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Merry Christmas!

The Birth of Jesus Christ

In those days a decree went out from Caesar Augustus that the whole empire should be registered. This first registration took place while Quirinius was governing Syria. So everyone went to be registered, each to his own town.

And Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee, to Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family line of David, to be registered along with Mary, who was engaged to him and was pregnant. While they were there, the time came for her to give birth. Then she gave birth to her firstborn Son, and she wrapped Him snugly in cloth and laid Him in a feeding trough—because there was no room for them at the lodging place.

In the same region, shepherds were staying out in the fields and keeping watch at night over their flock. Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Don't be afraid, for look, I proclaim to you good news of great joy that will be for all the people: Today a Savior, who is Messiah the Lord, was born for you in the city of David. This will be the sign for you: You will find a baby wrapped snugly in cloth and lying in a feeding trough."

Suddenly there was a multitude of the heavenly host with the angel, praising God and saying "Glory to God in the highest heaven,

and peace on earth to people He favors!"

When the angels had left them and returned to heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let's go straight to Bethlehem and see what has happened, which the Lord has made known to us."

They hurried off and found both Mary and Joseph, and the baby who was lying in the feeding trough.

After seeing them, they reported the message they were told about this child, and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds said to them. But Mary was treasuring up all these things in her heart and meditating on them. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had seen and heard, just as they had been told.

—Luke 2:1-20 Holman Christian Standard Bible

The Canary in the Coal Mine by Jean Dubois

Though the world now rightly focuses on Israel, the world's sole Jewish state is largely irrelevant as regards the real threat to world peace: militant Islam. If you really want to address root causes, then look no further. Israel and the Jews are but a convenient distraction, a red herring, just the canary in the coal mine.

To put things in perspective, depending on how one scores things, there are now between 30 and 100 armed "conflicts" raging in varying degrees on our planet. Even the United Nations (UN) reports that we currently have "the highest number of violent conflicts since World War II."

So, whether there are 30 or 100 armed conflicts, it raises a simple question: how many involve Jews?

Answer: 1. Just Israel.

For all the others, there's not a Jew anywhere in sight. So, Jews, frankly, are largely irrelevant as regards world peace and conflict. A red herring. But also, the proverbial canary in the coal mine.

Sadly, but tellingly, and putting Israel aside, the vast majority of armed conflicts on our globe involve militant Islam on at least one side of the conflict. So, if you're looking for "root causes" to explain world instability, that's it. Stop overthinking things.

Some of the places are old and familiar like Kashmir, where Muslims fight Hindus. In some places—like the Philippines—it's militant Muslims versus Catholics. In the Philippines, an Islamic group even beheaded two Jehovah's Witnesses and left their heads in bags with the note, "Those who do not believe in Allah will suffer the same fate."

In much of Africa—Nigeria, Sudan, Congo, Burkina Faso, Somalia, Kenya, Ethiopia, Cameroon—it's militant Muslims versus Christians. In Nigeria, it is common for militant Muslims belonging to Boko Haram to burn churches. This is not a new phenomenon.

When Nigeria hosted the Miss World beauty pageant 20 years ago, militant Muslims killed more than 200 people. Apparently, beauty pageants are offensive to the Koran, but murdering innocents is ok. At least fifty churches were destroyed or damaged. The local newspaper was also burned because it had the audacity to publish a story questioning Muslim groups that condemned the pageant.

Though a beauty pageant makes for unique context, Islamists killing Christians is hardly unique. Rather, Nigeria is reflective of what's been going on around the globe for some time now. In Sudan, which we don't hear much about, more than two million Christians have been literally butchered this century by militant Islamists proclaiming, "convert or die."

In Myanmar, in southeast Asia, it's Muslims versus Buddhists, a conflict that has been raging since 1948. In Armenia, it's Christians versus militant Muslims. Likewise, in Indonesia it's militant Muslims versus Christians. In Chechnya, it's been militant Muslims fighting the Russian army.

And in Muslim countries, the few remaining Christians are persecuted, like Coptic Christians in Egypt or Maronite Christians in Lebanon. Even in Bethlehem the Christian population has plummeted under Palestinian control.

To be sure, in a few places, like in China with the Uyghur Muslims in Xinjiang, Muslims are more so the oppressed than the persecutor. But in almost all places, Islam is the common denominator on at least one side of the conflict.

As for Israel, to lend some perspective, there are about 50 Muslim majority countries about 1000 times Israel's size. So, for Hamas and others, the scoreboard reading 50-1 is not lopsided enough. They want it to read 51-0. Look at a map: when they chant from the "river to the sea," they mean no Israel, no Jews.

To be clear, the point here is not to debate whether Islam, or any religion, is peaceful or not. I'll leave that to the religion professors.

Suffice to say, there is enough ambiguity in all the good books that scripture can be used (or abused) for good or evil. Religion provides great comfort to billions and motivates most to live better, more ethical lives.

But as we all know, every group—be it a religion or even the girl scouts on occasion—has its zealots. No religion has a monopoly on crazy.

Once in a blue moon, a crazy Catholic will blow up an abortion clinic. When that happens, however, mainstream Catholics do not throw a parade and shower the bomber's family with gifts. Mainstream Catholics are abhorred and rebuke the terrorist.

Likewise, when a crazy, Orthodox Jew gunned down Muslims at a mosque in Hebron in 1994, Jews did not celebrate. Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin immediately condemned the attack calling the perpetrator a "degenerate murderer" and "an embarrassment to Judaism."

Even Buddhist monks can be deemed "The Face of Terror," as *Time* magazine labeled Ashin Wirathu on its cover in 2017 for his actions in Myanmar. Again, no group is immune from extremism.

But, in most groups, the moderate masses self-police their zealots. If they can't reform their zealots, they banish or ultimately punish and attempt to defang them. The moderate masses restore order to their group. The moderate masses do not let the group's tail wag the dog.

But as judged by conduct, not soundbites or scripture, for decades now Islam has had trouble selfpolicing. Whether it's ISIS in Iraq, Boko Haram in Nigeria, now Hamas in Israel, or any of the many other militant Islamic groups, the question must be asked:

Where are the moderate Muslim masses?

If the Muslim zealots are indeed such a tiny minority, then why can't, or don't, the moderate Muslim masses take control and self-police the cancer amidst them? The fact they haven't raises the question whether, indeed, they are either moderate or massive?

Though the media now talks about the "innocent Palestinians" in Gaza, remember they elected Hamas. So now claiming Hamas does not speak for them and they are victims is a bit disingenuous and convenient. Again, they didn't just tolerate Hamas, but elected them.

What ultimately matters is not whether the Koran, Old Testament, or New Testament is "peaceful," but rather the actions of those who follow the different good books. And as judged by actions, Islam has not proven peaceful, as almost all the hot spots on the globe now involve militant Muslims on at least one side.

As for human rights, suffice to say that there are no human rights abuses in much of the Islamic world because there are no human rights to abuse. In Saudi Arabia there are no churches, no Bibles, no Christian artifacts, no non-Muslim worship of any kind. If Christians are caught praying, even in their own homes, they are punished severely. In short, being a non-Muslim in many Muslim countries can be a death sentence.

We can address these realities or apologize for them. To be clear, it is not suggested that Islam has a monopoly on genocide, as Bosnia revealed in the 1990's. However, the fact that most conflicts on our globe today involve militant Islam is no coincidence either. The rub is that Islam, by self-definition, is an expansionist religion, which today often seeks to gain market share through mass murder in many places.

All said, Israel and the Jews are actually a symptom of a much larger problem. Eliminate Israel and instead of there being 50 conflicts on the globe involving Islam, congratulations, you're down to "just 49."

And you may be next.
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The Frankfurt School

by Lewis Dovland

The current pro-Palestinian rallies on American campuses (which, in reality, are anti-Jewish hate-fests) are an eye-opener for a growing number of people on the left. The latest Israel-Palestinian protests may be the final canary in the coal mine that will begin to turn the tide and crush leftism from our society. That's because it exposes its source for all to see—our corrupted educational system.

We've all seen the rapid acceleration of the 'woke' culture, which has dominated society and become untouchable in the past three to four years. Push back, and you get crushed—job, reputation, life.

But cracks in leftism have started to appear. The COVID-19 pandemic happened. The all-too-smug teachers' unions erred when they saw an opportunity to get paid for not working while harming students in their key educational and socialization growth years by shutting schools. Each K-12 year is critical for developing children into well-rounded, productive citizens (anathema to totalitarians who want obedient, unthinking proles).

As the pandemic dragged on, schools went online. For the first time, parents got to see what little Sally was learning, and they rebelled, flooding school board meetings with demands to stop the CRT and LGBTQ+ indoctrinations.

To the parents' shock, they discovered that teachers' unions believe the kids belonged to the schools and not the parents and that many were hiding little Bobby's transition to a girl. Suddenly, parents were pariahs who were deemed "domestic terrorists" (including by an ostensibly repentant National School Boards Association) for daring to speak out.

Leftists looked the other way when so-called transgender women (men) dominated women's sports. They deemed it "normal" to force young women into contact with fully intact males in locker rooms and threatened their careers if they objected to losing their trophies and records. (Side note: this is the final proof that the women's movement/feminism from the 1970s is dead. Trans now trumps all identity groups, even if we must violate privacy protections for women.)

While conservatives were up in arms, leftist parents kept quiet for fear of being branded transphobic and missing their invitation to the next neighborhood wine and cheese party...until now.

The mask that covered these big lies was ripped off on October 7, when Hamas attacked Israel with horrendously evil actions. Suddenly, these liberal progressives were faced with a cognitive dissonance moment. Any person who would support the animalistic evil actions of Hamas is insane. Yet, they don't support Israel. What to do?

The truth of American antisemitism emerged when we saw that most of the pro-Palestinian demonstrations and support came from college campuses. The same places where corrupt leftist professors work. And surprisingly, most non-Muslim protesters were white kids, usually from wealth. Even liberal parents were shocked that their kids could embrace this level of evil. How did this happen?

Answer: The major influences on America's current state of education came from the Marxist "Frankfurt School," which began exactly 100 years ago. They targeted education because it is how you teach young minds:

- * To embrace Marxist thinking
- * To aspire to become teachers themselves to teach the next generation of immature minds
- * To become "journalists" who later become influencers of the entire population.

The Frankfurt School's main target was college professors, especially in the soft sciences, who know they have a great grift going. Unlike the professors in the hard sciences—where "truth" and "facts" converge because you need the building you design not to collapse—who could be employed by businesses outside of education, humanities departments in colleges are the only places in which liberal arts professors can work for big bucks and get their lithium meds covered.

The Frankfurt School people convinced these professors that capitalism was bad, even as they got paid comfortable sums of money to sit in their ivory towers while indoctrinating their young students in Marxist thought—all while basking in their peers' praise.

The kids we see protesting against Israel are the brainwashed results of a fully corrupt and hateful Marxist-designed educational system, a system they have been immersed in since first grade because their K-12 teachers are also steeped in this hatred. No wonder they hold such views. They never hear the other side.

Now, even Democrats and those who think they are "progressive" are waking up to the evil in academia. They see it must be defeated and dug out by the roots, or we won't have a society. Education reform is now a topic because we see the results of how these kids have been brainwashed to believe.

The Marxists thought they had won but, perhaps, they hadn't quite attained total victory, and their celebration was premature. Their unbridled Marxist-spawned hatred for Israel and the West led their students to support Hamas's brutality loudly and strongly. Normal people no longer can look the other way.

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It's Their Belief, Stupid! by Selwyn Duke

No matter which prominent side wins in our immigration debates, the US loses for a simple reason: the contest pits people who hate the point against people who miss the point.

On one side are the large-I Immigrationists, individuals who behave as if immigration is always good, always necessary, must never be questioned, and must be the one constant in an otherwise ever-changing universe of policy. They're usually identified as "leftists." On the other are small-i immigrationists, people who believe immigration is generally good, generally necessary, should never be questioned in principle, and must in some form be the one constant in an otherwise ever-changing universe of policy. They're usually identified as "conservatives."

The debate between the two sides often goes like this: leftists welcome inundation with even uneducated, unskilled foreigners (as long as the aliens aren't sent to their neighborhood; see Martha's Vineyard, et al.) with the argument "our strength lies in our diversity!" Conservatives counter this by reassuring all and sundry that "I'm all for immigration!" "But," they add, "it should be done legally and be merit-based, with possession of economically valuable skills a prerequisite for entry."

The problem with this is that it's the battling of a nonsensical argument with a one-dimensional argument. After all, there's a name for entities defined merely by the job-related role they can perform: robots. There's also a name for thus characterizing people: a Marxist mistake.

I'll explain this by beginning with a story. Many years ago, during a dinner-table conversation, a quite wonderful man I know remarked that the dissolution of the black family was all caused by government welfare, by the funding of single motherhood. While such policy is destructive and surely exacerbates problems, is it really true that it's entirely responsible? If it were true, how could it be that some Hasidic Jews accept the same government assistance but keep their families wholly intact?

You may now say, "Of course! They're radically 'religious." But that's the point: man is not just an economic creature. He also has intellectual, emotional, psychological, moral, and spiritual dimensions.

The late Pope Benedict XVI mentioned this when critiquing Karl Marx, saying that the latter's mistake was his viewing of man as a purely economic being. Human behavior was explainable, and problems remediable, the thinking goes, solely via an economic approach (e.g., eliminating economic inequality will end human strife).

The point is this: any time we ourselves instinctively treat man as a purely economic being—as even that intelligent, conservative man I mentioned did—we are unwittingly repeating Marx's mistake.

Yet this is common today, even among conservatives. Do you see now how easily such errors can be mainstreamed and inform (read: deform) our thinking?

Now let's return to immigration. Do the work skills and ethic newcomers bring with them define them? Are those qualities the most important things they bring to our shores? Since they're not robots and won't actually just be cogs in the economy, no. Rather, the most important things they bring are their beliefs.

To further illustrate the economic-being approach's folly, let's apply the standard not to (what should be) our national family, but our actual one. If you contemplated taking an outsider into your home, would you consider just economics? Would it matter only that he was going to contribute another \$800 monthly to the family budget? Or would you first consider what beliefs and behaviors he'd bring into your home—how he, for instance, would influence your kids?

It's likewise with the national family, of course. Absorb 10 million Muslim jihadists or 10 million Nazis over time, and it will have some political and social effect, whether they're low-skilled or high-skilled. Either way, their skill at "being American" will be fatally poor.

For a real-life example, consider radical, anti-American representative Ilhan Omar (D-Minn.). Herself a product of migration (she was granted asylum by Immigrationist Central), she was vaulted to power in her district largely by other immigrants from her native country, Somalia. Now, would you feel better about this if she and her voter enablers were "high-skilled"? Would you aver, "Oh, who cares that they're undermining our political system? They can code!"?

Some may now say such immigrants would vote differently were they skilled and wealthy. History says otherwise. Consider that Hindus (i.e., Indians) are the highest-earning religious group in the US next to Jews, out-earning native-born white Americans markedly. Yet unlike outlier and GOP presidential candidate Vivek Ramaswamy, they're also notably left-wing.

Rivaling blacks' numbers, 90 percent supported Barack Obama.

Hindus also voted for Hillary Clinton and Joe Biden by wide margins.

In fact, upwards of 70 percent of Hindus are firmly in the Democrat party's camp.

None of this, however, means there's no difference between low-skilled and high-skilled socialist immigrants. The wealthy, high-skilled ones are far more likely to be politically active and influential and therefore will more aggressively alter our national landscape.

As the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace wrote just before the 2020 election, "[e]ven though Indian Americans comprise [sic] slightly more than 1 percent of the total US population—and less than 1 percent of all registered voters . . . Indian Americans are unexpectedly in the spotlight thanks to their growing affluence and influence in political circles[.]"

Lest anyone think I'm picking on Hindus, know they're just par for the course: 85 to 90 percent of our post-1967 immigrants have come from the Third World, and 70 to 90 percent of them have voted Democrat upon naturalization. What's more, despite #WalkAway fantasies, this shows no actual signs of changing—certainly not enough to make the pro-invasion Democrat party fall out of love with their voter-importation scheme (AKA immigration).

In reality, this also reveals why the economic-being approach falls flat even in its calculation of economic benefit. How much will "high-skilled" immigrants improve our economy if, over time, their influence transforms it into a socialist one? They'll be coding while wealth is eroding.

All immigration should be halted, given how balkanized we already are. Yet insofar as we do allow it, the aforementioned again underlines why beliefs must always come first when vetting newcomers. A nation does not live on bread alone, and what does it profit a land to gain the world but lose its soul?

In truth, it would be better if our immigrants were robots (which, incidentally, are poised to fill many jobs in coming years, a fact underlining why immigration isn't necessary "because we need workers"). Robots, after all, really do just perform an economic role and don't come with beliefs, intellect, and free will (at least not yet). Immigrants do because they're human beings.

So treat them as such, is the lesson here. This means evaluating them based on all their human dimensions and not just reckoning them as economic cogs, as objects. "They pick our grapes" or "They do our tech" may be a good argument for automation, but for immigration, it's Marxist to the core.

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CO2 & Global Warming

by James T. Moodey

The climate-change scheme and net-zero carbon policy are based upon a false notion that carbon dioxide and other gases cause global warming. They do not. We don't have to guess about this. We have empirical and scientific proof.

I owned a Weights and Measures gas-physics testand-repair facility and conducted tests. We learned gas physics from engineers at factories that manufacture gas-physics instruments. They must understand gas physics, or their instruments won't work.

How academia got this wrong

In 1988, James Hansen flip-flopped from "global cooling" to "global warming" being dangerous.

Al Gore fed the fear with \$22 billion in annual funding for universities and professors to study the matter. Hansen's claim is a falsehood. People move to warmer climes for their health. Consider all the species, in the plant and animal kingdoms, that thrive near the equator, whereas none survives at the poles.

Yet, out of desperation for the money, professors cornered themselves into attempts to prove a falsehood to be true. To do that, one must lie. Each lie created new falsehoods until they have made gas physics look like a child's messy bedroom strewn with theories.

Nearly everything we have heard about global warming for the past thirty-five years has been from the professorial world, which has been untested theory. How often have their declarations and predictions come true?

Because their world is theoretical, they use peer review for approval. But there is no such thing as peer review in the private sector; either something works or it does not, and everything is tested. Engineers who design gas-physics instruments must be correct, or their instruments fail, buildings might burn, and they certainly would be fired.

There are two trees of gas physics: the professorial-theoretical tree in academia, beginning in 1662, and real-world gas physics, taught by private-sector engineers, beginning in 1836. The professorial tree began in 1662 with Boyle's law (pv=k, higher the pressure, lower the volume). American Meter company engineers invented the gas meter in 1836, the same dual-bellows meter that sits in front of your home. That began the non-theoretical tree, which is supported by real science—testing.

In the last half of that century, John D. Rockefeller began using American Meter instruments (turbines and diaphragm meters) to measure thousands of cubic feet of compressed natural gas into large tanks, and transporting them by train to New York. Apparently, a customer disputed the amount of gas sent. American

Meter tested the diaphragms measuring the flow out at low pressure and the high-pressure turbines measuring gas into the tanks. They found the meters to be accurate; however, the readings were significantly different.

To test the correction factor of Boyle's law, American Meter built a high-pressure test facility in northern Pennsylvania, which is still there. I toured it with them. They determined that Boyle's law is wrong. The higher the pressure, the more wrong it is. They meticulously tested and created calculi that match the tests. These calculi are called supercompressibility formulas. Over the years, they have created fifteen formulas, AGA 1 through 15. Not one of them shows up in my advanced physics book. The book has pages of calculus derived from formulas that are wrong. Even the ideal (or universal) gas law formula is not precisely accurate. It would have to change with each gas to remain accurate.

There is no curriculum for gas physics in academia. Engineering and physics classes merely touch upon the subject with centuries-old (and misleading) postulates such as continuity of energy and thermodynamics. Professors have used these to leap to the conclusion that energy cannot be destroyed, or at least it migrates on and on. This is also false.

Theoretical gas physics is like theoretical math: it leads to false conclusions.

The true science

Energy does not migrate on and on. Kinetic energy (motion) is continuously destroyed in a gravitational field. Put bluntly, a six-year-old can see that a baseball rolls to a stop.

All matter, including gases, is affected by gravity. Temperature is the measure of kinetic energy. The definition of temperature is "an indication of the speed that atoms and molecules are moving" (*Dorling Kindersley Science Encyclopedia*, page 140). A heat source causes them to accelerate and collide with one another, and when they cool, they slow down. They do not go elsewhere.

Professors skip over this simple truth, the definition of temperature. Temperature simply speeds up and slows down—like the atoms in a mercury thermometer. Any migration of energy ends abruptly, like sand under a rolling baseball.

The empirical proof that an elephant weighs more than a mouse is observation. The scientific proof is to put both on a scale and weigh them. All agree that from 1950 to 1985, our atmosphere cooled very slightly. It did the same from 1997 to 2015. During both periods, carbon dioxide levels rose dramatically.

That is empirical proof that carbon dioxide does not cause warming. It is fifty-five years of proof. It is the elephant in the room.

We need to stop thinking, "It has to cause at least some warming." No, it doesn't—obviously, it doesn't. The question we should be asking is, "Why doesn't carbon dioxide cause warming?" That leads to the proper scientific conclusion: measure it.

In our first test, we conducted a test of vaporous (70 percent humidity) atmospheric air including carbon dioxide and other trace gases. The air—carbon dioxide mixture matched actual conditions.

The air—carbon dioxide mixture was isolated in our climate-controlled proving (test) room and heated. Once the heat source was discontinued, temperature dropped steadily at about 1 degree Fahrenheit every 32 minutes. During a typical sunny day, our atmosphere absorbs about 22 degrees Fahrenheit. The vaporous air-carbon dioxide mixture in this test cooled 22 degrees in about 11 hours, 45 minutes. This, by no coincidence, closely matches the cooling rate of our atmosphere.

In our next experiments, we tested pure carbon dioxide. We measured the time it took for carbon dioxide to cool 22 degrees once the heat source was removed. The cooling time varied between about three and ten minutes depending upon the type of container. The fastest cooling time was in a plastic container at 3 minutes and 47 seconds. Any container will slow cooling, so the gas in open atmosphere cools faster than indicated by the test.

In the atmosphere, carbon dioxide will therefore cool as fast as the Sun and vaporous air allow it to cool.

Even the vaporous mixture of all gases cools faster than 24 hours. Temperature does not, and cannot, accumulate in our atmosphere.

Yes, some gases absorb more heat than others; however, for how long does any of them retain that temperature after the heat source is removed? The answer is, certainly not long enough for the greenhouse theory to be true or to cause warming. Advocates claim that greenhouse gases retain temperature from day to day. There is no such thing.

And the notion that an increased number of parts per million (ppm) of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere will cause warming is also false. A metaphor might help here. Your car engine that heats to near a thousand degrees cools to cold steel by morning. It does not matter whether there are 200 or 400 cars in your neighborhood. Nor does it matter whether the engine is large or small. Without a heat source, they all cool quickly and at about the same rate.

In other words, carbon dioxide is not a greenhouse gas. Only in academic theory are there greenhouse gases that retain temperature from day to day. In the real world, they do not exist. The reason carbon dioxide causes no warming in our atmosphere is that it cools too quickly.

These tests further prove that no gas—whether carbon dioxide, nitrogen, methane, or even humid

atmospheric air—retains heat from day to day. They all cool too quickly. Prolonged warming, if it occurs, is caused by the Sun.

To naysayers, we say, prove it. Prove it or stop creating destructive laws and rules based upon false theories.

We say to academics, measure it like real scientists. Build a laboratory like ours or Thomas Edison's. Try to get carbon dioxide to retain temperature from day to day.

It is a simple test. We used precision instruments. However, this is a repeatable test that anyone can perform with hardware-store instruments.

—American Thinker, October 13, 2023

Radical Islam→Islamic Nazism by Dennis Prager

"In every generation they arise to annihilate us."

That statement appears in the Haggadah, the book read from at the Passover Seder. The book is about 1,000 years old; the statement is more than 2,000 years old.

A generation or two ago, it was the Nazis who arose to annihilate the Jews.

In this generation, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Hamas, Hezbollah, and other Islamic movements have risen to annihilate the Jews.

The widespread overuse of the term "Nazi"—like the overuse of the terms "fascist," "racist," "existential threat," "genocide," "misinformation," "threat to our democracy," among others—has rendered "Nazi" little more than a word to dismiss people who oppose the Left.

"Nazi" should never be used to describe non-Nazis. Nazi evil was *sui generis*. There has never been as organized, as industrialized, an attempt to murder every member of a religious/ethnic group—"every member" meaning babies, women, and the elderly as well as adult males—as the Nazi attempt to murder every Jew in Europe. Within a mere four years, they nearly succeeded: The Nazis murdered two out every three Jews in Europe.

But the term "Nazi" is applicable to one ideology today. There is an ideological successor to the Nazis. Just as the primary aim of Nazism was to kill every Jew in Europe, the primary aim of tens of millions of radical Muslims is to kill the seven million Jews in Israel and eradicate the one Jewish state.

The Muslim leaders of the Islamic Republic of Iran regularly announce that the annihilation of Israel is their paramount aim. They would rather murder the Jews of Israel and eradicate Israel than feed their people. In fact, they have stated that the death of tens of millions of their

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fellow Iranians is a price worth paying if it means annihilating Israel.

That is why the purpose of Hamas's attack was to slaughter as many Jews as possible. No army base was attacked—because the attack had no military aim. Hamas Einsatzgruppen (the name of the Nazi mobile killing units) attacked a music festival, where they murdered at least 270 young people and maimed an untold number of others. Their other targets were homes, so as to kill entire families—because their aim was not military victory but the murder of Jews. Babies and grandmothers are not military targets.

Many Jews not initially killed by Hamas were taken as hostages, including toddlers and grandparents. "Social media," the *Times of Israel* reported, "were filled with horrifying videos of men, women, and children being carried into the (Gaza) Strip, many of them appearing to have been abused."

The celebrations in Gaza and elsewhere in the Muslim world were over Jews having been murdered and displayed. You can see the ecstatic joy of throngs of Palestinians in Gaza as Hamas terrorists display Jewish bodies in the back of pickup trucks driving through the streets of Gaza.

From the *Times of Israel*:

The video of the woman stripped down to her underwear appears to be of Shani Louk, a German citizen who was identified by her mother, and who had been attending the music festival which was staged close to Kibbutz Re'im. Hamas operatives are seen celebrating and cheering in the pickup truck in which they had placed Louk's body, which was contorted in an unnatural angle, while Palestinians surrounding the truck shouted, "Allahu Akbar" ("God is the greatest"). Two of the men spit on her.

From the *Daily Mail*:

A woman was seen being kidnapped with her children as horrified onlookers screamed: "She has a baby." The mother was later identified as Shiri who was taken with her husband, Yarden, sons Ariel, three, and nine-month-old Kfir, as well as her elderly parents Yossi and Margit. They were

believed to have been snatched from Shiri's home ... on the border with Gaza.

Disturbing footage shows a boy of ten being dragged towards an opening in the border's fence by terrorists.

Erez Kalderon, who was snatched from his home in Nir Oz in the south of Israel by Hamas, looks terrified as he is led through the streets by the heavily armed men. His father Ofer and sister Sahar, 16, were also abducted.

Ditza Heiman, 84, was kidnapped from her home in Kibbutz Nir Oz, close to the border, and taken into Gaza... Another grandmother, 85-year-old Yaffa Adar, was bundled into a golf buggy at gunpoint by a group of terrorists.

The result was that on Oct. 7, 2023, more Jews were murdered than on any one day since the Holocaust. Percentage-wise, it was as if 40,000 Americans had been murdered. And these Israelis were murdered for the same reason Jews were murdered during the Holocaust—because they were Jews.

Radical Islam's useful idiots on the Left deny this fact. They say that Muslims who seek to annihilate Israel are not motivated by antisemitism but by anti-Zionism, as if there is any real-world difference between the two, and as if seeking to eradicate one nation in the world—the only one that happens to be Jewish—is in no way anti-Jewish.

It should therefore be noted, to cite but one example of non-Israeli Jews being murdered by Islamists, that in 1994, Hezbollah, the Iran-backed terrorist organization in Lebanon, bombed the Jewish Community Center in Buenos Aires, Argentina, killing 85 people and injuring more than 300. They weren't Israelis; they were Argentinian Jews.

It should also be noted that Hamas's charter makes no distinction between Zionists, Israelis, and Jews:

The Day of Judgment will not come about until Moslems fight Jews and kill them. Then, the Jews will hide behind rocks and trees, and the rocks and trees will cry out: "O Moslem, there is a Jew hiding behind me, come and kill him."

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