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## (SF novel) East of Nakba

## Prologue (1)

## 001 Night Flight ME514 to the Middle East (1/3)



He saw one photo in the English magazine which was in the sheet pocket of business class. The flight ME514 was heading to the Middle East. It was in complete darkness outside the window. He couldn't see a single light on the ground. He wondered that the plane was flying over the jungle of the Malay Peninsula or in the middle of the Indian Ocean. Under the seat light, his watch showed that it took still more than a few hours to arrive the destination. Due to several glasses of whisky, his consciousness became a little hazy.

The main subject of the Middle Eastern magazines was always Israel and Palestine conflicts. He didn't have much interest in that subject as most businessmen did. He only saw photo and read its caption. It was a back view of three women who stood in front of iron fence.

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