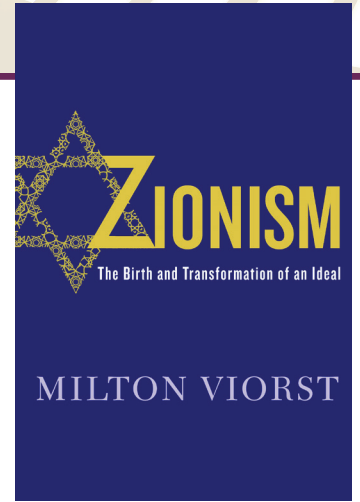


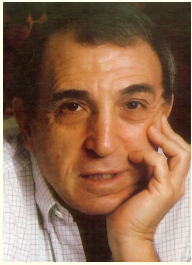
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MILTON VIORST
ZIONISM The Birth and Transformation of an Ideal



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MILTON VIORST served as the Middle East correspondent for The New Yorker and has written for the New York Times. In his new book, Viorst examines the evolution of Zionism, from its roots by serving as a cultural refuge for Europe's Jews, to the cover it provides today for Israel's exercise of control over millions of Arabs in occupied territories. He examines how

Zionism was born and follows its development through the lives and ideas of its dominant leaders, who all held only one tenet in common: that Jews, for the first

time in two millennia, must determine their own destiny to save themselves. But, in regards to creating a Jewish state with a military that dominates the region, Viorst argues that Israel has squandered the goodwill it enjoyed at its founding, and thus the country has put its own future on very uncertain footing. With the expertise and knowledge garnered from decades of studying this contentious region, Milton Viorst deftly exposes the risks that Israel faces today.

He is married to the children's author Judith Viorst, known for *Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day*.

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