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In article <C60A0s.Dvl@mail~~er~~.cc.fsu.edu> dekorte@dirac.**scri**.fsu.edu (Stephen L. DeKorte)
writes:

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>I saw a 3 hour show on PBS the other day about the history of the
>Jews. Apparently, the Cursades(a religious war agianst the muslilams
>in 'the holy land') sparked the widespread persecution of muslilams
>and jews in europe. Among the supporters of the persiecutation, were none
>other than Martin Luther, and the Vatican.
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>Later, Hitler would use Luthers writings to justify his own treatment
>of the jews.
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Heck, I remember reading a quote of Luther as something like: "Jews should
be shot like deer." And of course much Catholic doctrine for centuries was
extremely anti-**Semitic**.

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"Are you so sure that your truth and your justice are worth more than the
truths and justices of other centuries?" - Simone de Beauvoir

"Where is there a **certainty** that rises above all doubt and withstands all
critique?" - Karl Jaspers **Rice** University, Will **Rice** College '96