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Dear Chaverim (Friends) and Co-Laborers,

The statistics from Israel are terrifying . . .

Genocide is taking place there today . . .
a genocide that may **threaten the very existence
of Israel**. Am I sounding an exaggerated alarm?



Consider this . . .

In Israel today, 50,000 children are aborted each year. While this figure indicates a small decline in abortions, the number is still appalling. Israel approves 98% of all abortion requests and 40% of those abortions are granted to married women. The number of unwed mothers continues to grow.

It is one matter to consider what **G-d thinks of all this**. He certainly makes His concern clear in Deuteronomy 30:19 - *"This day I call heaven and earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live."*

But, **two other matters cannot be disregarded . . .**

1. **From a practical aspect, Israel is overwhelmed by its Arab neighbors.** She is outnumbered by her surrounding neighbors by 50 to 1. Her population totals only two percent of those nations. Also, her Arab citizens are having larger families than most Israelis. It is quite conceivable that between Israel's Arab citizens and the 'Palestinians' in Gaza and the West Bank, she could find herself a minority within her own borders. This could challenge the Jewish nature of Israel in the future. Can we overlook the fact that Israel needs every single person?

2. **From a spiritual aspect, every aborted child is one less person who will have the opportunity to grow up and contribute to the miracle that is modern Israel.** Also, that unborn child will never have the opportunity to hear the Good News and contribute to the biblical and spiritual fabric of the nation.

For these reasons, I believe it is a necessary part of our IMJA mission to lend support to ministries that are doing everything possible to save the lives of innocents.

There are a number of pro-life organizations in Israel - but, after doing some due diligence in this matter, we have determined that there is one ministry in Israel that is making a profound difference there - ***Bead Chaim***. I can thank my good friend Dotti Naomi Solomon for steering me to this ministry.

This ministry's ultimate goal is to eliminate on-demand abortion in Israel. But, everyday on-the ground, *Bead Chaim*, provides alternatives to abortion, post-abortion counseling, group presentations, and tangible and practical first-year help to new mothers.

Your gift this month will be channeled toward the work of this pro-life ministry - a work that is saving precious lives.

The IMJA is blessed to have networking "partnerships" like these - "partnerships" that make a difference. It is one of the IMJA's strengths that over the years we have been able to establish these kinds of relationships for Messiah Yeshua. It is this kind of personal activity that makes my role as the IMJA's Executive Director most satisfying and rewarding.

I look forward to your most generous gift this month. I believe Yeshua's admonition in Matthew 19:13 can also be applied to the saving of children's lives: "*Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.*" Is there any greater thing we can do than to give them life so that, in time, they may receive Yeshua as their Messiah?

The preservation of human life takes precedence over all the other commandments in Judaism. The Talmud notes that all people are descended from a single person, thus taking a single life is like destroying an entire world, and saving a single life is like saving an entire world.

Thank you, my friend and co-laborer, for your continued prayers and support - and for the little ones whom we are called to come to the aid of!

Yours in Messiah,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joel Liberman".

Executive Director