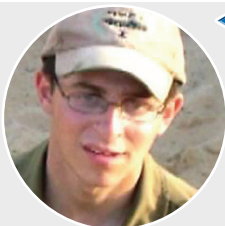


# Shalit prisoner swap gets underway

After months of secret negotiations by Israeli, Egyptian and German secret services, Hamas will release Israeli soldier Gilad Shalit in exchange for 477 Palestinian prisoners, followed by 550 others within two months



**Gilad Shalit:**  
Abducted by Hamas militants in June 2006 at age of 19



**Nael Barghouti:**  
Longest-serving Palestinian prisoner in Israel. Now 54, has served 33 years for killing Israeli near West Bank settlement in 1978



**Sami Younis:**  
Aged 79, Israel's oldest Palestinian prisoner



**Yehya al-Sinwar:**  
Most prominent of all prisoners to be released

**Amana Mona Jawad:**  
Palestinian given life sentence for using internet chatroom and promises of sex to lure 16-year-old Israeli to his death in January 2001



## Where the prisoners are headed

Returning to Gaza Strip	140
Israel	7
East Jerusalem	15
Jordan	1
West Bank	117
Deported to third countries, or if from West Bank, to Gaza Strip	197

## Mitzpe Hila: Shalit family home

**1 Tuesday:** Gilad Shalit to cross from Gaza Strip to Sinai at Rafah crossing point

**3** Shalit returns to Israel

**2** 27 women to be released from Ketziot prison

**4** 450 men released

