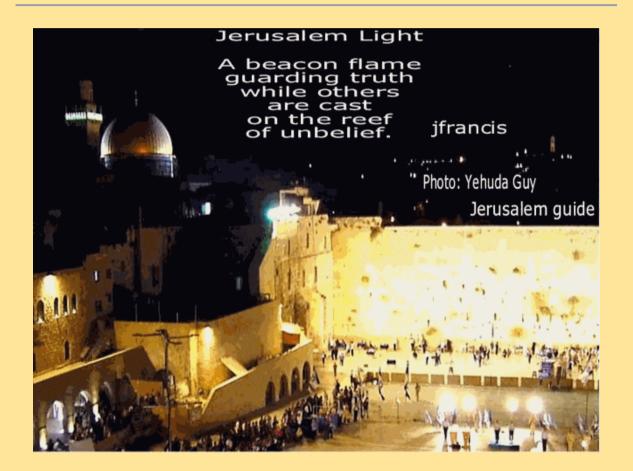
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The Giant Katz (IAF Major Aharon "Areleh" Katz)

Often man's stature increases with death, not so the giant Katz, his legend and life of equal greatness. Born of holocaust survivors,

he chose to serve. not to be served. Son. Husband. Father. Pilot/Navigator. Jew. With humble strength he stood above his peers setting an example few could touch, then dying in service to country. His last words as fouled chute increased his speed earthward, "Does anybody hear me?" The nation did. and still does. ©2002 jfrancishill flinttexas usa july 24, 2002

#### **Blind Truth**

Truth of Scripture written for man by the G-d of Abraham was given life and breath by the hand of Arab land. "Blessed are those who care for Israel, cursed are those who rage their hand against my land."

For those who serve little gods, the force of scripture is lost in the blindness of sin as they stagger in wander with the wealth of ages and failure of time to prove their way, so the Potter spins----one for honor another for destruction.

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# Elijah

The power of G-d in a man. Prophet of Tishbe. Enemy of Ahab, spoiler of Jezebel, destroyer of baal and his prophets. G-d's man for the time to an idolatrous people mixing true worship with paganism as the world today. ©2002 jfrancishill flinttexas usa august 4, 2002

#### Song of the Soil

The rocks and hills of Zion sing the land's perfect melody played on ##### of woodland and winds across the valley of Dan beyond wadis of hope. A song of the soil only for ears of lsrael and never heard in hearts of interlopers. A gift of G-d most high to the redeeming rain for purchase of life from the land eternal.

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#### The Shepherd Boy King

David, anointed by oil and Spirit, armed with sling and stone, served the flesh of Goliath and Philistine to bird and beast of Elah valley. Boy by age. Giant in spirit. He stood above all Israel understanding G-d's vision for the flock of his pasture.

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#### **Fear and Wisdom**

Has not the G-d of our fathers authored wisdom and wed it to fear for many offspring? Should we not sit with wise men and dine on the succulent flavor of his favor? Is not the fear of the L-rd a guarding angel for those who know right and set their face to the flint of obedience? A bag of many shekels stir the heart. but wisdom is it's own reward with a still small voice in the night.

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#### Choose You This Day .....

Can a nation divided, long stand? Who can bind the wound and pour oil? Should patient serve physician? Or the dead bury our living? Or a woman ransom the pious?

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# The Lady of Our Light

Her flame burns high from a passion for light filling earth with hope of truth to set free those who love Lady Liberty.

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### Judaism

Inspiration provided by a Rabbi's visit to American hospitals where clergy of all faith minister to the sick and injured.

The pains of our heart are soothed by the streams of Judaism as good Rabbis whisper words of hope and blessing at the pillows of hopelessness where steams of healing ebb and flow to deep lakes of smooth water in peaceful tranquility, renewing the spirit/body.

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# **Bethlehem Still**

Gone are the guns and garb of war. Left, vacancies of Arab occupation: silent streets filled with silent time. Still and real; that night with light and praise Jesus gave creation the Potter's spin.

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# **Gethsemane's Caretaker**

shaded the footprints of Jesus, sheltered his prayers covered his disciples in slumber guarded the ages, now waits for his return where they shared stars as he nourished Gethsemane's soil with the lifeblood of his agony.

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# **Golden Is The Gate**

that was sealed by prophecy

with mortar and Arab fear. It is through this gate the rising Son of destruction will visit his enemies.

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## **Their World**

Children bring their load of delight to our world putting life on hold, with free smiles wrapped in childhood wiles and pieces of wonder stolen from Aliceland.

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