

Jews for Boycotting Israeli Goods presents

Bethlehem Now

Alternative lessons and songs of protest for Palestine



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7.30pm, Tuesday 8th December 2009

**The Actors' Church, St. Paul's, Covent Garden
London, WC2E 9ED**

Join us for songs, readings and a scene from the play
"Go to Gaza, Drink the Sea" performed by the original cast.

With special guests Lauren Booth, Ghada Karmi,
Bruce Kent and Baroness Jenny Tonge.

Christians, Jews and Muslims unite to raise their voices in protest at the current reality in the Holy Land. Join the singing, led by professional soloists, of traditional carols with new lyrics that reflect the Palestinian experience over the last six decades – expulsion, impoverishment, discrimination and the Israeli assault last January on the Gaza Strip, which left nearly 1,400 dead, including 252 children.

THE OLIVE AND THE ARMY (Chorus)

***O the rampaging of settlers
And the rolling of the tanks;
The grinding of the bulldozers
As the olives fall in ranks.***

"As we look at the horror of what is being done to Gaza and the West Bank, including Bethlehem, I welcome these alternative carols of protest with their humour, poignancy and prophetic voice."

Garth Hewitt, Canon, St. George's Cathedral, Jerusalem, and Director, Amos Trust

Tickets £10 (concessions £6 on the door)

Advance booking through Ticketweb Tel: 08447 71000

http://www.ticketweb.co.uk/user/?region=gb_london&query=detail&event=358985

Details of venue: www.actorschurch.org

Nearest Tube: Covent Garden (Piccadilly Line)

For further information email: jews4BIG@googlemail.com

See also www.bigcampaign.org



**Palestinian gifts, Zaytoun olive oil
and Cremisan wine
from Bethlehem will be available.**



Proceeds go to:

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Wi'am, The Palestinian Conflict Resolution Centre (<http://www.alaslah.org/>)

Interpal (<http://www.interpal.info/our-work>)

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