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THE FOURTH STAGE OF THE ARAB-ISRAEL CONFLICT

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Biography:

Alan Dowty was the first holder of the Kahanoff Chair in Israeli Studies at the University of Calgary, and in 2004-2006 he was President of the Association for Israel Studies. A graduate of Shimer College and the University of Chicago, he received his Ph.D. in 1963. In 1963-1975 he was a faculty member at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem, where he served as Executive Director of the Leonard Davis Institute for International Relations and Chair of the Department of International Relations. Dowty has published widely on the Arab-Israel conflict, Israeli politics, U.S. foreign policy, weapons of mass destruction, international freedom of movement, and international enforcement. Among his books are *The Limits of American Isolation*, *Middle East Crisis*, which won the Quincy Wright Award of the International Studies Association, and *The Jewish State: A Century Later*. His latest book, *Israel/Palestine*, is published by Polity Press as part of its series on Hot Spots in Global Politics. He has published over 130 scholarly and popular articles and reviews, and has delivered over 500 public lectures in 19 countries.