

AMATEUR RADIO AWARD'S DIRECTORY

The Holyland Award

Contact at least 100 areas from 13 regions in Israel since 1 January 1992. The country is divided into a series of grids resulting in squares of 10 x 10 Km. In addition, the country is divided into 23 administrative regions. The areas that count for the award are a combination of the grid designations followed by the region abbreviation: E-14TA (Grid E-14 and Tel Aviv). Endorsements for each additional 12 areas plus 1 extra region.

Special record book and maps plus reference material are available from Malik Webman 4X4JU, PO Box 8181, 49651 Petah Tiqua, Israel. Costs: Book is \$US10 and book plus county road maps is \$US18.

There are three categories for the award depending upon your location:

A = stations operating in the Holy Land.

B = IARU Region I

C = IARU Regions II and III

Basic Award:

Category A -work 150 "areas" in 18 regions. (SWL hear 200 in 18 regions.)

Category B -work 100 "areas" in 13 regions. (SWL hear 150 "areas" in 13 regions.)

Category C -work 50 "areas" in 13 regions. (SWL hear 100 "areas" in 13 regions.)

Endorsement Stickers:

Category A - 18 "areas" worked/heard + 1 addl region per sticker for the first 5 stickers.

Category B - 12 "areas" worked/heard + 1 addl region per sticker.

Category C - 6 "areas" worked/heard + 1 addl region per sticker.

An annual contest is held in Mid-April of each year. Mobile and portables will activate 7060, 14265, 21320 and 28655 +/- QRM, and should assist in your contacting rare areas. GCR only.

The plaque is a gold anodized aluminum sheet 44 x 32 cm - two colors showing panorama of Jerusalem from the Mount of Olives.

Fee Schedule:

1. Record Book	10€ or \$US13
2. Set of Holyland maps (Including postage)	10€ or \$US12
3. Basic Holyland Award	25€ or \$US30
4. Wood plate for the award	20€ or \$US25
5. Endorsement Stickers (per sticker)	1€ or \$US1
6. Postage (packing and air-mailing the award)	10€ or \$US12
7. Postage (other mailing)	2€ or \$US2

Fee schedule:

1. Record book listing The fee for the plaque is \$US20 and endorsement seals are \$US1 each.
 2. Apply to Israel ARC, PO Box 17600, Tel Aviv 61176, Israel.
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Israel Award

Work Israeli stations to qualify for the necessary 25 points. Each 4X above 10 Mhz = 1 point, below 10 Mhz = 2 points. On VHF/UHF for stations outside 4X = 10 points.

Each station may be worked only once on each band. Contacts must be after 1 Jan 1982.

No restrictions on bands or modes. SWL OK. GCR list plus \$US3 or 7 IRCs to: Israel-Award-Manager, Mark Stern PO Box 3033, Rishon-Le-Zion, Israel.

E-mail: STERN@GEZERNET.CO.IL

Israel Digital Award

Contact Israeli stations using any of the digital modes (RTTY, PACTOR, AMTOR, Packet Radio or SSTV) on or after 1 Jan 1995. All bands permitting digital modes may be used. Available to licensed amateurs only. The same station may be contacted on different bands. 10 points are needed - each packet radio QSO counts 1 point, contacts on HF bands count 2 points. GCR list and fee of \$US5 or 5€ to: Shlomo Mussali 4X6LM, Post Box 8225, Jaffa 61081, Israel.

Jerusalem Award

DX stations make four contacts in Jerusalem. Israeli amateurs need 10 contacts, at least 7 of them on HF. SWL OK. Any mode or band. Contacts after 1 Jan 1983. GCR list and 4 IRCs or \$US2 to: Mark Stern 4Z4KX, PO Box 3033, Rishon-Le-Zion 75103, Israel.

Kiryat-Ono Award

Contact at least 4 stations located in Kiryat-Ono after 1 March 1990. HF only, all modes OK. All bands and modes. Certificate is personally signed by the mayor of this city. GCR list and fee of \$US3 or 7 IRCs to: Joseph Obstfeld 4X6KJ, PO Box 873, Kiryat-Ono 55000, Israel.

Rishon Le-Zion Award (The Wine City)

Work 5 (Israel 7) Rishon Le-Zion stations after 1 Jan 1990. SWL OK. Special event stations operating in the city count for two contacts. All bands and modes. GCR list and fee of \$US3 or 7 IRCs to Ehud Levine 4X1EL, Smilchansky 35/B, Rishon Le-Zion 75234 Israel. (Also listed as custodian is: Mark Stern 4Z4KX, PO Box 3033, Rishon-Le-Zion 75103, Israel.

Shalom-2000 Award

Issued and sponsored by the municipality of Nazareth-Illit City and IARC. This multicolored award is 21X30cm and is signed by the mayor of Nazareth-Illit City. Earn 2000 points in QSOs or SWL with Israeli stations. All stations must be worked ONCE, no duplicate contact on other bands or modes.

- A. QSOs with club station 4Z4SZ = 300 points.
- B. Each QSO with hams from the cities of Nazareth-Illit, Jerusalem, Haifa, Tiberias and Lod = 100 points.
- C. QSOs with stations 4X1AT, 4X1IM, 4X1UK, 4X4CD, 4Z4RJ, 4Z4KX, 4Z5AF, 4Z5BO, 4Z5FW, 4Z5JM and 4X6DK = 150 points.
- D. QSOs with any other Israel stations = 50 points.

Contacts on or after 1 April 1999. GCR and fee of \$US7 or equivalent to: POB 13092, Nazareth-Illit, 17000 Israel.

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Tel-Aviv-Jaffa Award

Earn 10 points by working Tel-Aviv (1 point each) and special event station 4X75TA, is worth 10 points. each. Jaffa stations or stations with special calls such as 4X45, 4X5 or 4X40 are worth 5 points. SWL OK. Contacts since 1 Jan 1984. Award is signed by the mayor of Tel-Aviv-Jaffa. All bands and modes may be used. GCR list and fee of \$4US, DM8 or £2 to: Shlomo Mussall 4X6LM, PO Box 8225, Tel-Aviv 61081, Israel.

4 X 4 = 16 Award

Contact 16 different Israeli stations on 4 different bands after 1 Jan 1948. No mode or band restrictions except as stated. SWL OK GCR list and \$US3 or 7 IRCs to: Mark Stern 4Z4KX, Israel Award Manager, PO Box 17600, 61176 Tel-Aviv, Israel.
