

ENDURING IMAGES OF 2023



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In a year of terror and sorrow, in wars in the Middle East and Ukraine, in countless places where weather wreaked havoc, people persevered. Here's a photographic journey through a year in which it was still possible to see reason for hope — a year of disasters and of triumphs, too.

A rocket is launched from the Gaza Strip on Oct. 7, when the militant group Hamas led a surprise attack on Israel.