

**Letters: Short and Sharp**

I was quoted in *The Telegraph* online as saying Australia's Jewish community would rejoice in news of bin Laden's death. I made no such comment. The response I gave was "We congratulate the US special forces on bringing a mass murderer of innocent civilians to justice". We welcome the elimination of a source of murder and terror. Unlike most deaths in war, this one was not of a civilian, nor of a person who was carrying out the directions of superiors. It was the death of the architect of countless murders.

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