

The Independence Garden – Renovation

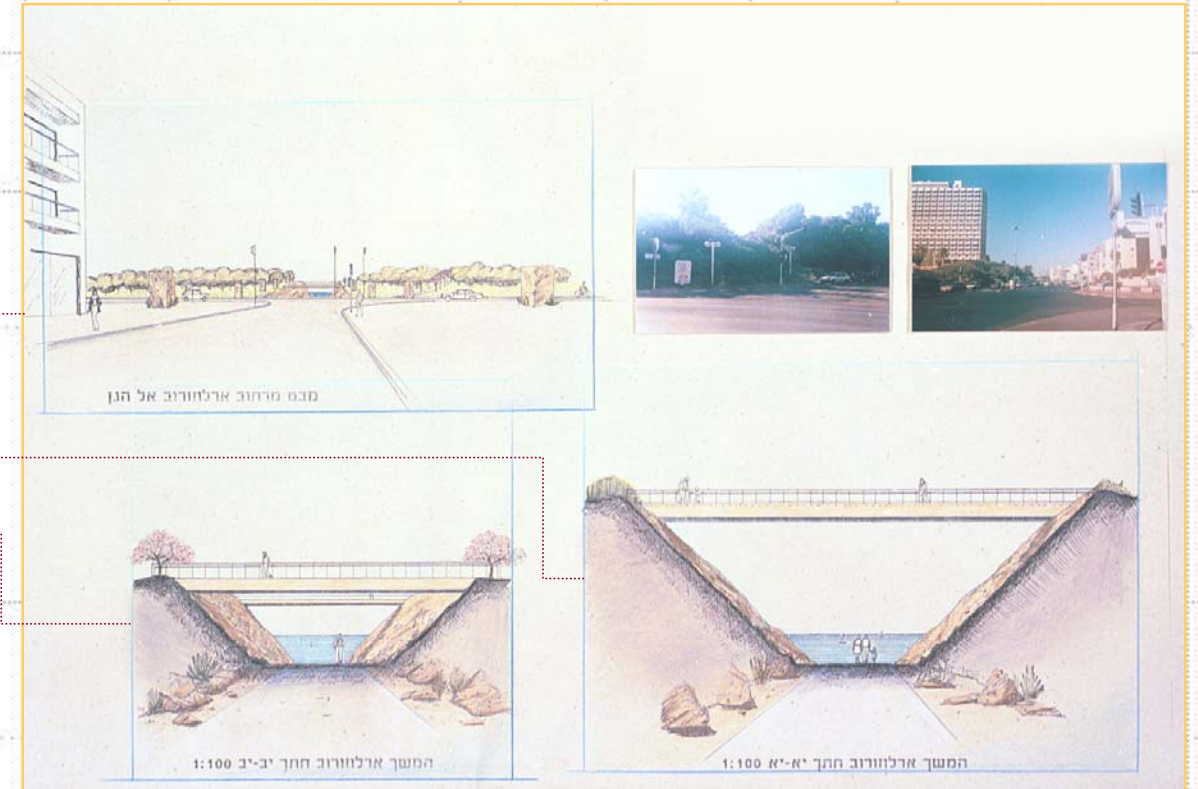
Arlozorov street extension

A proposed extension of Arlozorov street into the garden, would link Hayarkon street to the beach promenade and reveal the sea through the garden.

A view from Arlozorov street towards the garden

Section 11-11 at Arlozorov extension

Section 12-12 at Arlozorov extension

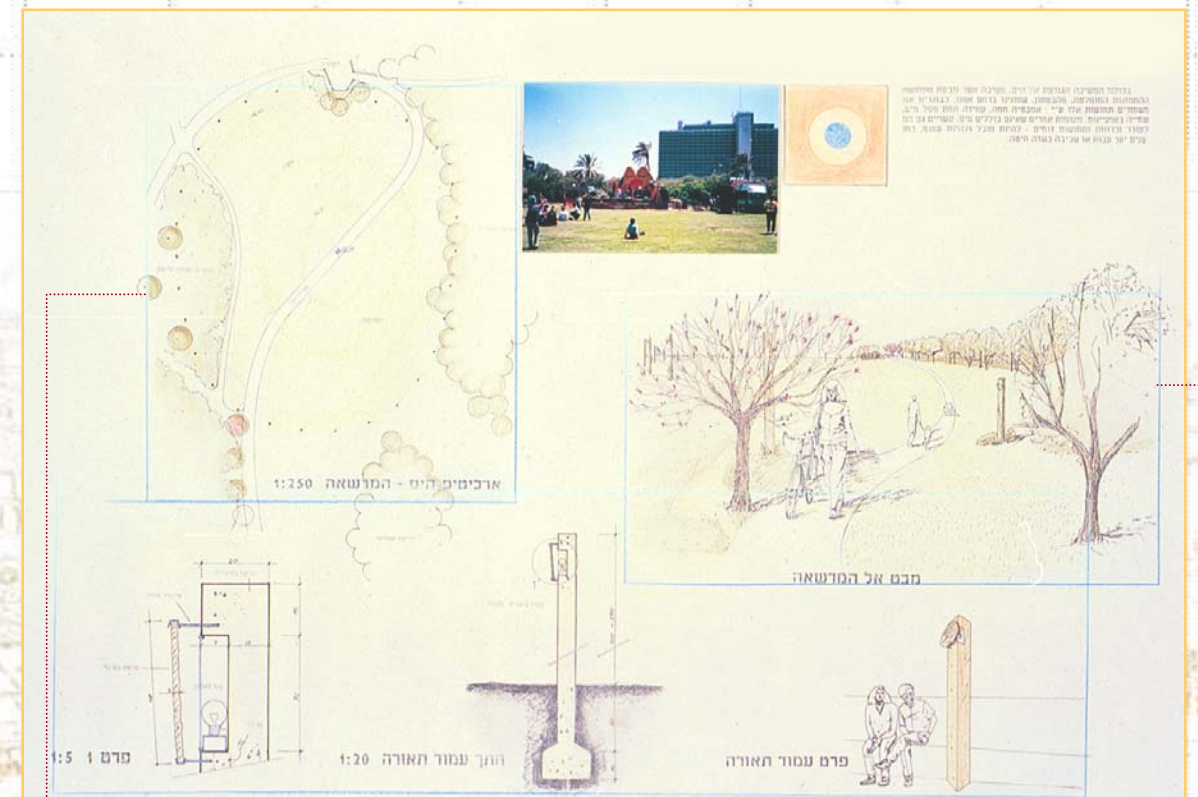


Contemplative Archetypes \ by July Moir Messervy

" I believe that the contemplative place is born with the conception of the child who, for a period of time, experiences the warmth, comfort and protection of the womb. With birth an infant, and later as a child, develops new physical experiences of place, whether it be the security of a parent's arms or the discovery of a cosy corner behind the living room easy chair. These developmental stages can be likened to landscape images: the sea, the cave, the harbour, the promontory, the island, the mountain and the sky. Their archetypal themes express the form and characteristics of our elemental feelings towards place, which are embedded in our storehouse of memories. I conjecture that when adults experience a place that reminds them of their early contemplative memories, they see it as an image of paradise."

The Sea

" There seems to be an inchoate longing in each of us for the sea, which derives perhaps from the total immersion and security of the mother's womb. As adults we recreate these sensations by immersing ourselves in a warm bath, standing under a waterfall or swimming in the ocean. Some natural spaces that are not made of water also elicit the filling of 'within-ness', such as standing in a dense forest or lying within a field of wheat."



The green - Plan (originally) 1:250

Light Column - details

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