

HOLOCAUST

CHAPTER 32 SECT 3

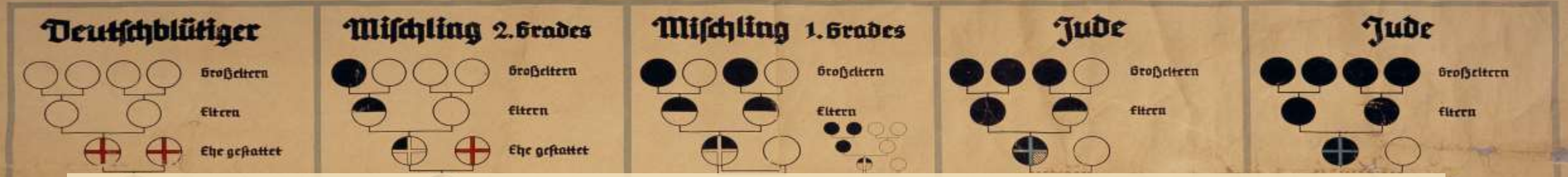


SETTING THE STAGE

- AS PART OF THEIR VISION FOR EUROPE, THE NAZI'S PROPOSED A NEW RACIAL ORDER.
- THEY PROCLAIMED THAT THE ORIGINAL GERMANIC PEOPLE, OR ARYANS, WERE A MASTER RACE.
- THE NAZI'S CLAIMED THAT ALL NON-ARYAN PEOPLES, PARTICULARLY JEWISH PEOPLE, WERE INFERIOR.



Die Nürnberger Gesetze



- TO GAIN SUPPORT FOR HIS RACIST IDEAS, HITLER KNOWINGLY TAPPED INTO A HATRED FOR JEWS THAT HAD DEEP ROOTS IN EUROPEAN HISTORY.
- MANY EUROPEANS HAD TARGETED THE JEWS AS THE CAUSE OF THEIR FAILURES (JEWS WERE TYPICALLY LAWYERS, BROOKERS, MONEY HANDELERS, BANKERS)
- THE NUREMBURG LAWS, PASSED IN 1935, DEPRIVED JEWS OF THEIR RIGHTS TO GERMAN CITIZENSHIP, FORBADE MARRIAGES BETWEEN JEWS & NON-JEWS. THEY ALSO LIMITED THE JOBS JEWS COULD DO.

Legend:

- White circle: gehört zur Deutschen Volksgemeinschaft an, kann Reichsbürger werden.
- Black circle: gehört zur jüdischen Rasse an, darf nicht Reichsbürger werden.
- Split circle: gehört zur Mischlings-Rasse an, darf nicht Reichsbürger werden.
- Circle with cross: gehört zur jüdischen Rasse an, darf nicht Reichsbürger werden.

Rules:

- Mischling 2. Grades:** gehört zur Deutschen Volksgemeinschaft an, kann Reichsbürger werden.
- Mischling 1. Grades:** gehört zur Deutschen Volksgemeinschaft an, kann Reichsbürger werden.
- Jude:** gehört der jüdischen Rasse an, darf nicht Reichsbürger werden.
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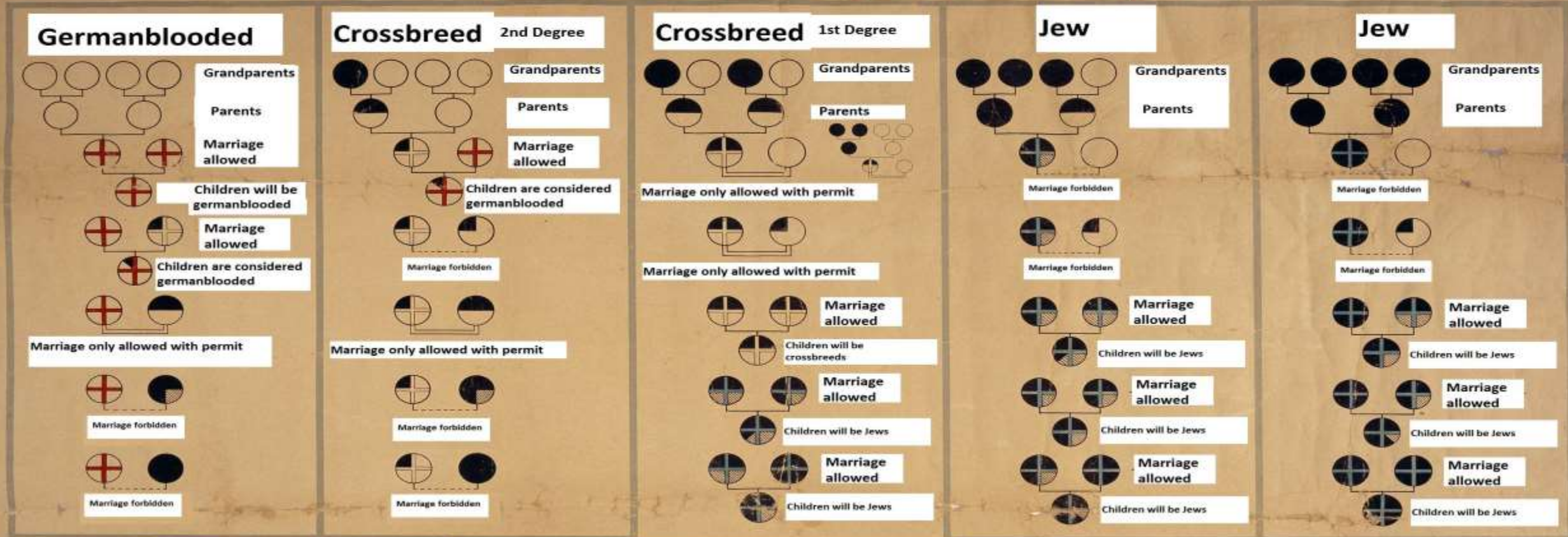
- Mischling, der aus verbotener außerehelicher Verheiratung mit einem Juden stammt und der nach dem 31. Juli 1936 außerehelich geboren wird, gilt als Jude.
- Mischling gilt als Jude, wenn er mit einem Juden verheiratet ist.
- Mischling, der aus einer Ehe mit einem Juden stammt, die nach dem 17. 9. 1935 geschlossen ist, gilt als Jude, bei bereits bestehenden Ehen bleibt er Mischling.
- Mischling, der aus verbotener außerehelicher Verheiratung mit einem Juden stammt und der nach dem 31. Juli 1936 außerehelich geboren wird, gilt als Jude.
- Kinder werden Juden.
- wie oben

Reichsbürgergesetz vom 15. 9. 1935
1. Verordnung vom 14. 11. 1935

Gesetz zum Schutze des Deutschen Blutes und der Deutschen Ehre vom 15. 9. 1935
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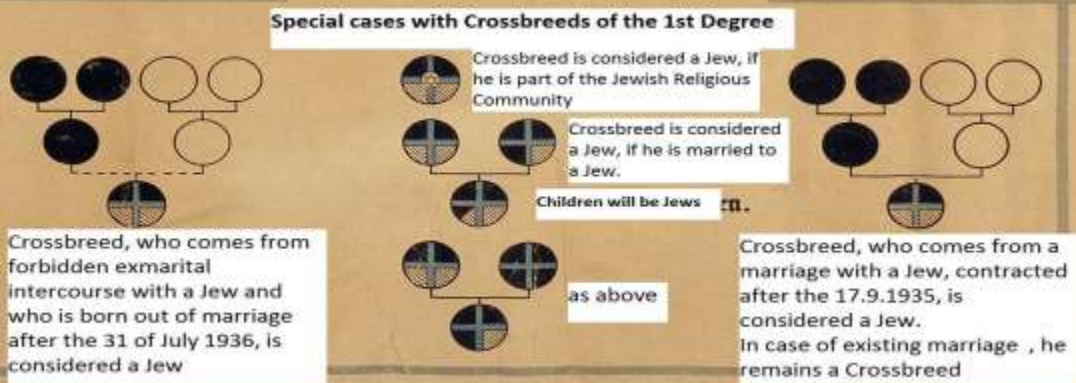
Reichsgesetzblätter I Nr. 300 vom 16. 9. 1935
Nr. 125 vom 14. 11. 1935

Die Nürnberger Gesetze



Legend

Germanblooded		Belongs to the German Blood- and Race-Collective, can become Imperial Citizen
Crossbreed 2nd Degree		Only belongs to the German Race-Collective, can become Imperial Citizen
Crossbreed 1st Degree		Only belongs to the German Race-Collective, can become Imperial Citizen
Jew		Belongs to the Jewish Blood- a. Race-Collective, cannot become Imperial Citizen
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Reichsbürgergesetz vom 15. 9. 1935
 1. Verordnung vom 14. 11. 1935
 Das Reichsbürgerrecht ist in jedem einzelnen Satz von der Errichtung abhängig

Gesetz zum Schutze des Deutschen Blutes und der Deutschen Ehre vom 15. 9. 1935
 1. Verordnung vom 14. 11. 1935
 Eheverbot

NUREMBURG LAWS ON CITIZENSHIP AND RACE, 1935

1) The Reich Citizenship Law of September 15, 1935

ARTICLE II: A citizen of the Reich (the German State) may be only one who is of German or kindred blood, and who, through his behavior shows that he is both desirous and personally fit to serve loyally the German people and the Reich.

2) First Supplementary Decree of November 14, 1935

ARTICLE IV: A Jew cannot be a citizen of the Reich...He cannot occupy public office

3) The Law for the Protection of German Blood and Honor, September 15, 1935

ARTICLE I: Any marriage between Jews and citizens of German blood are herewith forbidden. Marriages entered into despite this law are invalid...

ARTICLE II: Extramarital affairs between Jews and citizens of German blood are forbidden...

REQUIREMENTS

- ALL JEWS MUST WEAR THE STAR OF DAVID PINNED TO THEIR ARMS
- ALL GERMAN CITIZENS ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE ID CARDS, JEWS HAVE A RED 'J' STAMPED ON IT
- [VIDEO](#)



Polend



Romania



Belgium



France



Germany



Holland



Slovakia



Other Part of Slovakia

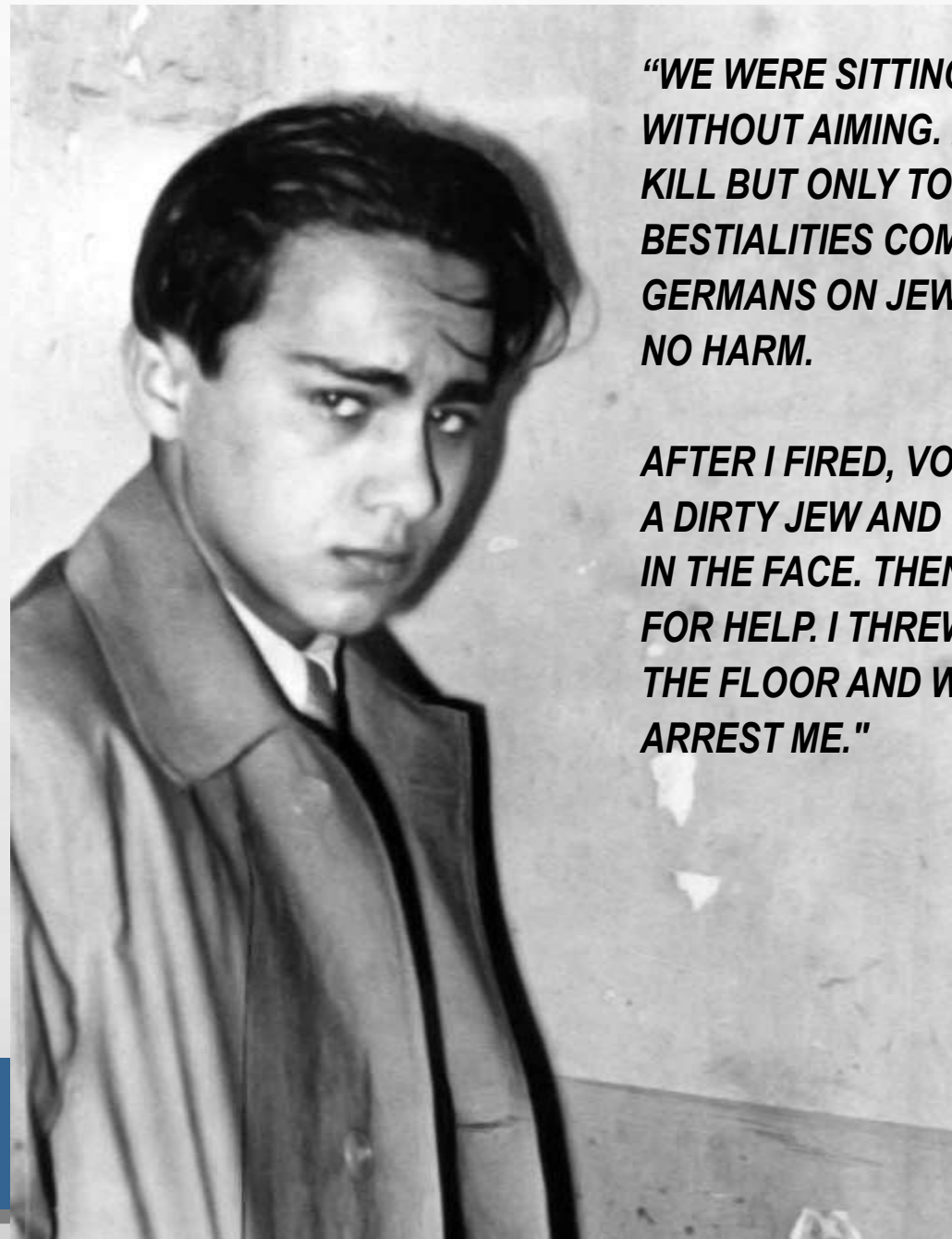


Bulgaria



NOVEMBER 1938

- **WORSE WAS YET TO COME FOR THE JEWS... IN NOV. 1938 A 17 YEAR OLD JEWISH YOUTH FROM GERMANY WAS VISITING AN UNCLE IN PARIS. WHILE HE WAS THERE, HE RECEIVED A POSTCARD STATING THAT HIS FATHER, AFTER LIVING IN GERMANY FOR 27 YEARS, WAS BEING DEPORTED TO POLAND.**
- **UPON HEARING THIS NEWS, AND WANTING TO AVENGE HIS FATHERS DEPORTATION, HE SHOT A GERMAN DIPLOMAT LIVING IN PARIS.**



"WE WERE SITTING DOWN. I FIRED WITHOUT AIMING. I INTENDED NOT TO KILL BUT ONLY TO PROTEST THE BESTIALITIES COMMITTED BY GERMANS ON JEWS WHO HAVE DONE NO HARM.

AFTER I FIRED, VOM RATH CALLED ME A DIRTY JEW AND GOT UP AND HIT ME IN THE FACE. THEN HE LEFT CRYING FOR HELP. I THREW THE REVOLVER ON THE FLOOR AND WAITED FOR THEM TO ARREST ME."

***GESTAPO = SECRET POLICE OF NAZI GERMANY**

To all Gestapo Stations and Gestapo District Stations

To Officer or Deputy



1. At very short notice (action) against the Jews, especially against their synagogues, will take place throughout the whole of Germany. They are not to be hindered...
2. Preparations are to be made for the arrest of between 20,000 and 30,000 Jews in the Reich. Wealthy Jews in particular are to be selected.

This teleprinter message is secret.

- WHEN NAZI LEADERS HEARD THIS NEWS, THEY LAUNCHED A VIOLENT ATTACK ON THE JEWISH COMMUNITY.
- THEY ATTACKED THEIR HOMES, BUSINESSES AND SYNAGOGUES AND MURDERED CLOSE TO 100 JEWS.

“JEWISH SHOP WINDOWS BY THE HUNDREDS WERE SYSTEMATICALLY ...SMASHED... THE MAIN STREETS OF THE CITY WERE A POSITIVE LITTER OF SHATTERED PLATE GLASS”

- IT IS FOR THIS REASON THAT IT IS KNOWN AS 'KRISTALLNACHT' OR 'NIGHT OF BROKEN GLASS'



**BURNING OF THE BOEMESTRASSE SYNAGOGUE IN
FRANKFURT GERMANY**



THIS NIGHT SHOWED NOT ONLY THE NAZI'S HATRED FOR THE JEWS, BUT ALSO THAT NO ONE WAS WILLING TO FIGHT AND STAND UP FOR THE DISCRIMINATION TOWARDS THEM. [VIDEO](#)



AT FIRST HITLER FAVORED EMIGRATION AS A SOLUTION TO WHAT HE CALLED THE “JEWISH PROBLEM”. HOWEVER GETTING OTHER COUNTRIES TO CONTINUE TO ACCEPT GERMANY’S JEWS POSED A PROBLEM.

- AFTER ADMITTING THOUSANDS, GREAT BRITIAN, FRANCE AND THE US CLOSED THEIR BORDERS TO REFUGEES (SOUND FAMILIAR?)

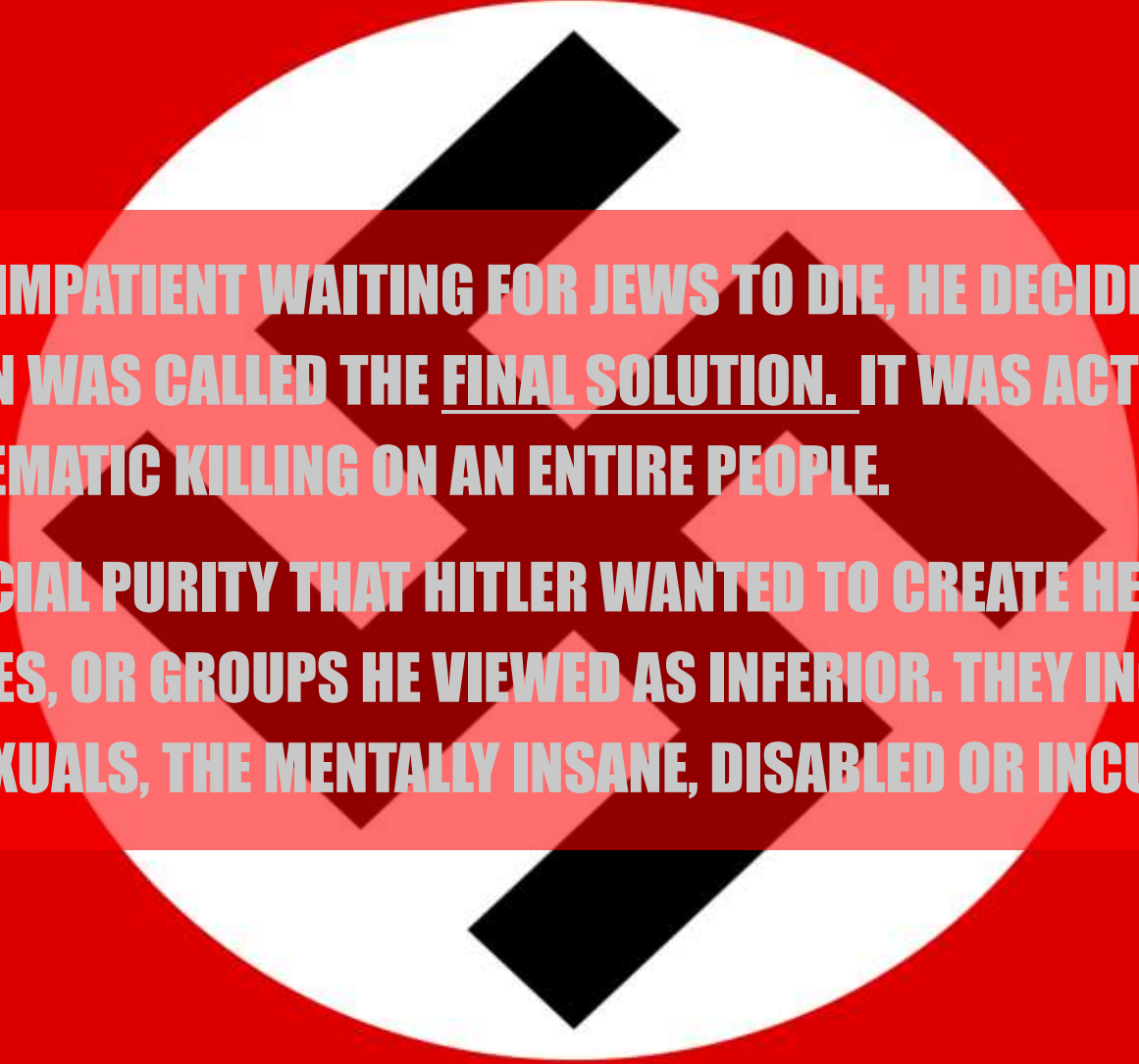
GERMANY’S FOREIGN MINISTER SAID *“WE ALL WANT TO GET RID OF OUR JEWS. THE DIFFICULTY IS THAT NO COUNTRY WISHES TO RECEIVE THEM”!!!*





WHEN HITLER FOUND THAT HE COULD NOT GET RID OF THE JEWS THROUGH EMIGRATION, HE PUT ANOTHER PLAN INTO EFFECT.

- HE ORDERED JEWS IN ALL COUNTRIES UNDER HIS CONTROL TO BE MOVED INTO GHETTOS, OR SEGREGATED JEWISH AREAS.**
- THE NAZI'S THEN SEALED OFF THE GHETTOS WITH BARBED WIRE AND STONE WALLS. THEY HOPED THE JEWS INSIDE WOULD STARVE TO DEATH OR DIE FROM DISEASE.**



- **HITLER SOON GREW IMPATIENT WAITING FOR JEWS TO DIE, HE DECIDED TO TAKE A MORE DIRECT APPROACH. HIS PLAN WAS CALLED THE FINAL SOLUTION. IT WAS ACTUALLY A PROGRAM OF GENOCIDE, WHICH IS THE SYSTEMATIC KILLING ON AN ENTIRE PEOPLE.**
- **TO PROTECT THE RACIAL PURITY THAT HITLER WANTED TO CREATE HE HAD TO ELIMINATE OTHER RACES, NATIONALITIES, OR GROUPS HE VIEWED AS INFERIOR. THEY INCLUDED: ROMA (GYPSIES), POLES, RUSSIANS, HOMOSEXUALS, THE MENTALLY INSANE, DISABLED OR INCURABLY ILL.**

- **UNITS FROM HITLER'S SS (HIS ELITE SECURITY FORCE) MOVED FROM TOWN TO TOWN TO HUNT DOWN JEWS. THEY ROUNDED THEM UP (MEN, WOMEN & CHILDREN) THEY THEN SHOT THEM.**

- **JEWS IN COMMUNITIES NOT REACHED BY THE KILLING SQUADS WERE ROUNDED UP AND TAKEN TO CONCENTRATION CAMPS, OR SLAVE LABOR PRISONS. BUT WHY WAS EVERYONE OK WITH THIS? [VIDEO](#)**

THE ALLGEMEINE-SS



ROBIN LUMSDEN, PAUL HANNON



Concentration Camps and Killing Centers



• **HITLER HOPED THAT THE HORRIBLE CONDITIONS IN THE CAMPS WOULD SPEED THE TOTAL ELIMINATION OF THE JEWS.**

• **THE PRISONERS WORKED 7 DAYS A WEEK AS SLAVES FOR THE SS OR FOR GERMAN BUSINESSES.**

- **IN SCHINDLER'S LIST SCHINDLER SETS UP HIS FACTORY IN KRAKOW, POLAND AND HIRES JEWS, RATHER THAN POLES, BECAUSE THEY ARE CHEAPER TO EMPLOY. WORKERS AT THE FACTORY WILL BE DEEMED "ESSENTIAL"—A STATUS THAT SAVES THEM FROM REMOVAL TO DEATH CAMPS. STERN RECOGNIZES THIS FACT IMMEDIATELY AND FILLS THE FACTORY WITH MANY JEWISH WORKERS WHOM THE NAZIS WOULD OTHERWISE HAVE DEEMED EXPENDABLE.**

- **THE FINAL SOLUTION REACHED IT'S LAST STAGE IN 1942. AT THAT TIME NAZI'S BUILT EXTERMINATION CAMPS EQUIPPED WITH HUGE GAS CHAMBERS THAT COULD KILL AS MANY AS 6,000 HUMAN BEINGS IN A DAY.**

Jews Killed Under Nazi Rule*			
	Original Jewish Population	Jews Killed	Percent Surviving
Poland	3,300,000	2,800,000	15%
Soviet Union (area occupied by Germans)	2,100,000	1,500,000	29%
Hungary	404,000	200,000	49%
Romania	850,000	425,000	50%
Germany/Austria	270,000	210,000	22%
*Estimates		Source: Hannah Vogt, <i>The Burden of Guilt</i>	

PRIMARY SOURCE

Never shall I forget the little faces of the children, whose bodies I saw turned into wreaths of smoke beneath a silent blue sky. Never shall I forget those flames which consumed my faith forever. . . . Never shall I forget those moments which murdered my God and my soul and turned my dreams to dust. . . . Never.

ELIE WIESEL, quoted in *Night*

AS ALLIED TROOPS ENTERED NAZI OCCUPIED TERRITORIES, THEY STUMBLED UPON THE CONCENTRATION CAMPS & WERE SHOCKED AT WHAT THEY FOUND. [VIDEO](#)

