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Question on Palestine Issue:

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Introduction: The history of the Palestine is depressed. The land of the Palestine was previously for the Palestinians only but later Britishers mandate has provided 55% of the land to Israelis. It has resulted in many wars such as Arab revolt, the Six day war and Yom Kippur war, which ultimately resulted in Oslo Accords and Camp David Accords. But no such accord has provided complete peace in the territory of Palestine. The recent blockade in Gaza has further escalated the situation. It results in thousands of deaths, injured and huge infrastructural damage. Donald Trump has presented recently 20 points for the peace in Gaza.

1. Historical analysis of the Palestine Issue:

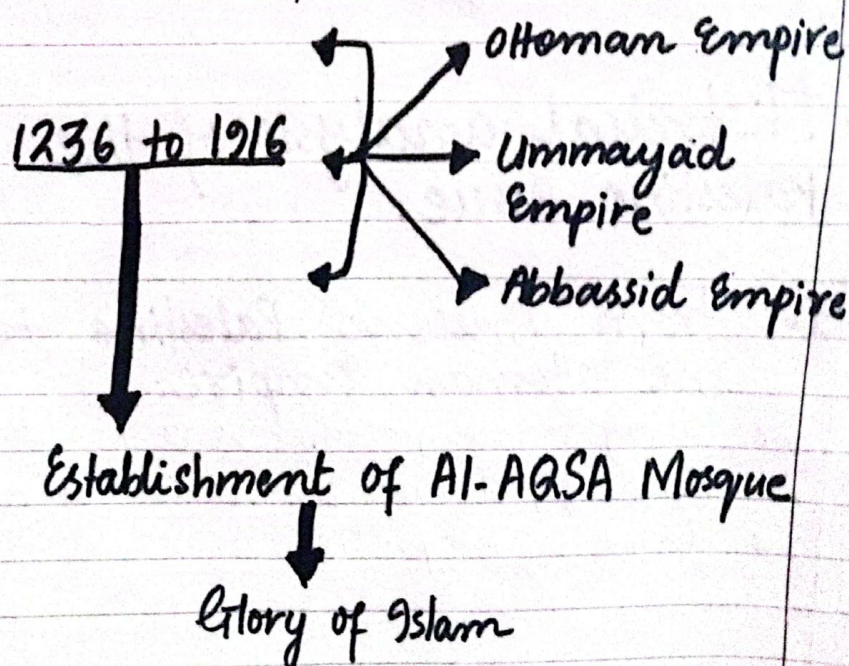
1.1 From Ancient Palestine to the Ottoman Empire:

The history of the Palestine is very old. The land of Palestine is also known as the land of prophets.

- **1200 BCE:** Jewish started to settle in the land of Palestinians; and they started to built the first temple in the Jerusalem.
- **586 BCE:** Babylonians had conquered the land and they destroyed the temple which was previously built by Jewish settlers.
- **70 CE:** Romans had conquered the land and they destroyed another temple in the Palestinian state.

1.2: Islamic Rule and the rise of Ottoman Empire:

- **1236 to 1916:** This was the period of the glory of the Islam. This was the period in which Hazrat Umar conquered Palestine land and established the control of the Muslim Empire.



2. The British Mandate and the Settlement of Jews on the territory of muslim State palestine.

2.1) The Balfourd declaration:

During world war I, British officer sir Balfourd had passed Declaration which was known as the Balfourd Declaration. According to this declaration Jews can settle over the territory of palestine.

2.2) settlement of Jews over the palestinian territory and started purchasing lands.

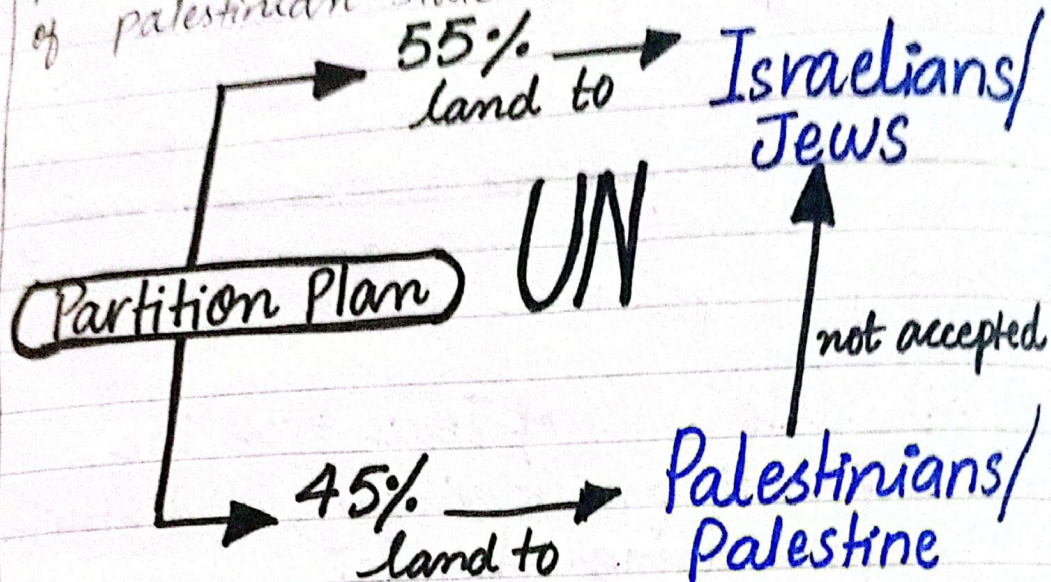
Huge mass of Jews came from Germany; because of rise of Nazi in Germany and they started settling over the territory of palestine. They started purchasing lands and displaing palestinians.

2.3) Arab-Jews revolt: Arab palestinians started revolt against Jews:

Arab palestinians started revolt against the Jews which not only purchasing their lands but also displaing innocent palestinians from their lands. This has resulted alot of Killings and injured personnels.

2.4) The United Nation Partition Plan (1948-1949):

The United Nations Secretary General has presented the partition plan for the partition of Palestinian state into two states:



2.5) Creation of Israel and the first Arab Israel war:

Israeli state was created but there were number of states which were unhappy for Palestinians. Therefore, those states started war against Israel. Those five countries were: Egypt, Jordan, Syria, Iraq and Lebanon.

Israel got victory in war and expanded to 78%. In this war,

Egypt → occupied Gaza
Jordan → west Bank
Palestinians → stateless

2.6) The Six day war:

Israel in retaliation started war against Egypt, Jordan and Syria. In this six day war Israel captured west Bank from Jordan, Gaza from Egypt and Sinai peninsula from Egypt and Golan heights from Syria.

2.7) The Yom Kippur war and the Dovud Auords:

Egypt, Jordan and Syria they started war against Israel for their lost territory. Resultantly, Peace talks started between Egypt, Jordan, Syria and Israel which were known as Dovud Auords. Egypt got back Sinai peninsula.

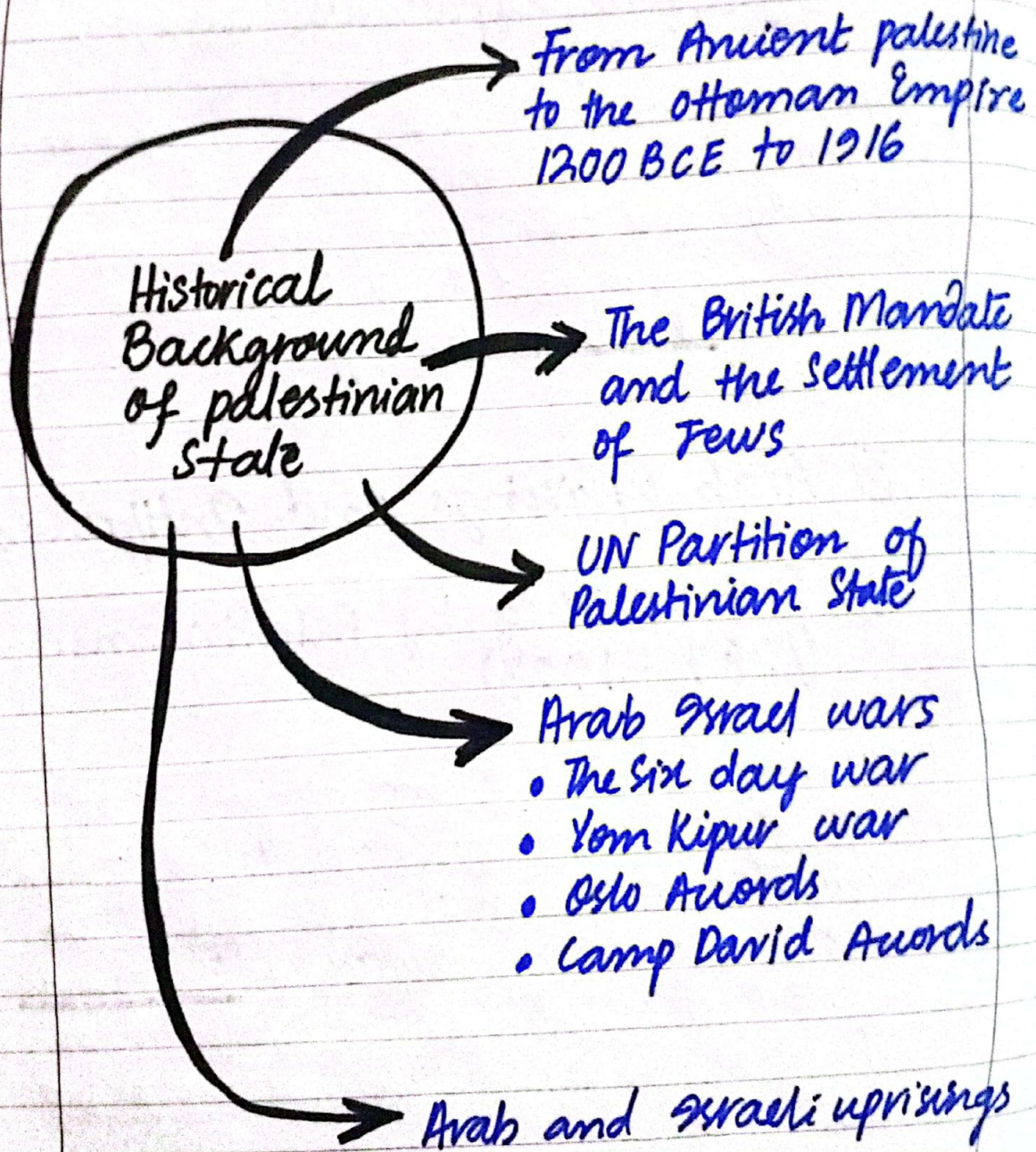
3) Arab uprisings and Intifadas:

3.1) First uprising by Palestinians: (1987 - 1993)

Palestinians started uprising against Israelis. Resultantly, negotiations were started between Palestinians and Israelis. The peace talks between them had resulted in Oslo Auords. In Oslo Auords, Israelis and Palestinian liberation organization has recognized each other.

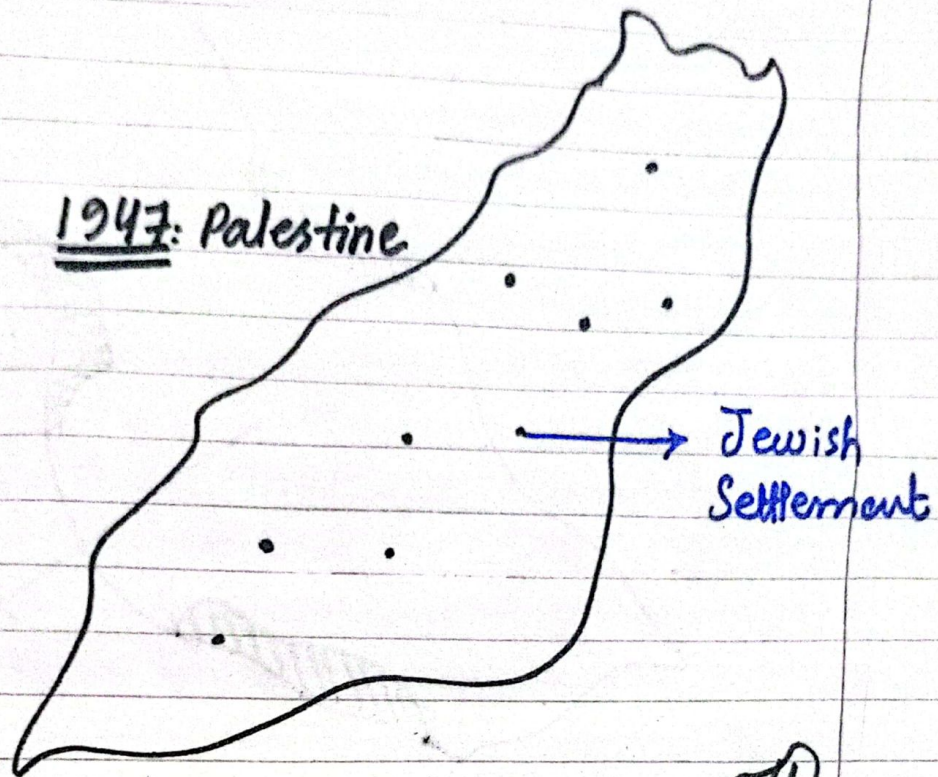
3.2) Second uprising (2000-2005)

The second uprising was initiated by maelis when King Ariel Sharon in 2000 visited Al Aqsa mosque and killed 4000 palestinians. Resultantly, Israel reoccupied west Bank and construct the wall over the west Bank.

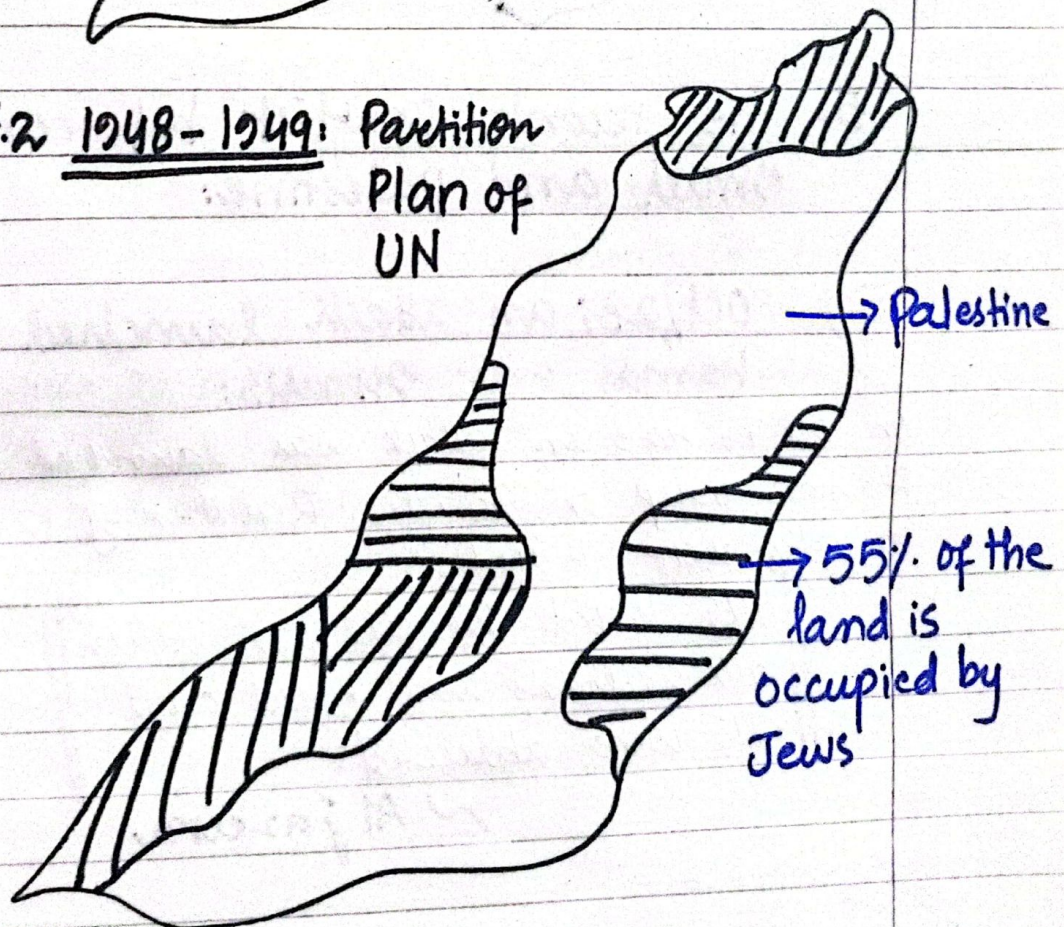


4. Palestinian State : From 1947 to Present:

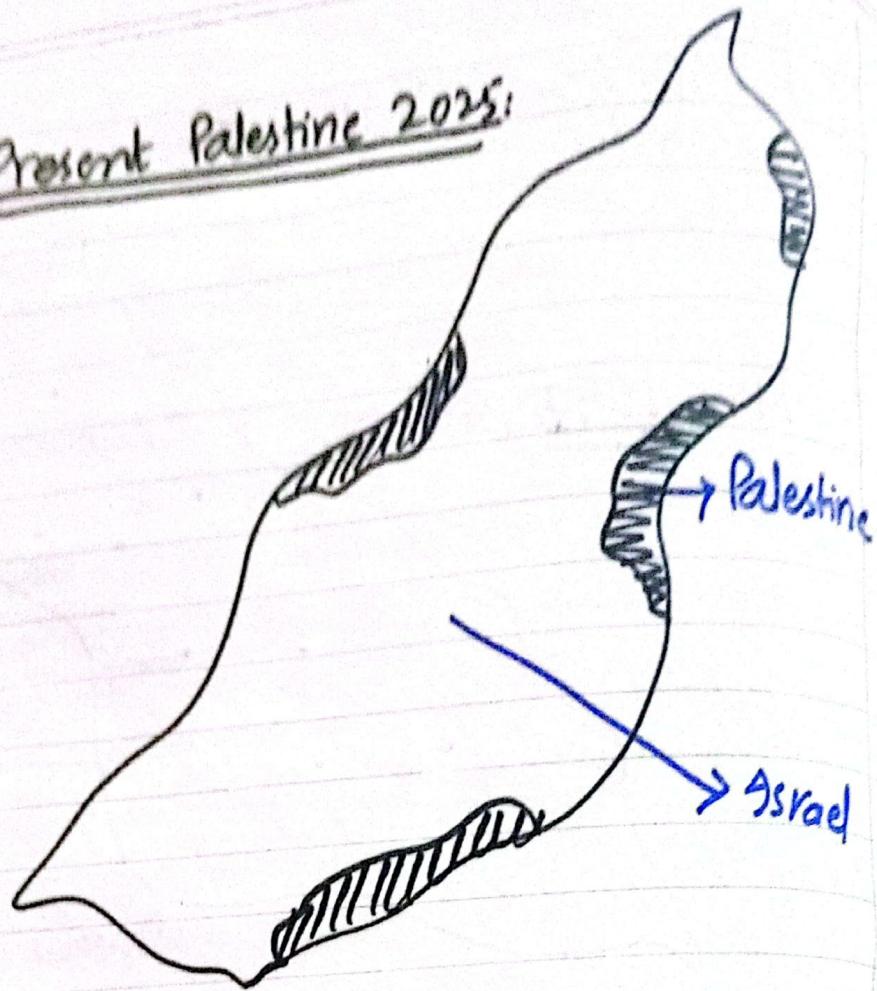
4.1 1947: Palestine



4.2 1948-1949: Partition Plan of UN



4.3 Present Palestine 2025:



5. The recent conflict between Israel and Palestine:

5.1) Oct 7, 23; an attack launched by Hamas over Israelis:

On Oct 7, 2023 an attack was launched by Hamas group on Israelis. Resultantly 1200 Israelis were killed.

1195 killed Israelis; in which
815 civilians were killed and
215 were abducted.

~ Al Jazeera

5.2) In retaliation Israel has launched an attack on Palestinians: Heavy Bombardments:

Israel has launched an attack on Palestinians. This attack was continued by Israel from October 2023 till date. In which many Palestinians: childrens, women, civilians were killed and injured and abducted.

5.3) Infrastructural damage and Humanitarian loss:

More than 60% of the buildings including hospitals, universities, schools, colleges, and homes have been destroyed in Palestine. More than 245,000 homes have been destroyed.

~ United Nations

According to UN, more than 60% of the infrastructure of Palestine has been damaged.

During first four months of the war, more than \$18.5 billion damage has occurred.

~ World Bank

6. International Reactions and Response on Israel and Palestinian Casualties:

6.1 A ceasefire was presented by Donald Trump on January 19, 2025.

A ceasefire was presented by the American president Donald Trump. This ceasefire consist of three phase. This ceasefire was known as "The immediate peace in the middle East."

6.1.1) Three phases of the ceasefire:

- Release of hostages
 - Stop attacks
 - Reconstruction
- Three Phases of Ceasefire

6.1.2) Trump has announced that for reconstruction of Palestinian state: they must migrated to Egypt, Syria and Jordan:

- **Egypt's response:** Egypt has rejected the refugee plan.
- **Jordan's response:** Jordan has also rejected the refugee plan.

• **Saudi Arabia's reaction:** By placing more than 2 million refugees to Jordan, Israel and Syria is against the human rights.

6.1.3) The ceasefire plan therefore was not implemented and it was rejected:

The ceasefire plan was therefore not implemented and it was rejected by most of the countries like Jordan, Egypt and Saudi Arabia.

7) The recent Trump's 20 Point peace plan in Gaza:

Donald Trump has recently announced a 20 point peace plan for Israel and Palestine in the month of September 2025.

7.1) Immediate Cessation of hostilities:

- Both of the parties that is Israel and Gaza must agree for ceasefire
- Israel must release all of the hostages of Gaza; same for Gaza to release Israel hostages.

- For every Israeli hostage that is released; 12 Palestinian hostages will be released.
- All hostages will be released within 72 hours.

7.2) Governance and oversight:

- Governance temporary run by Palestinian Technocratic Committee.
- This committee shall be run by International Board of Peace.
- Gaza will remain non-annexed.
- Hamas may not start any violence.

7.3) Humanitarian aid and Reconstruction:

- Humanitarian aid will be supplied by an International body such as United Nations.
- International funding will be provided for reconstruction.
- Full humanitarian aid flows for electricity, water and hospitals.
- Special Economic Zone is established for the trade.

7.3) Security forces and Borders:

- creation of International Stabilisation Force (ISF)
- ISF's work is to train police officers.

- to withdraw all the Israeli forces.
- Goal is to provide security to borders and the individuals.

Conclusion: The history of Palestine is very much awful for the Palestinians. The UN partition plan has given much of the land to Israelis and less to Palestinians. It resulted in wars and Agreements. But no any Agreement has provided complete peace in the Gaza. After Oct 7, 2023 there were huge casualties and infrastructural damage that has been seen in the Palestinian territory. The recent 20 points were given by Donald Trump to establish peace in Gaza.