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Speaking Out Against Israel's Genocide in Palestine

By Francesca Albanese, Edited by Mandy Turner, Preface by Mandy Turner and Lex Takkenberg, Foreword by Richard Falk, John Dugard and Michael Lynk

Keynote

The UN Special Rapporteur for Palestinian Human Rights reports on Israel's genocide in Gaza

Key Features and Highlights

- Francesca Albanese is a globally recognized figure, an icon of moral courage and integrity against the backdrop of Israel's genocide of Palestinians, recently sanctioned by the Trump administration
- Royalties go to UNRWA
- Includes a foreword by the three preceding UN Special Rapporteurs on Palestine and new material by the author

Plans for Promotion

Description

Francesca Albanese is the UN Special Rapporteur for Palestinian Human Rights. Since taking up her position in May 2022, Albanese has tirelessly used her position to highlight Israel's settler colonial violence, through her reports to the UN Human Rights Council and through her engagement with the media and public lectures. She has been one of the most prominent critics of Israel's genocide in Gaza since October 7.

In July 2025, the United States imposed sanctions on Albanese for doing her job, citing what it calls 'illegal and malicious lawfare' against Israel and US interests. This is an unprecedented move that violates the diplomatic immunity of UN officials.

This book compiles the documentation of the genocide that Albanese has produced since October 2023, alongside a short reflection by her on the current state of affairs, reflections by her predecessors in the role of UN Special Rapporteur, and a preface by her colleague Lex Takkenberg, a 30-year veteran of UNRWA, co-authored with editor and scholar Mandy Turner.



Author Biographies: **Francesca Albanese** is an author and international lawyer, specialising in human rights and the Middle East. Since 2022, she has served as the UN Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Palestinian territories occupied since 1967. **Mandy Turner** is a senior researcher with the critical network, Security in Context, the development think tank ODI, and the International State Crime Initiative at Queen Mary University. **Lex Takkenberg** is Senior Advisor on the Question of Palestine at ARDD (Arab Renaissance for Democracy and Development) and lecturer at the University of Vienna. From 1989 until 2019, he worked in various fields and headquarters positions with UNRWA. **Richard Falk** is a former UN special rapporteur to Palestine and the author of over twenty books. **John Dugard** SC is an Emeritus Professor of Law at the Universities of the Witwatersrand and Leiden who has formerly served as UN Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in Palestinian territories occupied since 1967. **Michael Lynk** is Professor Emeritus at the Faculty of Law, Western University, London, Ontario, Canada. He was the 7th Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian territories occupied since 1967.

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ABOUT THE EDITOR

Aya Mousawi is an Iraqi-British cultural strategist and producer known for delivering international projects, exhibitions and programmes across the world. Dedicated to non-profit and grassroots initiatives, she has worked throughout the Arab world, developing large-scale exhibitions, cultural strategies and public art programmes. In 2012, she co-founded The Moving Museum, a global initiative of city-wide festivals, artist residencies, exhibitions and public programming. She has worked with institutions including Art Basel, Edge of Arabia, Heatherwick Studio, Aorist, and on several cultural projects in Saudi Arabia. Coming from a family of artists and architects, she brings communities together through culture, storytelling and experiences.
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Love is Resistance

77 Tear-Out Posters for Palestine

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AHMED SHIHAB-ELDIN

KEY SALES POINTS

- A beautiful, limited-edition object, designed by Jordanian-Palestinian designer Hey Porter!
- Features international artists, musicians, designers, writers and digital creators – all leading voices in the Palestine solidarity movement
- Both a creative expression of hope and solidarity with Palestine and a fundraising project for Ajyal Foundation for Education

OUTLINE

All proceeds donated to Ajyal Foundation, providing long-term rehabilitation for children in Gaza and urgent support for displaced communities since October 2023.

Love is Resistance is a collection of 77 commissioned posters by artists, musicians, writers, designers, filmmakers, actors, digital creators and voices from across the world standing in solidarity with Palestine. Each poster tells its own story – recalling iconic figures, pivotal moments, poems and personal acts of remembrance – and bears witness to grief while insisting on life, justice and liberation.

The posters can be torn out, framed and hung, taken to peaceful protests or kept together as an archive. This art book also includes a double-sided fold-out sticker insert, a signed set of Kyle Goen's iconic *GAZA Love* stamps and three posters drawn by children in Gaza, collected by the Ajyal Foundation.

Bold, heartbreaking and defiantly hopeful, *Love is Resistance* is a tribute to Palestinian resilience and a tool for global solidarity. This is art as resistance and solidarity in action.



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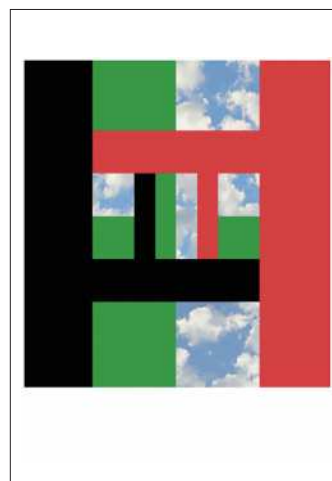
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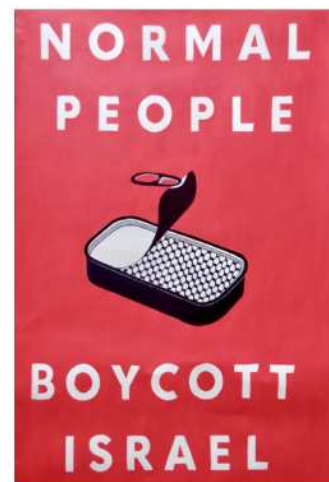
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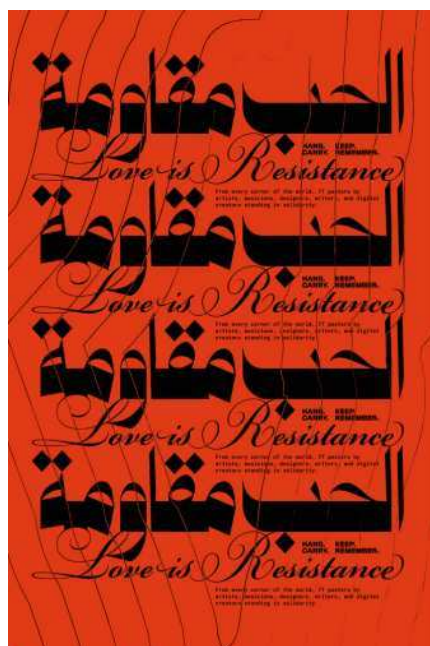
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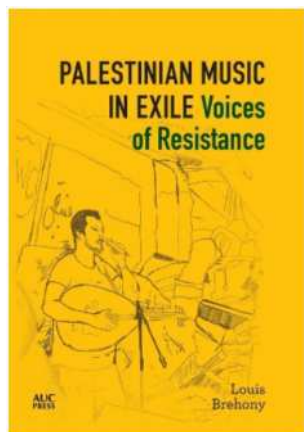
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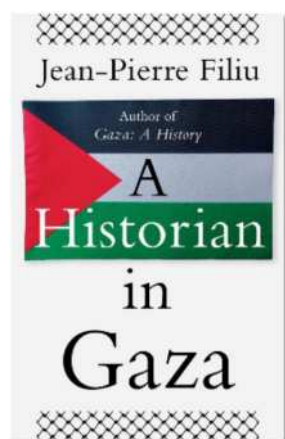
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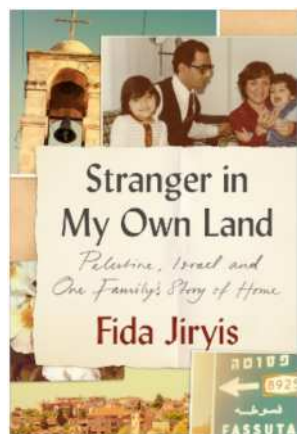
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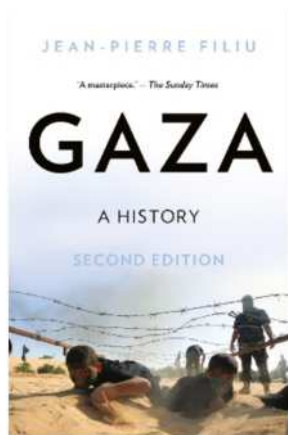
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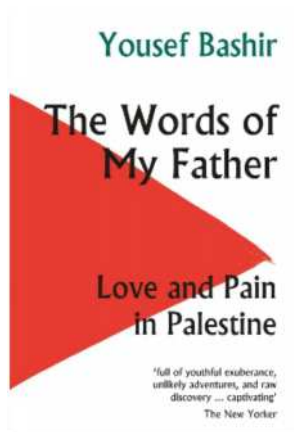
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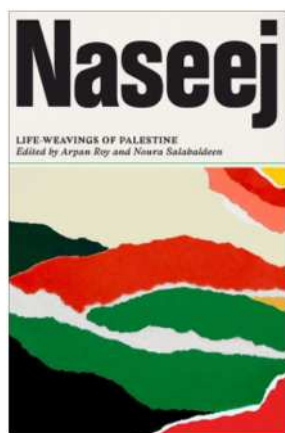
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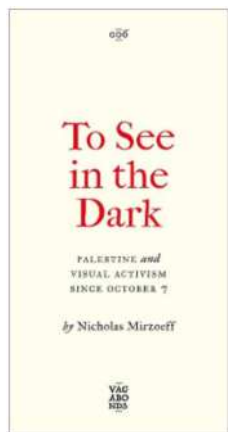
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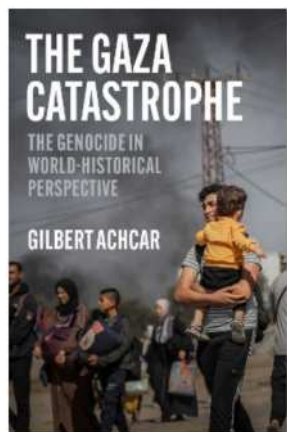
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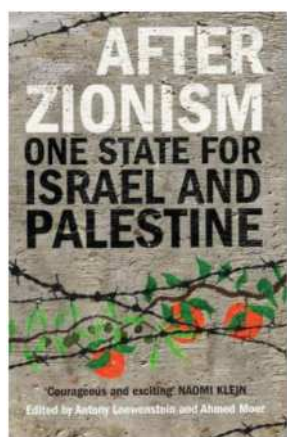
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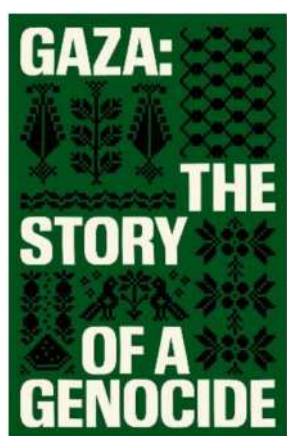
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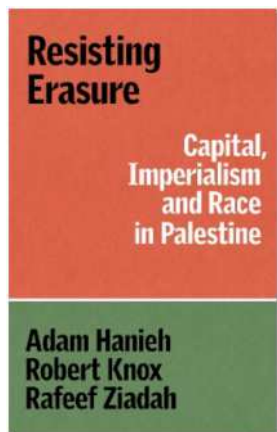
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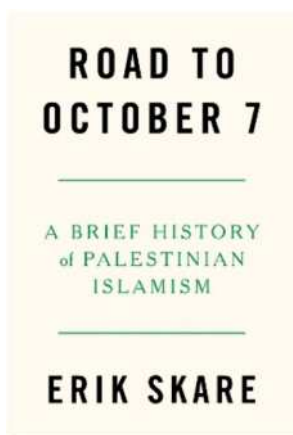
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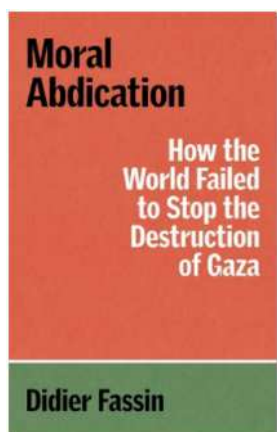
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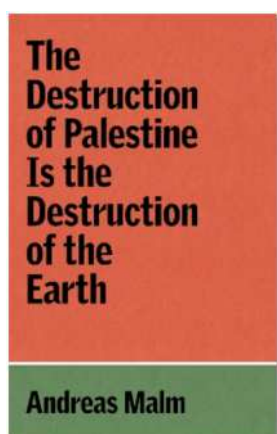
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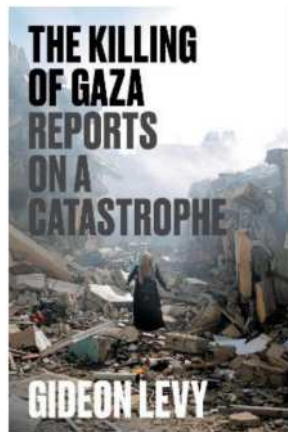
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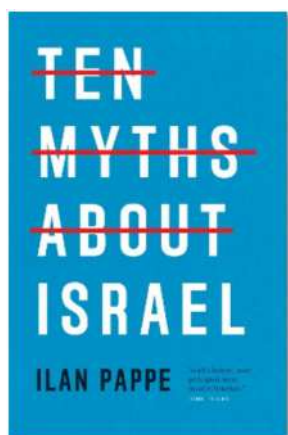
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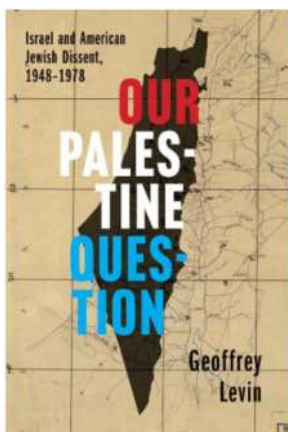
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