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Hey Hello everybody! My name is Bnaya Michael Gavish Maor and I'm so so excited that I'm going to meet you all soon!

I live in a small town called Mizpe Ramon that is located in the Israeli desert. Mizpe is a very special place because it is located on the edge of the biggest crater in Israel, Ramon Crater. We have Ibex's walking in our street like cats because it really is in the middle of nowhere. Mizpe is also the only stars reserve in the middle east which means that at night you see thousands of stars which makes Mizpe the most beautiful place on earth (in my opinion at least).

I live with my mother Yael Gavish and my two sisters. My youngest sister is Elaya she is 16 years old and everyone



always thinks we are twins. My other sister Miya turned 20 years old on the day I'm writing this letter to you and currently she serves as an observer in the Israeli army. I also have two twin big brothers that are older than me by exactly four years, Saar and Bar. Both of them currently live in Cyprus because their work is there, Saar recently got married to Rotem, his wife and on 11.8.21 their first child Tommy was born. My father Sharon Maor also lives in Mizpe and has a small motel here. He also writes, sings and plays music so he does shows.



So now that you know my family I can tell you a bit about myself. I love playing the guitar. My father plays and my twin brothers have also played since they were 14 so it was just a matter of time until I started to play too. About two or three years ago during the pandemic I started learning how to play through the internet.

My majors in school are Tourism and Philosophy and both of them are really interesting. I love hanging out with friends, we meet almost every day to hang out and once in a while we go down inside the crater and spend a night or two just us and the stars. It's amazing!



I also really like to edit videos and to do graphic design. The sports I mostly do are skating and snowboarding, I have one dog that lives in my father's house called Sinai, we called him that because when I was around six or seven years old I went with my family to vacation in the Sinai and we found him there. After a lot of long hard work of convincing my parents they approved and we brought him to Israel with us.

I'm so excited to meet you all and I just can't wait to arrive Cleveland and start this crazy year with you all!