

ANTI-SEMITISM In the Church Age

Genesis 12:2-3

Last session, we saw that in the Age of Israel, Satan attempted in many ways to destroy the Jews By using many peoples in this effort (review the previous increment, points 1-9). These included the Egyptians in Exodus 1-12, Amalekites, Balaam and the Moabites and Midianites, Assyrians, Syrians, Phoenicians, Philistines, the Seleucids, and finally the Romans, from 64 BC to 70 AD.

Now, we study his continued attempts at destruction of the Jews during the Church Age even to this very day, continuing with point 10.

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10. The Romans – About 100 AD – 476 AD. They were reasonably tolerant of the Jews, until the fall of Rome.
11. The Dark Ages – 476 AD – 1500 AD. Much anti-Semitism
 - ❖ Political fusion of church and state.
 - ❖ The Medieval Inquisition - 13th – 14th centuries AD.
 - ❖ The Mongols –13th & 14th centuries AD. Tolerant of the Jews. Conquered from Sea of Japan to Eastern Europe and from India in the south to Siberia in the north.

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12. The British Empire and America

- ❖ Early 16th century – Henry VIII broke ties with the Church of Rome. Protestant influence created a strong pivot in Britain.
- ❖ Mid-17th century AD – Oliver Cromwell declared Britain a haven for the Jews.
- ❖ America became a part of the Anglo-Saxon pivot, along with Britain.
- ❖ Victorian Era –19th century AD. Jewish statesmen Gladstone and Disraeli came to power in British Empire.
- ❖ Late 19th and early 20th century – rise of Zionism and the Balfour Declaration of British support for a Jewish Homeland in Palestine.
- ❖ 1923-1948 – British mandate in Palestine. Britain's policies became gradually anti-Semitic.

13. Nazi Germany – 1938-1945

- ❖ In 1920's & 1930's Germany dominated by Hitler and his Nazi thugs.
- ❖ The Nazi 3rd Reich destroyed in 1945 at the end of WWII.

14. Russia

- ❖ Long history of persecution of Jews back to early 19th century.
- ❖ Terrible suffering of Russian people under communism.
- ❖ As Gog of Magog, Russia will be destroyed at the 2nd Advent.

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15. Most Moslem Nations Today

- ❖ Many have already received divine discipline for anti-Semitism.
- ❖ Many will be aligned with satanic forces during the Tribulation and will be destroyed at the 2nd Advent of the Lord Jesus Christ.

16. The World Today

- ❖ Has largely forgotten the Nazi Holocaust
- ❖ ADL: over 1 billion people in 102 countries surveyed harbor anti- Semitic attitudes (26% of people surveyed).
- ❖ Number of anti-Semitic acts in France doubled in 2014 over 2013.
- ❖ When a country becomes anti-Semitic it risks Divine wrath.

The USA cannot afford anti-Semitism!!!