser Arafat's confidante and first deputy for over fifty years until Arafat's death, Mahmoud Abbas is one of the engineers of contemporary Palestinian hate education, which has become a production line for terrorists.
- In 1990, he collaborated with Saddam Hussein's invasion of Kuwait, despite the Gulf country's unique hospitality to 400,000 PLO-affiliated Palestinians.
- **On September 13th, 1993, Mahmoud Abbas actually signed the infamous Oslo Accords** while his counterpart, Yasser Arafat shook hands before US President Clinton and the world. **Fellow terrorist conspirator, Yasser Arafat, actually [received the Nobel Peace Prize in 1994 for the blighted occasion](#)** together with Israel's then Foreign Minister, Shimon Peres, and Prime Minister, Yitzhak Rabin!

Mahmoud Abbas deserves much credit for the following PLO "accomplishments":

- The PLO's track record of inter-Arab treachery, non-compliance, corruption, repression and terrorism
- Since its makeover from a terrorist organization to a semi-independent entity in 1993, the Palestinian Authority, which has been led by PLO graduates of terrorist bases in Iraq, Yemen, Sudan, Lebanon, Syria and Tunisia, has become an incubator for terrorist training and tactics.
- These terrorist activities have been exported to Iraq, Afghanistan, England, Spain and other countries.
- The 1968-70 and 1970-1982 PLO autonomy in Jordan and in Lebanon respectively provided training and inspiration for scores of international terror organizations.
- The PLO introduced the first wave of commercial aircraft hijackings.

- They facilitated the murder of 300 US Marines in the 1983 attack on the US Embassy and Marine Headquarters in Beirut.
- **The year 1993 – when the PLO catapulted to prominence – marked a wave of anti-US Islamic terrorism, starting with the first bombing of the World Trade Center in 1993 and ending with the September 11 attacks.**

Is it any wonder that the Arab nations have turned their backs on their Palestinian brethren, refusing them citizenship in even 1 of their 21 countries?

The last Arab country to reject them is Jordan. King Hussein, learning from his experience with the Palestinian Black September Movement when they tried to usurp his government, undoubtedly prefers to have Israel become the victim of the havoc that they bring to any host country.

For more info:

DemocracyUnderAttack.org – [Black September Articles Page](#)

Upcoming live reports from Judith Nusbaum representing UCI at the September 7-10 ICT Counter Terrorism Conference, [“Terrorism's Global Impact.” ICT.org.il](#)

Video – [One Day in September](#) – a documentary by Arthur Cohn, narrated by Michael Douglas

Book – [Terror in Black September](#) – a first-hand account by David Raab

Remembering 9-11



The US government is currently telling us:

Instead of the "Global War on Terror" for which we have sacrificed thousands of American lives and billions of dollars to protect our liberties – President Obama has reportedly ordered an end to use of the phrase "Global War on Terror," a label adopted by the Bush administration shortly after the September 11 attacks.

In order to be politically correct, we must now make reference to our United States "Overseas Contingency Operation". The words 'terror', 'Jihad', and references to 'radical Islam' as identifying the source of our problem are to be eliminated.

And instead of the "9-11" phrase which is highly recognizable and understandable – we must maintain a low profile and call it – the "National Day of Service," a more vague and much less descriptive euphemism.

If this were not so serious, it would be laughable.

During the next fateful and historically memorable month of September we will try to "Connect the Dots" to dramatize and explain why this new directive is counterproductive to everything for which America and our democratic allies stand and it is certainly detrimental to our defense in a dangerous world. It constitutes a "watering down" of our understanding and coming to grips with threats to our constitutional Judeo-Christian based society.

Accompanying this effort is an effective propaganda tool intended to discredit our democratic ally Israel with a worldwide smear campaign to paint the Jewish state as a virus that endangers world peace. It is being waged by various media outlets and countless nonprofit organizations and political entities.

Caroline Glick writes in the Jerusalem Post of August 27, 2009. Column One: *The Rigged Game*:

"It is the predominance of anti-Israel attitudes throughout the continent that enables European leaders to make light of the Iranian nuclear threat even as ever growing swathes of the continent fall within the range of the Islamic republic's ballistic missiles."

"A mere glance at the daily Middle East coverage of your standard European newspaper suffices to demonstrate the depths of Europe's obsession with hating Israel. The absence of peace is always Israel's fault. The fact that the Arabs have never accepted Israel's right to exist is either whitewashed or justified. So too, Arab terrorism is explained away while every act - small and large - that in any way asserts Israel's right to defend itself is pounced upon as proof of Israel's criminality and brutality."

Just as the preceding two examples of September events have helped to shape our destiny, as early as this month of September we will face more decisions that can likewise have the power to reverberate, for better or worse, for years to come. We should now explore how we will respond to new challenges. The stakes are very high and the pressure to conform will be great.

We must decide if we will follow the President's dictates or pursue our own informed common sense understanding.

For more info:

DemocracyUnderAttack.org – [Remembering 9-11 Articles Articles](#)

Video – [War Footing - 10 Steps](#) – an original UCI video with Frank Gaffney

Video – [The Third Jihad](#) – a film exposing the depths of terror cells in America

Video – [United 93](#) – documents the stories of survivors of Flight 93 on 9-11

Book – [War Footing - 10 Steps](#) – comprehensive book by Frank Gaffney

Site – [Families of September 11](#) – champions of domestic policy that protects America.

Palestinian Propaganda Showcase, Chicago



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A Contemplation of Ominous Historical Events in the Month of September

The eighth anniversary of the devastating terrorist attacks on United States soil and murder of 2,996 innocent men, women and children on September 11, 2001 serves as a poignant reminder of the historical events that define the depravity of mankind's lowest common denominator. The citizens of both Israel and the United States are no strangers to these acts of heinous barbarism committed by a cowardice enemy. A nexus between the historical events in the month of September clearly illustrates the incessant threat of Islam that endangers and encroaches upon Western Civilization.

Before the end of the 19th century, the eminent Orientalist Sir William Muir correctly framed the issue without foreknowledge that the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem would one day shake the hand of Adolf Hitler in Berlin, thus transferring this baton to Islamic jihadists some sixty years later.

"The sword of Muhammad and the Quran are the most fatal enemies of civilization, liberty, and the truth which the world has yet known."

Nearly two hundred seventy-nine years after the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock in December 1620, Sir Winston Churchill, the future prime minister of England, issued a prophetic warning regarding the modus operandi of this enemy to Western Civilization.

"Individual Moslems may show splendid qualities, but the influence of the religion paralyzes the social development of those who follow it [Islam]. No stronger retrograde force [Islam] exists in the world. Far from being moribund, Mohammedanism [Islam] is a militant and proselytizing faith."

Muir and Churchill possessed both the insight and discernment to comprehend the inherent dangers from this formidable threat of Islam to Western Civilization. While revisionists arrogantly deny the salient facts of historical records, their intellectual dishonesty does not withstand the rigorous pursuit of a truthful examination. Europe is

collapsing under the stranglehold of Islamic dhimmitude, while Islamic terror cells aided by the support of the Muslim Brotherhood and Council on American Islamic Relations (CAIR) are actively proliferating in the United States.

The fateful events of September 11, 2001 forever sealed a bond between Israelis and Americans, Jews and Christians. Israel and the United States are strategic partners and friends as this relationship was formed during the birth of the modern state of Israel on May 14, 1948. Students of history recognize that the first Pilgrims in America referred to William Bradford and Cotton Mather as Rabbi. This special bond between Jews and Christians is duly noted by H.E. Michael Oren, Israeli Ambassador to the United States.

“The roots of American support for Israel go back hundreds of years—indeed to the day that the first buckled shoe alighted on a rock along the Massachusetts shore. The owner of that shoe, William Bradford, proclaimed, ‘Come let us declare in Zion the word of G-d.’”

The birth of the United States as a Judeo-Christian nation aided by the American Revolutionary War financier Haym Salomon and the prophetic fulfillment of Israel’s birth as a modern nation are crucial obstacles to Islam’s underlying goal to establish a world wide caliphate. While the 19th of September 2009 marks the beginning of the Jewish New Year – 5770, historians are cognizant of the advent of Islam when the Muslim caliph Abd al-Malik built the Dome of the Rock over the Temple Mount in Jerusalem in 687 C.E. Centuries later, this epic struggle between Western Civilization and Islam only intensifies as parties dispute claims over rightful ownership of Yerushalayim and Eretz Yisrael. Terrorism against innocent lives is condoned by the Muslim umma to achieve their aims in this bloody and unrelenting war.

What lessons are to be learned regarding the recent historical events in the month of September and their nexus to the incessant threats from Islam to Western Civilization??

September 1970 – "Black September" – the Palestinian uprising and all out revolution against the government of Jordan resulted in the murder of thousands of Palestinians, the expulsion of thousands more from Jordan, and the founding of the Black September Organization ultimately responsible for numerous acts of terror. The Black September Organization later became the Palestinian Movement that carried out the Munich Olympics Massacre of eleven innocent Israeli athletes in September 1972. This massacre of innocent Israelis shocked the world and set the stage for a legacy of terror in the decades to follow.

One year prior to the tragedy that struck to the core of the United States on September 11, 2001, the second intifada erupted in Israel on September 28, 2000 during a visit by Israeli opposition leader Ariel Sharon to the Temple Mount, the site of the Al-Aqsa Mosque. The end result was 10,000+ rockets raining down on Israel and the murder of over 900 innocent Israeli men, women and children before the commencement of Operation Cast Lead in December 2008. Nevertheless in January 2009, the conclusion of this IDF military offensive did not achieve an end to the rockets which continue to

strike Israeli civilian population centers with the latest terrorist attack in Sderot on August 31, 2009. Israel faces an existential threat from Iran, yet Barack Obama wants Israel to give up her nuclear weapons. That is sheer insanity!

What does the future hold for September 2009?

In Chicago on the weekend of 12-13 September 2009, anti-Semitic organizations and individuals from around the United States will be gathering for the US Campaign to End Israeli Occupation. Here is an interesting historical note: in the mid 1890s, the first Jewish American Zionist organization, Chicago Zion Society, in the United States was organized in Chicago. Less than 120 years later, an ominous cloud of darkness has descended over Chicago where we are witnessing a dramatic increase in anti-Semitism.

Palestinian Rashid Khalidi, a close friend of Barack Obama, is the featured guest speaker for this anti-Semitic hate conference in Chicago. The main focal points for this anti-Israel and anti-US conference include Boycott and Divestment, Challenging US Policy, Standing against Apartheid, and Commemorating the Nakba. The utilization of this terminology illustrates the framework of the propaganda machine generating hatred toward our democratic values and the extremes taken to find a scapegoat. While Rashid Khalidi attempts to erase his past, he served as an official spokesperson for the Palestinian Liberation Organization (PLO) and PLO news agency, Wafa. Steve Emerson, Executive Director for the Investigative Project on Terrorism, notes the following terrorist entities exist in Chicago: Palestinian Islamic Jihad, Hamas and Al Qaeda. Add the pro terror supporting, anti-Israel and anti-US organization Hizb ut-Tahrir to this list. Do not forget the support base provided to the US Campaign to End Israeli Occupation from the existing tentacles of CAIR and the Muslim Brotherhood which exercise stealth jihad in the United States and their insidious tactics of "libel lawfare."

As Barack Obama prepares to address the United Nations on September 26, 2009 and discuss the execution of his plans to divide Jerusalem and force a two state solution at the expense of Israel, Barack Obama has already shown his contempt through his witch hunt with Attorney General Eric Holder of the patriotic, brave men and women who have safeguarded our country from future terrorist attacks since September 11, 2001. While Barack Obama embraces his Islamic roots and appeases the Islamic world, he thereby aids and abets the very enemy of Israel, the United States and Western civilization. The reality of the leadership of Barack Obama and course of direction of his current administration in Washington, DC is far more insidious than Neville Chamberlain in 1938.

Welcome to the latest chapter of a foreboding Black September!!

For more info:

DemocracyUnderAttack.org – [Palestinian Propaganda in Chicago Articles](#)

Site – [Middle East Research Institute](#) – chilling proof of the Terror info war.

Video – [War Footing - 10 Steps](#) – an original UCI video with Frank Gaffney

Countering the U.S. Two-State Vision



Some basic **facts to remember** –

1. The area was called "Palestine" after the Biblical "Philistines" by the Romans who named it that to spite the Jews. Jews were called the "Palestinians" prior to 1948 and the re-birth of Israel. In fact, The Jerusalem Post used to be named the Palestine Post.
2. This area called "Palestine" has never been Palestinian land. In fact there has NEVER been a country named Palestine ANYWHERE in the long course of human history.
3. Never before the creation of the State of Israel has there ever been a separate Palestinian people.
4. The Arabs who lived in Israel were never in control over ANY of the area called "Palestine" until recent times.
5. Hundreds of thousands Arabs have lived in Israel, enjoying free democratic rights with more rights than any Arab-controlled country: Freedom of speech, religion, full rights of citizenship, women's rights and even membership in the Knesset Parliament.

The following article, "State of Terror" is by Former Ambassador Yoram Ettinger who served as Minister for Congressional Affairs at Israel's Embassy in Washington and Director of Israel's Government Press Office. - Aug 26, 2009 - FrontPageMagazine.com

The idea that a Palestinian state can lead to enduring peace in the Middle East has become a diplomatic obsession for American policy makers. In fact, however, a Palestinian state would not only fail to bring peace and stability to the region, but would make it an even more dangerous place than it already is. And ironically, given its adamant backing for a government that would have been **led by Yasser Arafat** and now would be headed by **Abu Mazen**, U.S. support for the creation of "Palestine," which would immediately ally itself with and become a client of rivals and enemies of America such as Iran, would harm American, Israeli, and even Arab interests. . . .

The proposed Palestinian State would inflict destruction upon America's Arab allies and would enhance the fortunes of its rivals and enemies. Other states in the region know this. During the October 1994 signing of the Israel-Jordan peace treaty, top commanders of the Jordanian military urged their Israeli counterparts to stop short of a Palestinian state west of the Jordan River, "lest it destroy the [pro-US] Hashemite regime east of the River." Home to the largest Palestinian community in the world, Jordan is considered by the PLO to be Palestinian land. Why would the US support the

Hashemite regime on one hand, but doom it to oblivion, by promoting a Palestinian State, on the other?

Even more worrisome are the ties between the PLO and Iran. The PLO was one of the earliest allies of the Ayatollah Khomeini when he toppled the Shah of Iran in 1979. After his 2005 election to the chairmanship of the Palestinian Authority, Abu Mazen's first visits were to Teheran and Damascus. **A Palestinian state would extend Iran's long terrorist arm, facilitating subversive operations against pro-Western Arab regimes.** It would also enable Iran to enhance its intelligence and military operations in the region, including port facilities in Gaza.

A Palestinian State would be a tailwind to insurgent terrorists in Iraq. With its long record of connections to Soviet intelligence, it would provide Russia and possibly China and North Korea with a foothold in the eastern flank of the Mediterranean at the expense of vital US interests. **The increasingly Islamist and anti-US direction of Mahmoud Abbas' educational and media efforts indicates that a Palestinian state would export terrorism to Egypt, Saudi Arabia and other Gulf states.**

The long and determined effort by American administrations to soften the Palestinian Authority's harsh features cannot change the fact that **a Palestinian State would add fuel to the fire of terrorism in the region.**

In tying its fortunes to the creation of such a state, the United States may be signing a suicide note for its Middle East policy.

For more info:

DemocracyUnderAttack.org – [Countering the US Two-State Vision Articles Site](#) – [The Rehabilitation of the Palestinian Refugees](#) – by Benny Elon, P
Israelinitiative.com

Site – [Middle East Maps](#) – maps show the history of Israel and others.

Video – [UCI / Huckabee Concept Video](#) – Huckabee delineates the 2 State issue.

Video – [War Footing - 10 Steps](#) – an original UCI-DUA video with Frank Gaffney