

President Donald J. Trump
The White House
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Dear President Trump,

I founded and chaired the European Leadership Network (ELNET), the leading pro-Israel organization in France, for a dozen years. During my tenure at ELNET, the United States of America were run for eight years by your predecessor and for four years by you. At the beginning of his term, President Obama was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. Yet he had accomplished nothing of note. The final act of his mandate, in fact, was to engineer, through an abstention by the United States, the condemnation of Israel by the United Nations for the first time.

You began your mandate facing the rage of all the conventionally minded elites around the world. This rage, which has continued unabated throughout your presidency, has created an unprecedented climate of division. In spite of immense obstacles – and the opposition, active or passive of your fellow citizens and of many of your diplomatic allies, you are completing your first term having accomplished, through the Abraham Accords, what no one had even imagined, what no one even dreamed possible.

Through your vision, diplomacy and force of action, you did it -- and this accomplishment has astounded the world. Your singular contribution to the peace and prosperity of the peoples of the Near and Middle East has positive reverberations that continue to spread and that even the most bitter of skeptics cannot fail to appreciate.

Each new agreement is a scathing defeat for the advocates of hatred, death and fundamentalism. The European stupor in the face of your incredible diplomacy is an indication of a dismaying and pathetic situation. A stupor of those who live in the illusion of a past greatness, maintained by demagogues nourished by the abandonment of all the rules and principles that are the basis of leadership: vision, determination, resilience, the joy of combat, that is to say, victory.

The Abraham Accords are your fulfillment. Beyond the peoples directly concerned, they represent a total break with all the cautious, anxious and timid processes of all the diplomatic negotiations heretofore conducted. They have blazed a path, which you have opened, to an evolution towards a new world, one that evinces that the will, rightly exercised, can change everything, that determination can obtain everything.

Your detractors, in their hypocritical mediocrity, would only have been interested in your failure. Your success, however, put an abrupt end to their mendacity, as has happened to all great leaders in history. Before you, Churchill and de Gaulle were hailed as extraordinary and historic leaders. Yet you have achieved through diplomacy nothing less than they did – and certainly more than any of the so-called diplomats on the world stage in recent decades have.

The French painter George Braque said: "Those who go forward turn their backs on those who follow them. That is all that followers deserve. It is also what feeds their resentment!"

There are people in the world, Mr. President, who have seen what you have achieved, who have begun to measure its dimension, who know what its legacy and your legacy will be. I do not believe that what has been accomplished should stop, regardless of the electoral circumstances.

For 12 years, the European Leadership Network has been organizing strategic meetings in the fields of diplomacy and defense between the United States, Europe and Israel. I would like, Mr. President, if you were to accept, to do us the honor, perhaps in 2021, of chairing a Strategic Dialogue dedicated to the Abraham Accords. The world needs to hear your voice and vision.

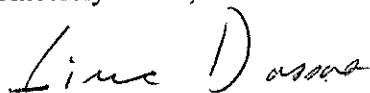
I wish you, Mr. President, and your family a very happy holiday season.

You have been the incarnation of what makes America great, what makes it a light among the Nations.

So, Mr. President, may God bless you, and may He bless America!

With high esteem, I remain,

Sincerely Yours,



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