

TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY



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*This is to witness
that on the 14th day of June 2006
Tel Aviv University honored*

Prof. Bernard Lewis

Esteemed and beloved friend of Tel Aviv University

with the

**PRESIDENT'S
AWARD
2006**

in recognition

*of his remarkable sixty-year career as one of the world's greatest historians and most influential voices
on the Middle East and Islam; his serving as a role model for all academics through his rigor, insight, open mind
and broad perspective; his public courage in speaking up for his ideas and convictions; and*

in special recognition

*of his unique devotion to Tel Aviv University, which has been his second academic home
over the past three decades; his inspiring presence for faculty and students, combining warm accessibility
with uncompromising standards; and his contribution to the high international standing of
Middle East Studies at the University.*

*Prof. Itamar Rabinovich
President*