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East of Nakba (31)

Part I. Israel bombs a nuclear plant in Iran

Chapter 31. Rotating Star of David: The top of the formation dived into the sea (1)

Following "Mafia", "Abdullah" also left the formation. The "Elite" continued to fly straight over the Persian Gulf toward the Strait of Hormuz. Two jets of Israeli and U.S. Airforce were flying side by side. The "Elite" could clearly see the U.S. pilot in the cockpit.

U.S. Pilot sometimes look at and asked him with the sign of his thumb and index finger.

<How about? >

"Elite" replied with the same gesture.

<OK! >

<Where would I be taken? >

"Elite" was eager to ask the U.S. pilot where his two fellow pilots were going. He was most concerned about the safety of his colleagues because he was the leader of the mission. However, wireless conversation was prohibited. He realized that his fate was entrusted to the U.S. pilot. He had no choice but to let things slide, believing that he would return to his country with his colleagues.

The U.S. pilot looked "Elite" and sent him a sign. This time he pushed his thumb down and shook his fist up and down. It meant to be a signal to go downward. The U.S. jet accelerated a little to move in front of him and lowered its altitude.

Accordingly, "Elite" shifted downward position. The horizon, which had been visible in front of him, slid above the cockpit. He saw the entire view of Persian Gulf with the cobalt blue extended before him. The sea surface was calm with no waves. A tanker holding two huge spherical tanks sailed calmly in the sea. It was a LNG tanker ship that loaded liquified natural gas.

If two jets were heading to Qatar, it was probably already past the midpoint of the Persian Gulf. The fuel gauge showed almost zero. There was little time left.



Suddenly, a huge object that was several times larger than a LNG tanker appeared. The steel block blinking in silver stood up as if keeping off everything. It showed an overwhelming presence that threatened everything around. There were white and yellow straight lines on the deck diagonally across the ship. The bridge overlooking the deck rose like a pyramid. It was the nuclear-powered aircraft carrier "Harry S. Truman", a sea fortress that the United States was proud of. Israeli pilot saw the giant carrier for the first time.

"We arranged the rescue operation for you. Just lower the altitude and evacuate before the jet dive into the sea. A lifeboat will be dispatched immediately from that carrier."

As soon as the US pilot said so, he flipped the nose and flew away to Qatar.

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(From an ordinary citizen in the cloud)

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