

## Spirit of Hamas

### Genesis 6 NIV

**9** This is the account of Noah and his family.

Noah was a righteous man, blameless among the people of his time, and he walked faithfully with God. **10** Noah had three sons: Shem, Ham and Japheth.

**11 Now the earth was corrupt in God's sight and was full of violence. 12** God saw how corrupt the earth had become, for all the people on earth had corrupted their ways. **13** So God said to Noah, "I am going to put an end to all people, for the earth is filled with violence because of them. I am surely going to destroy both them and the earth.

### Vs. 11

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**Violence:** Hamas

**Vs. 11** *Now the earth was corrupt in God's sight and was full of Hamas.*

**Vs. 13** *So God said to Noah, "I am going to put an end to all people, for the earth is filled with Hamas because of them.*

**Hamas:** Violence, Wrong; by unjust gain: Cruelty, Injustice

Why did God bring judgement on mankind with the flood?  
Because the earth was full of the spirit of Hamas; Violence, Injustice, Cruelty...

**People die but spirits continue...**

The Spirit that Israel is at war with right now is the spirit of Hamas.  
The same spirit that filled the earth during the time of Noah...

In Noah's day, The spirit in the world was opposite of the spirit that was in Noah...

Vs. 9 "Noah was a righteous man, blameless among the peoples of his time"

Noah, because he was a righteous man, was protected on the day of God's Judgement...

### **Matthew 24**

**37** As it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. **38** For in the days before the flood, people were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, up to the day Noah entered the ark; **39** and they knew nothing about what would happen until the flood came and took them all away. That is how it will be at the coming of the Son of Man.

On October 7th

*Palestinian groups led by Hamas in Gaza, began a militant invasion in Israel from the Gaza Strip. The attack was met with an Israeli counteroffensive, and Israel formally declared war on Hamas a day later.*

I've heard it said:

- If Palestine put down their guns, there would be peace in the Middle East...
- If Israel put down their guns there would be no more Israel...
- Israel has been thrust once again into the age old battle between half brothers...

Palestine is of the descent of Ismael...

Israel is of the descent of Isaac...

## Galatians 4

**22** For it is written that Abraham had two sons, one by the slave woman and the other by the free woman. **23** His son by the slave woman was born according to the flesh, but his son by the free woman was born as the result of a divine promise.

**29** At that time the son born according to the flesh persecuted (Hamas) the son born by the power of the Spirit. It is the same now.

**30** But what does Scripture say? “Get rid of the slave woman and her son, for the slave woman’s son will never share in the inheritance with the free woman’s son.”

The Apostle Paul contrasts the nature of both

One is of the flesh

One is of the divine promise and power of the spirit

### **Vs. 29**

At that time the son born according to the flesh persecuted the son born by the power of the Spirit.

**Ishmael/Palestine**, in the natural, is the spiritual enemy of **Isaac/Israel** the one born by the power of the Spirit...

It’s important to notice the demonic nature of the attack that Hamas has just made on Israel...

Hamas has beheaded Israeli babies and innocent women...

There are now reports of children being handcuffed and burned alive...

This is not the work of human conflict, this is purely demonic...

- Bureaucratic treaty and political band-aids will never bring peace where there is spiritual enmity...

- The only way there will ever be peace in the Middle East is when the sons of Ishmael and the sons of Isaac bow their knees to Jesus Christ the Prince of Peace...

### **Genesis 16** NIV (Ishmael in the Womb)

**11** The angel of the Lord also said to her (Hagar):

“You are now pregnant  
and you will give birth to a son.  
You shall name him Ishmael,  
for the Lord has heard of your misery.

**12**

He will be a wild donkey of a man;  
his hand will be against everyone  
and everyone’s hand against him,  
and he will live in hostility  
toward all his brothers.”

### **Genesis 17** (Isaac in the Womb)

**19** Then God said (To Abraham), “Yes, but your wife Sarah will bear you a son, and you will call him Isaac. I will establish my covenant with him as an everlasting covenant for his descendants after him.

### **Genesis 21**

Now the Lord was gracious to Sarah as he had said, and the Lord did for Sarah what he had promised. **2** Sarah became pregnant and bore a son to Abraham in his old age, at the very time God had promised him.

**8** The child grew and was weaned, and on the day Isaac was weaned Abraham held a great feast. **9** But Sarah saw that the son whom Hagar the Egyptian had borne to Abraham was mocking (**Hamas**), **10** and she said to Abraham, “Get rid of that slave woman and her son, for that woman’s son will never share in the inheritance with my son Isaac.”

**Theologians believe that at this point**

**Ishmael was around 16 yrs old**

**Isaac was 2 yrs old**

**How does that look to see 16 yr olds picking on 2 yr olds...**

**It looks a lot like what we have seen this past week...**

**War age young men killing babies...**

### **Psalm 83**

**2**

See how your enemies growl,  
how your foes rear their heads.

**3**

With cunning they conspire against your people;  
they plot against those you cherish.

**4**

“Come,” they say, “let us destroy them as a nation,  
so that Israel’s name is remembered no more.” **( Hamas )**

**5**

With one mind they plot together;  
they form an alliance against you—

**6**

the tents of Edom and the Ishmaelites,

### **1 John 2:18**

Dear children, this is the last hour; and as you have heard that the **antichrist** is coming, even now many **antichrists** have come. This is how we know it is the last hour.

**The spirit of antichrist is the spirit of Hamas at work today...**

- **They are not out to just destroy Israel...**
- **They are also out to destroy Christianity...**

## 1 John 4:3

but every spirit that does not acknowledge Jesus is not from God. This is the spirit of the **antichrist**, which you have heard is coming and even now is already in the world.

## Ezekiel 38

**14** “Therefore, son of man, prophesy and say to Gog: ‘This is what the Sovereign Lord says: In that day, when my people Israel are living in safety, will you not take notice of it?’ **15** You will come from your place in the far north, you and many nations with you, all of them riding on horses, a great horde, a mighty army. **16** You will advance against my people Israel like a cloud that covers the land. In days to come, Gog, I will bring you against my land, so that the nations may know me when I am proved holy through you before their eyes.

## Prayer

### Genesis 12 NIV

#### God’s Promise to Abraham

**2**

“I will make you into a great nation,  
and I will bless you;  
I will make your name great,  
and you will be a blessing.

**3**

I will bless those who bless you,  
and whoever curses you I will curse;  
and all peoples on earth  
will be blessed through you.”