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Alon Jacobs, a 25-year-old Hod Hasharon resident, is in his second year studying Industrial Engineering and Management at Ben-Gurion University of the Negev (BGU). Alon served in the IDF special forces Egoz Unit for three years between 2016 and 2019 and has served in the reserves for the last four years. He was called up for active duty on the morning of October 7th and spent several days helping to secure the Kibbutzim that were attacked by Hamas. Alon subsequently completed five cycles in Gaza before sustaining injuries. Despite his challenges, he has since resumed his studies at BGU.

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