

## Phosphorous Projectiles

I remember WWII film clips where anti-aircraft batteries lit up the sky with their phosphorous tracers and machine gunners fired stream of phosphorous bullets, typically every third one being a tracer, both situations helping the gunner see how close he was getting to his target.

This practice is relatively short-lived however, since those same tracers show exactly where the gunner is located and he quickly becomes a target.

These same phosphorous projectiles, however, are very effective incendiary devices ... so much so that the UN has banned them for use against civilian targets. Like depleted uranium, they typically break up into smaller particles and continue to burn ... if they touch flesh of any kind those break-away small particles continue to burn, and continue, and continue, inflicting **excruciating pain and disfigurement**, since there is virtually nothing that will extinguish it until it burns itself out.

THAT is why the UN has banned the use of phosphorous ammunition for combat troops. In fact the UN recently condemned Israel for using this ammunition... ammunition **that the U.S. had provided**. And in earlier web sites, I had pictures of Iraq citizens that had been hit by this WMD, fired by U.S troops into civilian populations. So, we had U.S. troops committing atrocities with illegal weapons. Where's the news media??