

New IDF Chief Issues Dire Warning: 2025 to Be a Year of War

There's a weight in the air, a sense that something big is coming. Israel is on the brink of a defining moment, and it's not just military strategists who are paying attention—people of faith around the world are watching closely.

Incoming IDF Chief of Staff Lt. Gen. Eyal Zamir has made it clear: war is on the horizon. The focus will be on Gaza and Iran, but other threats aren't being ignored. His leadership is setting a new tone—one of "victory" rather than mere deterrence.

Bringing home the hostages taken by Hamas is also a priority, though there's no word yet on specific policy changes.

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At the same time, Zamir is shaking things up in the IDF, breaking apart the Strategy and Iran Command and integrating its responsibilities into other units. While the reasoning behind this move isn't entirely clear, one thing is certain—the IDF is rapidly adapting to the evolving threats from Iran, particularly its nuclear ambitions.

Zamir has also ordered a full review of the IDF's failures on Oct. 7, 2023, vowing full cooperation with outside probes. Unlike his predecessor, who clashed with oversight authorities, Zamir seems willing to face scrutiny head-on. On top of that, he's expanding Israel's military capabilities, adding a new tank division and possibly a new infantry division to strengthen the northern front. The message is loud and clear: Israel is gearing up for major conflict.

The Third Temple and the Spiritual Battle

But beyond the military strategy, something else is happening—something deeply symbolic. When Zamir visited the Western Wall, he didn't just pray for Israel's defense. He wrote his prayer on paper featuring an image of the Third Temple, ending with the words, "From Zion, the Torah shall go forth."

This isn't just a passing reference.