

Palestine : a case of failing of the world's conscience

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1) Introduction

Thesis Statement :-

The anemic response of the world towards Zionist state's atrocities is an indictment of ~~their~~^{its} failing conscience. The state of Palestine presents a clear case of world's failing conscience where realpolitik triumphs over sympathy and apathy shadows over concern for Palestine. While Palestine suffers, the world stays immersed in power politics often colluding with the oppressors themselves.

2) A look at the atrocities being committed in Palestine

3) Manifestations of failing world conscience with respect to Palestine

a) ICJ's amnesiac response to war in Gaza

Case in Point :- December, 2025 verdict in South Africa vs. Israel case

b) USA's excessive use of veto in UNSC

Case in point: 6 Vetoes since October, 2023

c) Slashing down development aid to Gaza
Case in point: Hungary's decision to block aid.

d) Accepting Palestinian statehood only to calm down enraged civil society

Case in point: Keir Starmer's explanation regarding UK's decision to recognize Palestine

e) Pakistan's toned down rhetoric on Gaza conflict

Case in point :- Pakistan could enrage US authorities (Michael Kugelman)

f) Display of cognitive dissonance by media

Case in point: Views of American producer Jamie Lee Curtis

g) GCC countries' support for Trump's biased peace plan

Case in point :- Statement released by Saudi Press Agency on 9th October, 2025

h) Criticizing the oppressed instead of the one doing the oppressing

Case in point :- Statements of Bahrain and UAE after October, 2023

4) Causes behind the failure of world's conscience on Palestine issue

a) Abandonment of Islamic ideology of brotherhood

b) Pursuing selfish state-centric gains

Case in point: Bahrain's collaboration with Israel

c) focusing on settling personal scores

Case in point :- KSA wanting to obliterate
Iran-backed proxies in Middle East

5) What the world should do to
elicit a conscience-based moral
response:

a) OIC should develop a collective
response against Israel and its supporters

b) International community should hold
world leaders responsible

c) Guiding the brainwashed states/individuals

6) Conclusion 