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Posters to mark the anniversary of Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin's assassination

Almost a generation has passed since that bitter, fateful night when the unthinkable occurred - the Prime Minister of the State of Israel was assassinated by a fellow Jew. Our hearts still refuse to believe it.

Established by an act of the Knesset in 1997, the Yitzhak Rabin Center has since worked to honor Rabin's life and legacy, and to help society draw lessons from his assassination - its causes, circumstances, and consequences.

A central part of the Center's educational work is the creation of lesson plans, developed in cooperation with the Ministry of Education and distributed each year to schools across Israel ahead of the anniversary. Each program focuses on a chosen theme and features a poster design that serves as its visual anchor - sparking dialogue and reflection among students from all walks of life.

This exhibition presents posters created by various artists who, in recent years, submitted their designs for selection. They echo both what has happened and what could still happen. They reflect the lessons we have learned - and those we have yet to learn. May Rabin's assassination forever remain a singular event in Israel's national memory.

To mark the 30th anniversary of Prime Minister Rabin's assassination, the Zionist Enterprises
Department invited participants from across the Jewish world to join an international poster
competition, as part of the project Rabin Way: Dare to Dream!"

The exhibition combines posters from this global competition with works from past years of the Rabin Center's contest - highlighting the connection between Israel and Jewish communities worldwide, and the shared vision and destiny of the Jewish people around the world.













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Yitzhak Rabin grew up alongside the young State of Israel. His life story mirrors the milestones of Israel's history: his studies at the Kadoorie Agricultural School, his service in the Palmach, and his role as a young officer in the War of Independence, helping to open and defend the road to Jerusalem.

As Chief of Staff in the 1960s, he led Israel to its remarkable victory in the Six-Day War — a decisive turning point in the nation's history.

During his first term as Prime Minister (1974–1977), he faced the crisis of trust that followed the Yom Kippur War and took the first steps toward peace with Egypt.

As Minister of Defense during the early Intifada, he saw firsthand the limits of a purely military solution.

His second term (1992–1995) marked the height of his leadership: his decision to lead the Oslo process reshaped the Middle East.

His handshake with Arafat on the White House lawn became a lasting symbol of hope and the possibility of peace.

Rabin's assassination on November 4, 1995, not only ended the life of a leader but also marked a turning point in Israeli society — from a moment of unity and hope to one of painful division that continues to shape the country to this day.





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