



Audience of 1,500 in Sanctuary listening to International Singers during Jerusalem Conference

JERUSALEM CONFERENCE IS GREAT SUCCESS

Jerusalem Conference, the third annual Israel Awareness Day to be observed at Faith Bible Chapel, was held Sunday, May 17, and was highly acclaimed by those attending. Jewish and non-Jewish guests filled the Sanctuary during the morning and evening meetings, and thousands viewed the exhibits and enjoyed the Israeli dancing and singing during the afternoon activities. The events of the entire day were varied and inspiring, giving evidence of the sincere love and support for Israel that dwells in the hearts of everyone involved.

The Conference began at 10 A.M. with a Morning Program in the Sanctuary featuring three prominent Jewish guest speakers. Rabbi Manuel Laderman, who is Rabbi Emeritus of the Hebrew Educational Alliance, was warmly received by the audience. His gentle sincerity endeared him to all. Brigadier General (Res.) Natke Nir, Chairman of the Asso-

ciation for Welfare of Soldiers in Israel, captivated the audience with stories of some of his personal wartime adventures. Mr. Benyamin Navon, Consul General of the Israeli Consulate in Los Angeles, brought a stirring update on current events in the Middle East which are effecting the stability and the balance of power in that area. The well-known International Singers and the Chapel Orchestra provided inspiring music as part of the Morning Program.

From 1:30 to 6:30 in the afternoon, a continuous flow of people streamed through the building, which had been transformed by the application of a "Jerusalem" decor by the Art Department. They viewed realistic models of buildings and scenes of Jerusalem, the evidence of several months of research and construction by individuals and by classes from Kindergarten through adult. Visitors marvelled at such replicas as the

Knesset, Shrine of the Book, Chagall Windows, Montefiore Windmill, the ancient Temple Area and others. They were also duly impressed by an Israeli Photograph Collection, Needlework and Art Display, Soviet Jewry Information Center, a splendid Israeli Defence Forces Exhibit, and a thought-provoking Holocaust Memorial Room.

The afternoon activities included Israeli dance performances by teams of dancers from various age groups and concerts by the International Singers and by children's choirs. There were also continuous showings of movies on Jerusalem, Soviet Jewry and the P.L.O. as well as puppet shows by junior high students depicting a Bar Mitzvah and a Shabbat celebration.

The Evening Program, beginning at 7 P.M., was launched by a dynamic 30-minute concert by the International

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**LET
JERUSALEM
COME INTO
YOUR MIND**

by Robert Hooley

The phrase, "... Let Jerusalem come into your mind." is found in Jeremiah 51:50. This phrase really exemplifies that which happened in the lives of some 5,000 people from the Denver metropolitan area who attended our recently-concluded Jerusalem Conference, our third annual day of Israel awareness.

I can't say enough about the outstanding commitment of the many who made this such a memorable event. For some it involved literally several months of work in preparing specific exhibits. One Denver rabbi wrote the following words: "...one of the most exceptional exhibits I have ever seen." By popular demand, the exhibits were held over for an extra weekend.

I am indeed grateful that so many people from varied religious backgrounds were willing to focus their attention



Bob and Carol Hooley with Gen. Natke Nir

together on one very important scriptural theme — JERUSALEM.

Similar Jerusalem Conferences were held simultaneously in other parts of the country, and we are pleased to receive many glowing reports of their very outstanding success.

"If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning. If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; if I prefer not Jerusalem above my chief joy" (Ps. 137:5-6).



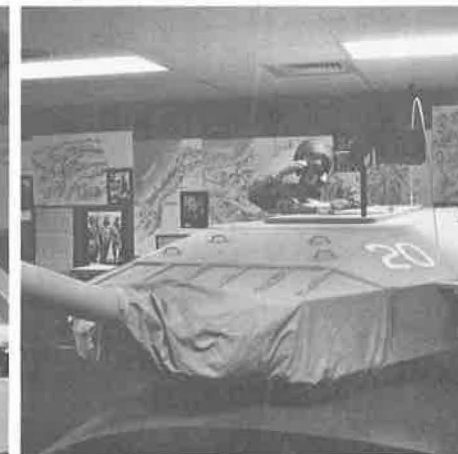
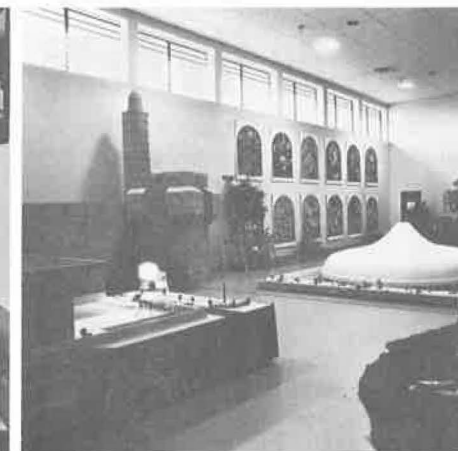
Rabbi Manuel Laderman, Hebrew Educational Alliance



Rabbi Steven Foster, Temple Emanuel



Gen. Nir with models of Israel jets; Knesset



Jerusalem buildings; Mock-up of Israeli tank



One of the dance groups performing an Israeli dance



Mr. Benyamin Navon, Consul General, Israeli Consulate in Los Angeles



Brig. Gen. (Ret.) Natke Nir, Chairman, Assn. for Welfare of Soldiers



International Singers performing American-Israel Medley on stage



Mr. Gideon Shomron, Consul, Advisor on Relations with the Churches



Israeli paratrooper about to land in Israeli Defence Forces Exhibit