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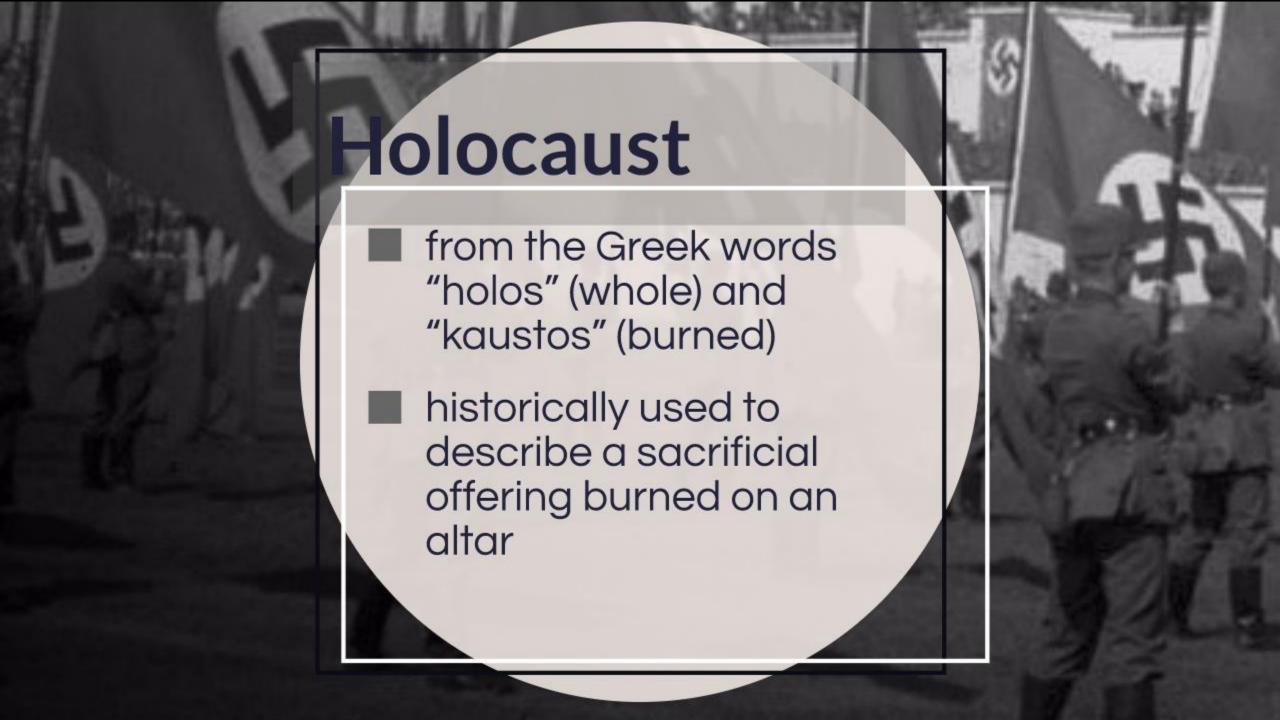
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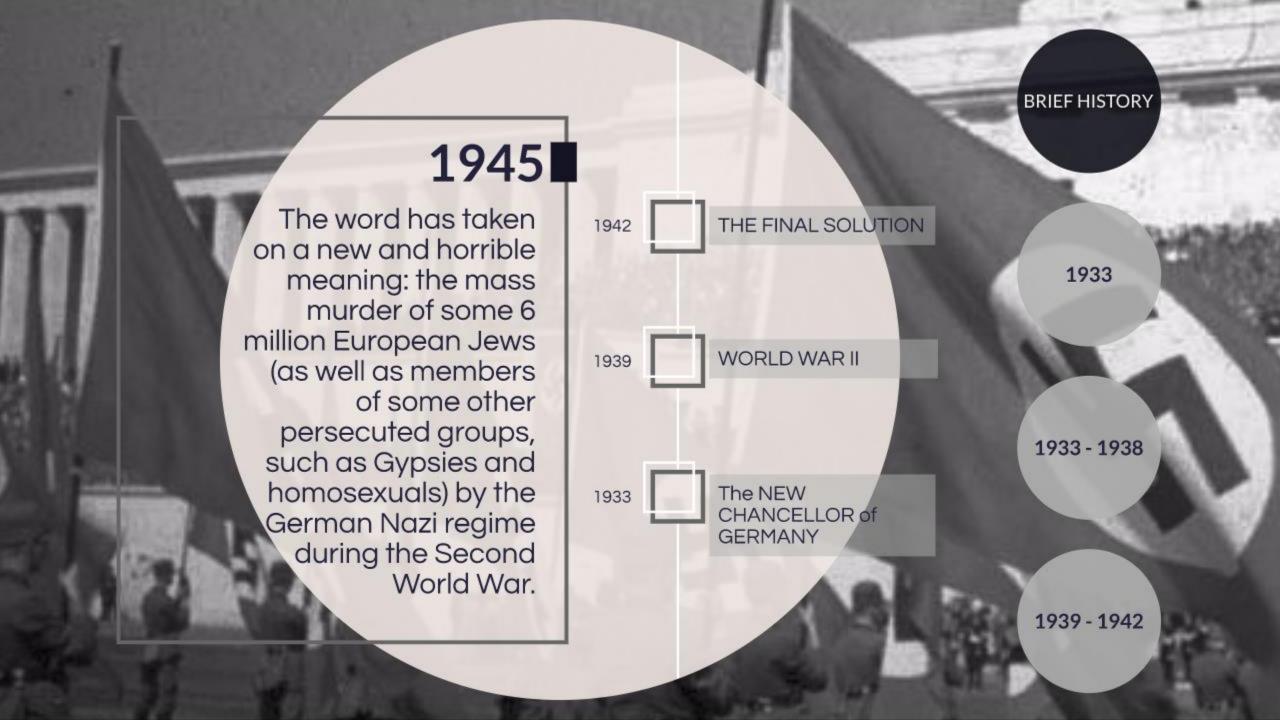
INTRODUCTION

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PRE-HOLOCAUST



Jews had lived in Europe for more than 2,000 years. The Jewish communities of Germany grew over the years and at times thrived both culturally and economically.

1933 ADOLF HITLER

(20 April 1889 - 30 April 1945)



- was a German politician who was the leader of the Nazi Party (Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiterpartei; NSDAP)
- Chancellor of Germany from 1933 to 1945, and Führer ("Leader") of Nazi Germany from 1934 to 1945.
- As dictator of the German Reich, he initiated World War II in Europe with the invasion of Poland in September 1939 and was central to the Holocaust.

WHY JEWS???

- The Nazi Party takes power in Germany, Hitler becomes Chancellor.
- Nazis "temporarily restrict" civil liberties for all citizens - never to be restored.
- Trade unions are closed. Books declared contrary to Nazi beliefs are publicly burned.

- German Government enacts the Nuremburg Race Law on September.
- Nazis intensify persecution of political dissidents and others considered "inferior" including Romanies ("Gypsies"), Jehovah's Witnesses, and homosexuals. Many are sent to concentration camps.

- Nazis attack Jews throughout Germany -30,000 Jews arrested. 91 Jews killed. 8,500 shops and businesses looted. More than 1,000 synagogues set afire.
- Jewish children are expelled from public schools.
- Nazis seize control of Jewish owned businesses.

1939 SECOND WORLD WAR

- Germany invades Poland.
- World War II begins.
- Nazis order Polish Jews into restricted ghettos and force them into slave labor.
- Hitler orders the so-called "Euthanasia" program leading to the systematic murder of the mentally and physically disabled in Germany and Austria.

 Nazis begin deporting German Jews to Poland.

 Nazis begin the first mass murder of Jews at Treblinka

• 33,771 Ukranian Jews at Babi Yar - the largest single massacre of the Holocaust.

THE "FINAL SOLUTION"

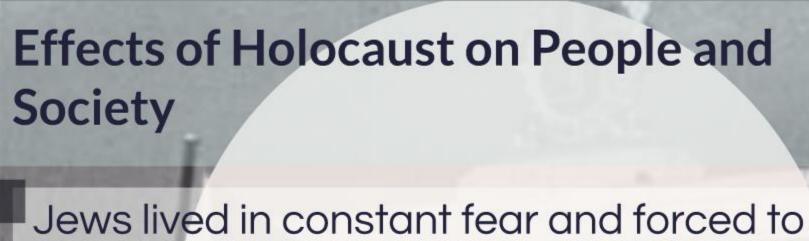


GOAL OF THE HOLOCAUST

The Holocaust was an attempt of Hitler to rid Germany of Communists and Jews.

A deliberate and systematic genocide across German-occupied Europe was formulated in procedural terms by Nazi leadership in January at the Wannsee Conference.

Six death camps equipped with gas chambers soon begin full scale operation in Poland: Majdanek, Chelmno, Sobibor, Treblinka, Belzec, and Auschewitz-Birkenau.



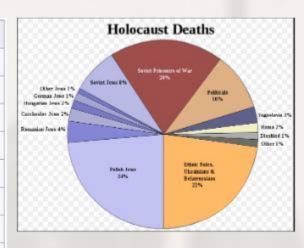
Jews lived in constant fear and forced to live in ghettos

Starvation, sickness and exhaustion in concentration camps

Isolation of Jews in many aspects (e.g. business, education)



Victims	Killed
Jews	5.93 million
Soviet POWs	2–3 million
Ethnic Poles	1.8–2 million
Serbs	300,000-500,000
Disabled	270,000
Romani	90,000-220,000
Freemasons	80,000-200,000
Slovenes	20,000-25,000
Homosexuals	5,000-15,000
Jehovah's Witnesses	2,500-5,000
Spanish Republicans	7,000

















German authorities reintroduced the Jewish badge as a key element in their plan to persecute and eventually to destroy the Jewish population of Europe







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