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"Separation between Israel and the Palestinians is the best solution for resolving the Israeli-Palestinian conflict."

– YITZHAK RABIN[1]

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Shortly before his assassination 20 years ago today, Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin z"l spoke of the choice "between the whole of the land of Israel, which meant a binational state … and a state with less territory, but which would be a Jewish state."[2]

Rabin told Knesset that, "We chose a Jewish state because we are convinced that a binational state with millions of Palestinian Arabs will not be able to fulfill the Jewish role of the State of Israel, which is the state of the Jews."[3]

Now is the time to reach a two-state solution with a demilitarized Palestinian state alongside a Jewish, democratic Israel.

In 2020, the Jewish population from the Mediterranean Sea to the Jordan River will be only 49%.[4]
For those who love Israel, and want it to remain a Jewish state, the time to act is now.

Israel & the Palestinians, One state or two?

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