

Coalition Against Global Genocide

Perspective on the Conflict in Israel and Gaza: A Call for Humanity

The Coalition Against Global Genocide (CoAGG) is committed to upholding human dignity, advocating for the prevention of genocide, and calling attention to crimes against humanity wherever they occur. We envision a world where peace prevails, built upon the foundations of human dignity, equality, and the rule of law.

CoAGG unequivocally condemns the attacks conducted by Hamas on October 7, 2023, resulting in the deaths of over 1,200 individuals and the taking of 251 hostages. These acts constitute clear violations of international humanitarian law and must be denounced without reservation.

Simultaneously, CoAGG recognizes that suffering has grown in Gaza and if continued will result in more injuries, more death and more suffering. The killing of innocent civilians is never acceptable. The deliberate targeting of civilians, the taking of hostages by Hamas without Red Cross access, and the use of starvation as a method of warfare are prohibited under international humanitarian law.

Drawing upon Gregory Stanton's framework of the ten stages of genocide, we observe alarming indicators in the current conflict, including dehumanization, polarization, and systematic discrimination. We must remain vigilant and proactive in addressing these warning signs to prevent escalation.

A sustainable resolution necessitates immediate ceasefire, unconditional release of hostages, unimpeded humanitarian access, accountability for violations, and promotion of dialogue and reconciliation.

CoAGG supports nonviolent resistance, dialogue, and multilateral efforts that uphold the dignity and rights of all peoples—Jewish, Muslim, Christian, Israeli, and Palestinian. Peace can only be achieved through dialogue, mutual respect, and a commitment to human rights.

The Coalition Against Global Genocide chooses action. Join us.