

And now I have been privileged to witness it.

Then as now, the President's words were stirring.

Yet today, 54 years later, we must ask haunting, terrible questions: Israel is still fighting the Six Day War, in a different type of war, at least in the West Bank, in Judea and Samaria.

And the city of Jerusalem, which once had a physical Wall in its heart – to quote Nomi Shemer, who composed Jerusalem of Gold but weeks before the War – dividing Arab and Jew.

Jerusalem now has a spiritual wall more deeply dividing Arab from Jew and Jew from Arab. And one wonders when will Jerusalem be unified? Can Jerusalem be a united city?



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