

ראש הממשלה
THE PRIME MINISTER

Jerusalem,

November 23, 1990.
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Dear Prime Minister,

I appreciate your message of 22 November informing me of your decision that morning to step down as Prime Minister. We learnt the news with sadness and regret.

During your long term as Prime Minister you emerged as an outstanding and inspiring national leader with great international influence. You earned the respect and admiration not only of your own people, but of many around the world, including the citizens of Israel, who admire your adherence to principle, and your pursuit of your goals with perseverance and tenacity.

Under your leadership Britain's relationship with Israel was improved and strengthened, especially in the growing trade between the two countries. We recall with pleasure the visit you paid to us during your term of office.

I appreciate the cordial personal relationship and cooperation between us during your Premiership.

I extend to you and your husband my wife's and my best wishes for good health, happiness and success in the years ahead.

Sincerely,


Yitzhak Shamir

The Right Honorable
Mrs. Margaret Thatcher
Prime Minister
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Dear Mrs Thatcher,

I write to extend
to you and to Mr. Thatcher my
sincere best wishes at this time
of decision as you step down from
high office. As Israel's ambassador to
London until a few years ago I
had the privilege of knowing you
and it is an acquaintance I shall
forever cherish. Your fans in Israel are