

# GENOCIDE DEFINITION

The term "genocide" was defined in 1944 by Raphael Lemkin, a Jewish Polish legal scholar. Lemkin's definition became the basis of the **Genocide Convention**, adopted by the **General Assembly of the United Nations in 1948**.

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Incitement to genocide is  
**punishable under the Genocide Convention.**

Genocide scholars have reviewed statements by Israeli government officials and stated that they are **"fully espousing genocidal intent."**

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“More often **[genocide]** refers to a coordinated plan aimed at **destruction of the essential foundations of the life of national groups** so that these groups wither and die like plants that have suffered a blight. The end may be accomplished by the **forced disintegration of political and social institutions, of the culture of the people, of their language, their national feelings and their religion.** It may be accomplished by **wiping out all basis of personal security, liberty, health and dignity.** When these means fail **the machine gun can always be utilized as a last resort.** Genocide is directed against a national group as an entity and the attack on individuals is only secondary to the annihilation of the national group to which they belong.”

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# VICTORY: ZERO RESIDENTS IN GAZA.

Banners posted in Israeli cities (2023)



“**WE’LL TURN THEM INTO RUBBLE... I’M TELLING THE PEOPLE OF GAZA: GET OUT OF THERE NOW, BECAUSE WE’RE ABOUT TO ACT EVERYWHERE WITH ALL OUR FORCE.**”

Benjamin Netanyahu, Israeli Prime Minister (2023)

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“**IT IS AN ENTIRE NATION OUT THERE THAT IS RESPONSIBLE.**”

Isaac Herzog, Israeli President (2023)

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“**THERE WILL BE NO ELECTRICITY, NO FOOD, NO FUEL... WE ARE FIGHTING HUMAN ANIMALS AND WE ARE ACTING ACCORDINGLY.**”

Yoav Gallant, Israeli Minister of Defense (2023)

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“**RIGHT NOW, ONE GOAL: NAKBA! A NAKBA THAT WILL OVERSHADOW THE NAKBA OF 48. NAKBA IN GAZA AND NAKBA TO ANYONE WHO DARES TO JOIN!**”

Ariel Kalliner, Member of Israeli Knesset (2023)

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“**THE ONLY THING THAT NEEDS TO ENTER GAZA ARE HUNDREDS OF TONS OF EXPLOSIVES FROM THE AIR FORCE, NOT AN OUNCE OF HUMANITARIAN AID.**”

Itamar Ben Gvir, Israeli Minister of National Security (2023)

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“**THE EMPHASIS IS ON DAMAGE AND NOT ON ACCURACY.**”

Daniel Hagari, Israeli army spokesperson (2023)

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