



# Nofei Nechemia

## PROTECTING THE CHILDREN

A recent visit to Nofei Nechemia left me breathless. I remember this community from its early beginnings; there were no permanent homes, no proper streets, and its few pioneering families were struggling to survive on a barren hilltop. Today, Nofei Nechemia has grown into a vibrant and warm community. Permanent homes filled with many young families packed with babies and small children are situated along the main road, encircling the community. There are still mobile homes, but they are the minority. Nofei Nechemia has put down permanent roots.

However, beyond the community's periphery is an eye-opener; Nofei Nechemia is a tiny island in an ocean of mountainous terrain, barren fields, and hostile Arab villages. It would be too easy for a terrorist to sneak across the fields into the community to stab a resident, steal valuables, light a fire, or set a bomb. Along the community's perimeter are brush, thorns, rocks, and wild grasses, usually dry from the lack of rain. Arson has become a favorite weapon against isolated communities like Nofei Nechemia. One match would easily ignite the dry brush, spreading quickly and endangering lives and homes. In the new neighborhood currently under construction, some homes will be located only 150 meters from the neighboring Arab village, placing families in grave danger.

In recent years, the security challenges have intensified, with a significant increase in the number of times terrorists have attempted to infiltrate Nofei Nechemia and the neighboring Jewish community of Rechelim. The Government has provided funding for security personnel to patrol the difficult-to-defend mountainous terrain round-the-clock. However, the community must provide a four-wheel-drive security vehicle for this patrol. And it is critical to equip the vehicle with vital equipment, including a siren, communications equipment, and bullet-proof panels. A fully functioning security vehicle, coupled with security personnel patrolling the community and its surrounding area 24/7, will make a huge contribution to the safety and security of the people of Nofei Nechemia and nearby Rechelim.

**Nofei Nechemia is desperate to purchase a fully-equipped security patrol vehicle, and they need your help. This jeep will enable them to stop violent terrorists from infiltrating and attacking the men, women, and children of Nofei Nechemia. You can help protect the pioneers of Nofei Nechemia so they can live and develop the Biblical Heartland in safety and security. Your donation today will help their families sleep soundly at night, knowing that someone is looking out for them every moment.**

# COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT

- ☆ **Founded:** 2002
- ☆ **Location:** Samaria
- ☆ **Origin of Name:** in English, "views of Nehemiah." Named for a man who contributed equipment and labor to build up the Samaria area
- ☆ **Geographical Significance:** adjacent to the community of Rechalim
- ☆ **Population:** 65 families



*Nofei Nechemia stands alone among hostile Arab villages on a difficult-to-defend mountainous terrain*



*Your donation to help increase security patrols, keeps the children of Nofei Nechemia safe from attack*

## NOFEI NECHEMIA SECURITY

### PROJECT BUDGET

Basic Security Vehicle .....	\$55,150
Vehicle Security Upgrades & Emergency Accessories: .....	7,000
Two-Way Radios & Emergency Lighting .....	2,200
<b>TOTAL FUNDS REQUIRED .....</b>	<b>\$64,350</b>

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