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Bestselling Israeli author and award-winning journalist Amotz Asa-El is the Jerusalem Post's senior commentator and a fellow at the [Shalom Hartman Institute](#).

Having joined the [Jerusalem Post](#) in 1995 as its business editor, Asa-El was later the Post's news editor, editor-in-chief of its overseas edition, and executive editor of the Jerusalem Post.

Amotz's weekly column in the Jerusalem Post, [Middle Israel](#), appears regularly for the 24th year now, and is a unique attempt to present in English mainstream Israelis' views on everything from politics and business to religion and foreign affairs.

His new Hebrew book [The Jewish March of Folly](#) ("Mitzad Ha'ivelet Ha'yehudi," Yediot Sefarim, 2019), an interpretation of the Jewish people's political history, appeared in the spring and is now a bestseller in Israel.

His previous book, [The Diaspora and The Lost Tribes of Israel](#) (Universe, 2004), a geographic history of the Jews, was reviewed by the [Wall Street Journal](#) as "an engaging

history of the Jewish experience" that "vividly captures the creativity of the Jewish people."

Amotz lives with his wife and their three children in Jerusalem, where he was also born and raised.

Watch Asa-El speak on i24NEWS's [The Spin Room](#) about his new book here:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NzJgNXz7Xzg&t=301s>

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