

# TERRORISTS, PAYED BY LIBYA, WERE CAPTURED AFTER KILLING 4 IN TURKEY

TEL AVIV (WNS) -- Four persons were killed and at least 24 injured when terrorists attacked passengers waiting to board a Tel Aviv-bound El Al Boeing 707 at the Istanbul Airport.

The two terrorists were captured after a gun fight with Turkish police. The terrorist attack came minutes before the last group of passengers were about to board an airport bus to take them from the departure lounge to the waiting El Al plane some distance away on the runway. Eighty-two passengers were already aboard the plane when the terrorists opened fire. The slain passengers were Dr. Harold Wallace Rosenthal, 29, an assistant to Sen. Jacob K. Javits (R.N.Y.), who was going to Israel to participate in an academic seminar at Jerusalem's Van Leer Institute; Yakao Hiramio, a Japanese tour guide who was leading 10 Japanese tourists on a trip to Israel, and two Israelis, Shlomo Weisbach of Haifa, an Israeli tour guide, and Ernest Eliash of Petach Tikvah.

Fourteen of the wounded were in serious condition and were taken to hospitals in Istanbul. The other less seriously injured were flown back to Tel Aviv. Among the injured were two Turkish Policemen and an Israeli security officer. Many of the injured were hit by fragments from the grenades and shattered window panes.

The two captured killers were identified by Turkish police as Mohamed Mehdi and Mohamed Hussein al-Rashid, who admitted they were members of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine led by George Habash that they they were in the pay of Libya. The two were traveling with false Kuwaiti passports.

From information by passengers who returned to Ben Gurion airport; Yaakov Roman, the captain of the El Al plane; Ephraim Mazor, the Israeli Vice-Consul in Istanbul who was at the airport when the attack occurred; the governor of Istanbul and a representative of the Turkish Ministry of Justice who were at the airport, it was apparent the terrorist attack was not a hijacking attempt but an effort to kill or capture as hostages as many of the passengers as possible in retaliation for the Israeli rescue of more than 100 hostages held by terrorists at Uganda's Entebbe Airport.

There were conflicting stories of how the terrorists arrived in Istanbul. The one considered the most authentic was that they went

to Rome from Libya and then took an Alitalia plane to Istanbul where they remained in transit, thus having access to the departing passengers lounge. They apparently waited in the lounge for the El Al passengers.

Israel is expected to ask for the extradition of the two captured terrorists. Yaacobi told reporters at Ben Gurion Airport that the attack was a continuation of the terrorist war against Israel. He said this was further proof that Israel's national airline must be on constant alert for terrorists. He said that since the hijacking of the Air France plane Israel has taken extra special security measures. But, he noted, the world still has not grasped the meaning of air piracy and terrorism.

Premier Yitzhak Rabin, addressing an anti-terrorist unit of the border patrol, compared the attack in Istanbul with the attack in Athens airport last year of passengers on a Trans World Airline plane. Rabin said he is certain that Arab terrorists will continue such murderous assaults, especially since they have the support of some Arab countries, plus the "laziness and lack of action" against them by other countries.

In Washington, Javits called the killing of his aide and the other El Al passengers "a stunning, awful and senseless tragedy." He said that "Hal was a victim of a spreading vicious insanity that must be stamped out if we are to maintain a civilized world." He added that the terrorist attack "is a bitter irony for me because I have worked for years in the attempt to achieve international agreement that would restrain those nations that harbor terrorists." Rosenthal had been on Javits' staff for six months and had earlier been a legislative assistant to Sen. Walter Mondale (D. Minn.) and New York Gov. Hugh Carey when he was a Congressman.

The State Department condemned the attack and expressed its sympathy over Rosenthal's death. It said that it hoped the "savagery" on the El Al plane and the hijacking of the Air France plane to Uganda would "prod leaders of the world into taking positive action on the question of terrorism." A Department spokesman said the U.S. will lend full support to proposals to counter terrorism initiated by West Germany.

NEW YORK -- The North American Jewish Youth Council announces the election of Marcy Rosenbaum as its chairwoman for year.

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 In the Eighth Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Clark  
**CARRIE M. JENKINS,**  
 Plaintiff  
 vs  
**TOMMIE JENKINS**  
 Defendant  
 No. A157772  
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 You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon ROBERT L. REID, ESQ., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 846 E. Sahara Ave., Suite 2, Las Vegas, Nevada 89105 an answer to the

Complaint which is herewith served upon you, within 20 days after service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.  
 This action is brought to recover a judgment dissolving the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between the Plaintiff and Defendant, as more fully appears on the Complaint on file herein.  
 LORETTA BOWMAN,  
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