

Lebanon Is In the Midst of Grim Destruction: Houses Riddled By Rocket Fire

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Lebanese civil war damage

My friend and I got together in Lebanon.

Due to the recent fighting there, our "conference" was held in the midst of grim destruction: burned hotels and houses riddled with various-sized holes from rocket and rifle fire.

How maleficent it all seemed: quiet at that moment yet still not resolved in a real peace, like a man tortured and still not dead.

The presence of tanks, artillery, and many soldiers and commandos served to make us always cognizant of the aching heart of God and how frustrating we are to Him.

We talked a lot and visited the beach.

What a glorious sunset we saw.

As soon as we left the borders closed and the present outbreak began.