

Why support Israel?



Israel is the only liberal democracy in the Middle East. It has complete freedom of religion, a diverse demography (20% of the population are Arab), equality of rights for all. It is the only country in the Middle East to recognise same-sex unions (hundreds of gay Palestinians find sanctuary in Israel).



There are 27 countries where Islam is the official religion and 26 Christian ones. Why oppose the world's only Jewish state?



In proportion to its population, Israel has the largest number of startup companies in the world. In absolute terms, Israel has more startups (3,500) than any other country except the US.



Throughout Israel's history its doctors, scientists and researchers have produced countless medical advances. After America it has the most medical patents in the world per capita and its innovations have saved the lives of millions.



Israel made the desert bloom, in fact it was the only country to enter the 21st century with more trees grown than cut down. It is a pioneer of eco-technology.



Israel invents things that make the world better. The mobile phone was developed in Israel, the USB flash drive was invented in Israel, as was the PillCam (the first pill that is swallowed to record images of the digestive tract), they even have an invention that turns air into water. There are literally thousands of products we regularly encounter that were invented in Israel.

