Yizhak Rabin – Reading Comprehension

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Yitzhak Rabin was born in Jerusalem on March 1, 1922. He was an Israeli politician and a general in the Israel Defense Force. He was Prime Minister of Israel from 1974 until 1977 and again from 1992 till 1995. In 1994, Yitzhak Rabin was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, together with Shimon Peres and Yasser Arafat. All three got the prize for trying to make peace in the Middle East.

He died in Tel Aviv on November 4, 1995 after being assassinated by Yigal Amir in "Kings of Israel Square" (כיכר מלכי ישראל). Amir is an Israeli Jew who was against Rabin's signing of the Oslo Accords and against making peace with the Palestinians. Rabin was the first Israeli-born Prime Minister of Israel and the only Israeli Prime Minister to be killed. He was buried on Mount Herzl in Jerusalem.

True or False

1. Yitzhak Rabin was a soldier. TRUE / FALSE
2. He was Prime Minster from 1974 – 1995. TRUE / FALSE
3. He won the Nobel Prize in 1995. TRUE / FALSE
4. Three people received the Nobel Prize in 1994. TRUE / FALSE
5. The people who received the Nobel Prize in 1994 brought peace to the Middle East. TRUE / FALSE
6. Yigal Amir shot Prime Minster Rabin. TRUE / FALSE
7. Rabin was the first Prime Minster of Israel. TRUE / FALSE
8. He was born and buried in the same city. TRUE / FALSE
9. Prime Minister Rabin was killed exactly 26 years ago. TRUE / FALSE
10. Rabin Square (כיכר רבין) in Tel Aviv was named after Rabin after his death. TRUE / FALSE

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