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### **In the Bleak Midwinter**

In the bleak midwinter  
Refugees made moan  
Netanyahu stood like iron  
Trump was like a stone  
Tanks were rolling, tank  
on tank,  
Tank on tank  
Through the camps of  
Gaza And the West Bank

How can we stop it  
Israel's cruelty?  
Silence of the nations  
Allows it to be.  
Where is there a wise  
man  
Who could do his part?  
Tell the world to stop it  
With its heart.

### **Once in Royal David's City**

Once in royal David's city  
Stood a big apartheid  
wall:

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People entering and  
leaving  
Had to pass a checkpoint  
hall.  
Bethlehem is  
strangulated,  
And her children  
segregated.

Though this City is a  
symbol  
To the world of peace  
and love,  
Concrete walls have  
closed around her,  
Settlements expand  
above.  
And apartheid Israel  
stands  
All around on stolen  
lands.

David's people once  
instructed  
All the world in  
righteousness:  
Once they spoke of truth  
and justice,  
Israel's leaders now  
oppress.

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### **Away In Ramallah**

Away in Ramallah, no  
books on the shelf  
The young Palestinian  
tries to learn by herself  
Imprisoned by curfew,  
they've closed all the  
schools  
How can children grow  
up under Israeli rule  
Prevented from  
harvesting crops from  
their land  
The olives and dates left  
to rot in the sand  
Settlers take to the  
hilltops, take the water  
supplies  
Farmer can't feed his  
livestock so his livelihood  
dies.

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Each mother awakes,  
wond'ring who will be  
gone  
A friend or a neighbour,  
maybe daughter or son.  
The pressure of curfews,  
on the mind takes its toll  
This cruel occupation  
eats away at the soul.

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## **O Come All Ye Faithful**

O come all ye faithful  
Those who care for  
justice,  
O look ye, o look ye at  
Bethlehem.

Come and behold it,  
Under occupation.  
O come let's not ignore it.  
O come let's not ignore it  
O come let's not ignore it  
—  
Tell the world.

Sing all ye people  
Sing in indignation  
Be with the citizens of  
Bethlehem.

Sing out for justice,  
Freedom from  
oppression.  
O come let's not ignore it,  
O come let's not ignore it,  
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Tell the world.

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## **The Olive and the Army**

The olive and the army  
When they are both full-  
grown,  
Every olive tree on the  
West Bank  
The IDF cuts down.

O the rampaging of  
settlers  
And the rolling of the  
tanks;  
The grinding of the  
bulldozers  
As the olives fall in ranks.

The olive bears a berry  
As green as any grass;  
When the owners go to  
pick the fruit  
They're not allowed to  
pass.

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settlers  
And the rolling of the  
tanks;  
The grinding of the  
bulldozers  
As the olives fall in ranks.

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## **The Twelve Days of Christmas.**

On the first day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
An uprooted olive tree.

On the second day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Two trampled doves  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

On the third day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Three trench guns,  
Two trampled doves,  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

On the fourth day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Four falling bombs,  
Three trench guns,  
Two trampled doves,  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

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On the fifth day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Five settlement rings.  
Four falling bombs,  
Three trench guns,  
Two trampled doves,  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

On the sixth day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Six tanks a-rolling,  
Five settlement rings.  
Four falling bombs,  
Three trench guns,  
Two trampled doves,  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

On the seventh day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Seven checkpoints  
blocking,  
Six tanks a-rolling,  
Five settlement rings.  
Four falling bombs,  
Three trench guns,

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Two trampled doves,  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

On the eighth day of  
Christmas  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Eight gunships firing,  
Seven checkpoints  
blocking,  
Six tanks a-rolling,  
Five settlement rings.  
Four falling bombs,  
Three trench guns,  
Two trampled doves,  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

On the ninth day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Nine sniper towers,  
Eight gunships firing,  
Seven checkpoints  
blocking,  
Six tanks a-rolling,  
Five settlement rings.  
Four falling bombs,  
Three trench guns,  
Two trampled doves,  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

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On the tenth day of  
Christmas  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Ten wells obstructed,  
Nine sniper towers,  
Eight gunships firing,  
Seven checkpoints  
blocking,  
Six tanks a-rolling,  
Five settlement rings.  
Four falling bombs,  
Three trench guns,  
Two trampled doves,  
And an uprooted olive  
tree.

On the eleventh day of  
Christmas,  
Netanyahu sent to me  
Eleven homes  
demolished,  
Ten wells obstructed,  
Nine sniper towers,  
Eight gunships firing,  
Seven checkpoints  
blocking,  
Six tanks a-rolling,  
Five settlement rings,  
Four falling bombs,  
Three trench guns,