

Labour



Centre-left party

■ **Leader:** Former Prime Minister *Ehud Barak*

■ **1968: Israeli Labour Party** founded. From 1969 to 1991 Labour is part of so-called **Alignment**

■ **1991:** Alignment formally merges into Labour, led by *Yitzhak Rabin*

■ **1999-2001:** Barak serves as prime minister. Takes part in **Camp David 2000 Summit** intended to finally resolve Israeli-Palestinian conflict, but which is ultimately unsuccessful

■ Supports negotiations with Palestinian Authority leading to creation of Palestinian state in West Bank and Gaza Strip. **Rejects right of return of Palestinian refugees.** Jerusalem will remain as Israel's capital, Judaism's sacred sites will remain under Israeli control