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As the hostilities on the ground continue, the Women's Initiative, like so many others, shares our pain and anguish over the killing and acts of hatred taking place in Israel/Palestine.

While military operatives and individual actors on all sides have chosen the paths of aggression and violence, we wish to shine a light on the engagement of [Women Wage Peace](#), a group of activist women: Jewish, Arab, religious, and secular.

Today, women gathered in front of the Jaffa Gate in Jerusalem for a "silent rally." Their stance called for an "end to the violence and fighting," through forming a human chain.

We support their courageous work, and in the coming months, we hope to have them share their insights and on-the-ground stories with us in a webinar dedicated to their vision.

Peace. Shalom. Salaam.