## IT MIGHT BE TODAY

## All Alone in the World

Each week we present what we call a prophecy update. We check the news for stories that seem to corroborate centuries old prophecies found in the Bible.

Some of the major categories that catch our attention are events in Israel, including the rebuilding of the Temple; the unification and rise of Europe as a world power; and the exponential growth of knowledge and technology, especially in the realm of creating a cashless global economy that you will access by a mark in your hand or forehead.

This week a story about Israel caught my attention. It wasn't about the ongoing conflict or supposed ceasefire; it was about world reaction to the conflict.

On November 18 <u>RT.com</u> posted a story titled, *Anti-Israel rage* across globe as violence in Gaza goes on.

## Excerpts:

... ongoing global protests against Israel see thousands taking to the streets around the world.

About a thousand of Indonesian students demonstrated in Jakarta, carrying Palestinian flags, as well as photos of destruction and casualties, and shouting "Save Gaza, save humanity" outside the US embassy. "America is a country that has always championed human rights but why is it not doing anything to stop Israel's attacks? Israel is the real terrorist," [said] protest coordinator Yousef Saiful Gunawan.

Around a thousand of Chileans also took to the streets of the country's capital to protest against the ongoing violence. The demonstrators carried banners with photos of the conflict's victims. There are about 350,000 Chileans of Palestinian descent living in Chile, making it one of the largest such communities outside of the Arab world.

Crowds also gathered in the Netherlands' capital Amsterdam to protest the Gaza assault. The demonstrators were holding posters which read, "No Dutch support for apartheid in Palestine. Boycott Israel."

In London, thousands also rallied in support of the Palestinian people outside the Israeli embassy, condemning the British government's stance on the issue. Sarah Colborne, director of the Palestine Solidarity Campaign, said protesters aimed to demonstrate they were "vehemently opposed" to the Foreign Office's position. The crowds waved Palestinian flags, sang "Gaza we will never let you die," branding Israel a "terror state."

## http://rt.com/news/protest-israel-gaza-war-984/print/

It is an absolute miracle, as well as fulfillment of Bible prophecy, that Israel is a sovereign nation once again and dwelling in her land. It is a further fulfillment of prophecy that her existence presents a problem for the rest of the world, and that the nations of the world are turning against her.

In Zechariah 12:2 we read,

Zechariah 12:2 "Behold, I will make Jerusalem a cup of drunkenness to all the surrounding peoples, when they lay siege against Judah and Jerusalem."

Bible prophecy is coming true right before our eyes. While we look to Israel, our true gaze is heavenward. Jesus could come for us, to resurrect and rapture His church, at any moment.

Are you rapture-ready? Get ready, stay ready, and keep looking up. *Ready or not, Jesus is coming!*