

Saint Wenceslas is murdered by his brother Boleslaus I of Bohemia

William the Conqueror, then Duke of Normandy, lands at Pevensey Bay in Sussex, beginning the Norman Conquest of England



9,000 American and 7,000 French troops begin the Siege of Yorktown

Yellow River or Huáng Hé floods in China, killing between 900,000 and 2 million people, one of the deadliest natural disasters in history



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Tourism creates jobs, fuels local economies & contributes to development. Yet it can also damage the very places & communities it celebrates. Amid climate crisis & inequalities, let's harness the power of tourism as a force for transformation, resilience, sustainability & progress for all.

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India is proud to be hosting the World Para Athletics Championships 2025 in Delhi, which commences today. A warm welcome and best wishes to all participants. This tournament celebrates human determination and spirit. May this tournament inspire a more inclusive and vibrant sporting culture across the world.

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The World Health Organization (WHO) emphasizes that there is currently no conclusive scientific evidence confirming a possible link between autism and use of acetaminophen (also known as paracetamol) during pregnancy.

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Democrats want to SHUT DOWN the government because we won't give free benefits to illegal aliens. We're NOT going to be taken hostage by the Democrats' desperate desire to give your tax money to illegal aliens — we're just not going to do it

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# Gaza mourners express anger at Israel, Hamas as family killed in strike



People walk with bags of humanitarian aid they received at a distribution centre run by the US and Israeli-backed Gaza Humanitarian Foundation (GHF), at the so-called "Netzarim corridor", in Nuseirat in the central Gaza Strip

AFP | Gaza City, Palestinian Territories

Palestinian women wept and wailed yesterday as they mourned a family killed in an Israeli strike on Gaza City, expressing anger at Israel and Hamas for the bloodshed engulfing the city.

Seven members of the Bakr family were killed overnight in the strike on Al-Shati refugee camp in Gaza City, where Israeli forces have stepped up a ground and air assault.

The dead included children and women, according to the Gaza civil defence agency, a rescue force operating under Hamas authority, which said several others were also wounded in the Israeli strike.

"What is happening are massacres, massacres that are condemned internationally," said Umm Khaleel, who survived when the family home was hit.

AFP footage showed women in black abayas crying out in grief, one clutching the small

body of her child tightly to her chest.

"We cannot sleep because of the bombing and shelling on Al-Shati... the children were sleeping when suddenly a missile landed on us," said Salwa Subhi Bakr.

"What does the world want from us? What does (Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin) Netanyahu want? What does Hamas want?"

The bodies, wrapped in white shrouds, some stained with blood, were then taken for burial.

Gaza's main Al-Shifa hospital confirmed receiving six bodies of victims killed in the strike.

The Israeli military did not offer an immediate response.

Bakr, displaced by the nearly two-year-long war, said families had nowhere safe to flee.

"They tell us go there, then come back here. Where do we get the money for trucks?" she said.

"People are in the streets, in the south scattered every-

where. Where should we go? Find us a solution."

Since launching its air assault on Gaza City late last month, which preceded a ground offensive, the Israeli military has repeatedly ordered Palestinians to head south.

Some 700,000 people have already fled since then, according to the Israeli military.



Yesterday, Gaza's civil defence agency reported that Israeli fire killed at least 70 people across the territory, including 38 in Gaza City according to hospitals in the territory's largest urban area.



A Palestinian child checks the damage in a room inside a house hit by Israeli bombing in the Nuseirat refugee camp in the central Gaza Strip

## CAPTAIN'S CORNER

### Muharraq: Beacon of Loyalty and Belonging



CAPTAIN MAHMOOD AL MAHMOOD

I am proud to be a Bahraini citizen living in the most flourishing era of our Kingdom—the era of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, may God protect and preserve him, under the wise leadership of His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister.

That pride deepens because I was born and raised in Muharraq—the "Mother of Cities," the cradle of Bahrain's heritage and the historic home of the noble Al Khalifa family. This is a distinction many would wish for: to belong to a city whose sons and daughters fill the pages of history, culture, science, and politics. We are indeed a people of steadfastness, loyalty, and belonging.

This sense of pride was reinforced recently by the visit of His Excellency Sheikh Rashid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa, Minister of Interior and Chairman of the Ministerial Committee for the National Plan to Promote National Belonging. He began the plan in Muharraq, affirming that this city is the origin and birthplace of Bahrain's history and the first seat of rule under the Al Khalifa family.

During his visit, His Excellency stressed that national belonging starts in Muharraq and extends to every city, because Muharraq and its families embody the highest examples of loyalty and unity. His words—that the stances of Muharraq's people "are never forgotten"—recognized their high national standing as residents of "the Beacon of Loyalty and Belonging" and their renewal of allegiance to His Majesty the King.

God has honored us by granting us a great King who safeguards our nation's identity—with beloved Muharraq at its heart. His Majesty directed the revival of the city's architectural heritage, a vision implemented by His Royal Highness the Crown Prince and Prime Minister. Today we see the results in Muharraq's streets, its historic buildings, Isa Grand Palace, and the homes of families who have carved Bahrain's history.

The royal response to the visit was equally gracious. His Majesty praised the meeting and expressed appreciation for the sincere national feelings shown by the people of Muharraq, reaffirming that their stances will never be forgotten and highlighting their unity for Bahrain and its future.

These words inspire me, along with the people of Muharraq, to continue working for the advancement of our nation and renewing our loyalty to a leadership that reciprocates our love and strives for our happiness. On my own behalf and on behalf of the people of Muharraq, I express our deepest gratitude to His Majesty the King, His Royal Highness the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, His Excellency the Minister of Interior, and all leaders who dedicate their efforts to our welfare, identity, and future.

May God protect Bahrain—its wise leadership and its loyal people.

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