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Shabbat descends on Israel like a gentle touch from G-d, comforting, warming and giving us a glimpse of Heaven. However, this past Shabbat in Sderot, Hell's missiles shattered Heaven's peace. A barrage of eleven Kassam rockets from Gaza rained down on this vulnerable town in Southern Israel as terrified children and their parents wondered if they would be safe.



Not all were kept from harm, and two brothers, 8 year old Osher and 19 year old Rami Tuito, will have their lives changed forever.

Avner Chen, a S'derot taxi driver, told Ynet news about the missile that hit the brothers:

"I heard the 'Color Red' (siren) and I started running quickly from the car and laid down on the road and then I heard the very loud explosion right next to me. I saw smoke and when I got up, I saw the boy and another youngster outstretched on the road, one of them was very seriously wounded and it looked horrendous.

"I tried to stop the flow of blood and then the second one shouted 'help me, save me!' and I went to the second one and started to help him as well. At the same time, I called for Magen David Adom and the fire department on the radio.

"It was a dreadful sight, one of the worst I've seen in my life."



Eight year old Osher, who dreamed of becoming a soccer player, has had one of his legs amputated below the knee. It is not yet known if doctors will be able to save his other leg. His brother Rami was also operated on for injuries in both of his legs.

Light and Mercy will offer our prayers and assistance to this stricken family, grateful in the knowledge of an all merciful G-d and His people who are the support in all our endeavors. We are asking for your help.



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