

# “AMIA ~ An Ongoing Crime” ~ Media Kit

On July 18, 1994 the AMIA building in Buenos Aires was decimated by an explosion that killed 85 people and injured over 400 more. This terrorist attack was made against Asociación Mutual Israelita Argentina, the most influential Jewish philanthropic organization in Argentina. Appearances are often deceiving, and while it appeared that the Argentine government was launching a thorough investigation, the reality was that a government-sponsored smokescreen was covering up the true details of the attack.

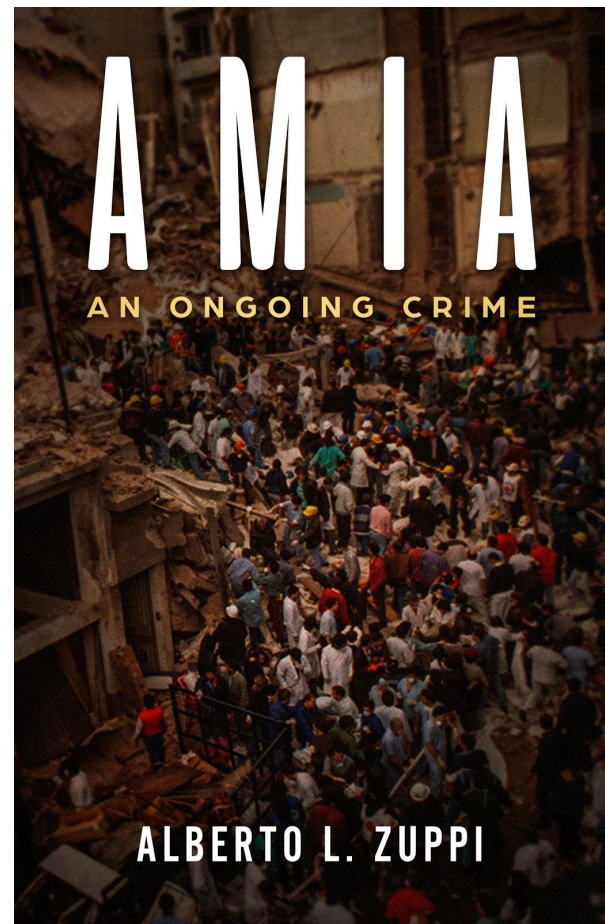
Frustrated and stymied, survivors of the attack and families of its victims sought to reveal the truth. To that effect, they enlisted the services of internationally renowned prosecutor of Nazi war criminals Alberto Zuppi to investigate the heinous deed and its coverup. AMIA: An Ongoing Crime is the compelling story of Zuppi’s efforts - from the initial blast to the dramatic closing trial - to plough through the layers of corruption and intrigue to reveal the shocking truth of the case.

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## About the Author - in his own words

I am an Argentine law professor and acting criminal attorney. As such, I had the chance to work in the extradition of the last two Nazi criminals found in Argentina. The first one was Josef Schwammberger, who directed two concentration camps in Poland. In his case I worked as an expert in German and

International Law producing a report on the non-applicability of the statute of limitations that allowed the extradition. The second one was a Captain of the SS, Erich Priebke, who was in charge of the massacre of the Ardeatine Caves. In the criminal proceeding against him, I acted as the legal representative of the Italian Government that requested his extradition. My performance in these two cases was the main reason why I have been called to represent the victims and relatives of the AMIA case. For the sake of my personal presentation, I would like to include that in 2001 I was appointed as Secretary of Justice and that in 2003, I assumed as Robert and Pamela Martin Professor of Law in the Paul M. Hebert Law Center, Louisiana State University, in Baton Rouge. I have already published several legal books, six in Spanish, one in Portuguese and another one in German, and I am the author of several scholar law articles published in Argentina, the U.S. and Europe. I have another non fiction book written in Spanish being at the moment considered for publication by Critica in Spain. It relates to the twelve Nuremberg Trials performed by US Military Tribunals after the main trial. □ (Photo by Viktor Ems)



## Press Release

### **The worst terrorist act on Argentinian soil . . . and the coverup and corruption to follow**

On July 18, 1994 the AMIA (Asociación Mutual Israelita Argentina) building in Buenos Aires - housing the most influential Jewish philanthropic organization in Argentina - was decimated by an explosion that killed 85 people and injured over 400 more. Alberto Zuppi - internationally renowned prosecutor of Nazi war criminals, former Minister of Justice and prosecutor for the victims' families - leads us from the day of the heinous deed through the dramatic closing trial - to plough through the layers of corruption and intrigue to reveal the shocking truth of the case.

*5 out of 5 stars*

*Mr. Zuppi certainly has an insider's knowledge of the trial and the intrigue surrounding the case. Very detailed, but it kept moving throughout. Glad I read it!*

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