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East of Nakba (21)

Part I. Israel bombs a nuclear plant in Iran

Chapter 21. Wandering three little birds (2)

"Mafia" was talkative. He talked all the time to forget the anxiety. He spent poor boyhood in rural Ukraine. His family emigrated to Israel in search of a new horizon when the Soviet Union collapsed. His parents struggled with the settlement allotted to them in the desert. When "Mafia" grew up, he joined the Air Force with the expectations of his family. He emerged as an excellent pilot. If he could return safely to base, he had to be honored with a medal and get promotion.

"Mafia" talked and talked. But he suddenly became silent when he said,
"If I could return safely ----".

"Abdullah" was silent all the time compared to other two pilots. Immediately after he left Iranian airspace, he began to feel sick. About two weeks ago, he visited his niece who was the daughter of his elder sister and had been hospitalized with a high fever. Then he himself had a low-grade fever. Fortunately, he was unnecessary to stay in bed. He didn't mention his phenomenon to his colleagues. He thought that if he disclosed his fever, he had to be removed from the members of the mission. He didn't want to lose the honor of being selected as one of three pilots.

"Abdullah" of Arab Mizurafim has been discriminated not only openly but also implicitly by Ashkenazi. As a result, many of his friends threw themselves into the radical organization like Hamas of Palestine. But he himself chose to live as an Israeli citizen.

"People had to live as a citizen because he could not choose a nation." So, he voluntarily joined with the army and dedicated his utmost efforts there. Finally, he was elected as a pilot with a national mission. He wanted to complete the mission at all costs.

"Abdullah" was still single. His parents have already died. His relatives were only one elder sister and her daughter Lulu. They had a strong ties each other. His niece Lulu loved "Abdullah" very much.



One day his sister called him that Lulu had a high fever a few weeks ago and Lulu was crying "I miss Abdullah!". He rushed to the hospital. Fortunately, the fever was over. He read a picture book to his niece who got up in bed. Lulu hugged his arm and listened happily.

Her mother warned to her;

"Lulu! If you stick your uncle so much, he will have a cold, too." But she didn't let go of his arms.

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