

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910464958703321
Autore	Dana Nissim
Titolo	The Struggle for Jerusalem and the Holy Land : A New Inquiry into the Qur'an and Classic Islamic Sources on the People of Israel, their Torah, and their links to the Holy Land // Nissim Dana
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Boston, MA : , : Academic Studies Press, , [2014] ©2014
ISBN	1-61811-380-1
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (262 p.)
Collana	Israel : Society, Culture, and History
Disciplina	296.397
Soggetti	Islam - Relations - Judaism Judaism - Relations - Islam Quran - Criticism, interpretation, etc Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di contenuto	Front matter -- Contents -- List of Figures -- Foreword -- Part One: Status of the Holy Land, Jerusalem, and the Temple Mount according to the Qur'an and Its Exegetes -- Part Two: The Bible and the Qur'an -- Part Three: The Qur'an's Approach to "The People of the Book" (Ahl al-Kitab) -- Bibliography -- Indices -- Abstract in Arabic
Sommario/riassunto	In recent generations, the Muslim and Arab world has been suffused with publications on the subject of the People of Israel, its Torah, and this people's affinity to the Land of Israel. Most of these publications are tendentious, written with a hostile attitude toward Jews and Judaism; indeed, some of them are tainted with antisemitism. The Qur'an, the Holy Scripture of the Muslims, also deals with the question of the status of Eretz Israel, the Land of Israel. Many of its exegetes, following in the tracks of Islam's holy book, have done so as well. Somewhat surprisingly, perhaps, these Islamic sources express an approach asserting that this land is promised exclusively to the People of Israel. This book explores these sources and discusses them in light of the recent developments.

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910463957403321
Autore	Ganor Boaz
Titolo	Global alert : the rationality of modern Islamist terrorism and the challenge to the liberal democratic world // Boaz Ganor
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York : , : Columbia University Press, , [2015] ©2015
ISBN	0-231-53891-X
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (218 pages) : illustrations
Collana	Columbia studies in terrorism and irregular warfare
Disciplina	363.325
Soggetti	Terrorism - Islamic countries Terrorism - Religious aspects - Islam Terrorism - Prevention Electronic books.
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Front matter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Introduction -- 1. INTRODUCTION TO MULTIDIMENSIONAL WARFARE -- 2. THE CHALLENGES AND DILEMMAS FACED BY LIBERAL DEMOCRACIES COPING WITH MODERN ISLAMIST TERRORISM -- 3. THE PROPORTIONALITY DILEMMA IN COUNTERING TERRORISM -- 4. STATE INVOLVEMENT IN TERRORISM -- 5. THE HYBRID TERRORIST ORGANIZATION -- 6. IS LIBERAL DEMOCRACY THE SOLUTION TO TERRORISM-OR IS IT PART OF THE PROBLEM? -- 7. THE RATIONALE OF MODERN ISLAMIST TERRORISM -- 8. THE PRACTICAL ASPECTS OF AN ISLAMIST TERRORIST ORGANIZATION'S RATIONALE -- 9. UNDERSTANDING THE RATIONALE BEHIND DIFFERENT TYPES OF TERRORIST ATTACKS -- 10. THE RATIONALE OF THE MODERN ISLAMIST TERRORIST ORGANIZATION: -- 11. CONCLUSION -- Notes -- Selected Bibliography -- Index
Sommario/riassunto	Many associate terrorism with irrational behavior and believe only lunatics could perpetuate such horrific acts. Global Alert debunks this myth by anatomizing the rationale behind modern terrorism. It draws a distinct picture of its root and instrumental causes and plots the different stages of a terrorist attack, from indoctrination and recruitment to planning, preparation, and launch. Global Alert also

exposes the measured exploitation of democratic institutions by terrorists to further their goals. Despite its strong capabilities and extensive resources, the modern liberal-democratic state is nevertheless subject to the rules of war, which partially restrict the state's ability to operate and maneuver. Boaz Ganor shows how terrorist organizations exploit these values to paralyze or neutralize the states they oppose. In outlining this new "hybrid" terrorist organization and its activity in both the military-terrorist arena and the political-welfare arena, Ganor advances an international doctrine for governing military operations between state and nonstate actors as part of a new type of armed conflict termed "multidimensional warfare."

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Autore	Cohn Scotti <1950->
Titolo	Beyond their years : stories of sixteen Civil War children // Scotti Cohn
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ISBN	1-4930-1758-6
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (169 p.)
Disciplina	973.70835
Soggetti	Children - United States - History - 19th century Teenagers - United States - History - 19th century United States History Civil War, 1861-1865 Participation, Juvenile United States History Civil War, 1861-1865 Children
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Part I. Union -- The natural and accepted order of existence?: Jesse Root Grant -- "Sojer boy, will you marry me?": Maggie Campbell -- And then the trouble began: Edwin Fitzgerald (Foy) -- A drop of blood for every tear: Ella Sheppard -- Little red cap: Ransom Powell -- "I can and shall never forget": Susie Baker King -- Bound to go: Elisha Stockwell Jr. -- A straw to hold: John Henry Crowder -- Part II. Confederate -- "I wanted to fight to music": Opie Percival Read -- Little rebel: Rose

Greenhow -- Flashes of bursting bombs: Eliza Lord -- "We cannot win":
Anne Augusta Banister -- Young in the ghastly game: John Sergeant
Wise -- The light in the window: Sallie LeConte -- A perfect sheet of
bullets: Albert Butler Blocker -- Want of leadership: William H.S.
Burgwyn.

Sommario/riassunto

Sometimes a war's greatest heroes are its survivors, those who manage to forge new lives despite the tragedy they have experienced. For the sixteen unsung heroes profiled in *Beyond Their Years*, surviving also meant surrendering their childhood. These children found themselves on the edge of the fray - both in combat and in the throes of daily life - helping, or simply enduring, as best their interrupted youths allowed. Their behind-the-scenes stories illustrate what it was really like for children during the Civil War.
