

# The Cross And The Swastika

The Cross and the Swastika-Frederick Grossmith 1989

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The Swastika Against the Cross-Bruce Walker 2008-05 An exploration of the Nazi's plans to eliminate Christianity.

The Buddhist Swastika and Hitler's Cross-T. K. Nakagaki 2018-09-25 The swastika has been used for over three thousand years by billions of people in many cultures and religions—including Buddhism, Jainism and Hinduism—as an auspicious symbol of the sun and good fortune. However, beginning with its hijacking and misappropriation by Nazi Germany, it has also been used, and continues to be used, as a symbol of hate in the Western World. Hitler's device is in fact a "hooked cross." Rev. Nakagaki's book explains how and why these symbols got confused, and offers a path to peace, understanding, and reconciliation. Please note: Photographs in the digital edition of the books are in color. Photographs in the print edition are in black and white.

The Swastika of Hitler, Or The Cross of Christ-Rembert Gilman Smith 1942

The Cross Or the Swastika-Salvatore Tagliareni 2014-08-15 The Cross or the Swastika is the complex story of many characters caught in the web of the Second World War. It delves into collective pathology, where normal human beings accept and endorse inhuman behaviors. It also explores the roles and influence of the most powerful moral leaders in the world, and attempts to understand their silence as the innocents are led to the crematoria. In the vast array of characters there are monsters and heroes. Broad in scope and thematic undertakings, settings range from a prison cell in London to the Eternal City of Rome, from Denmark to the Russian Front. It imagines the secret conversations of the Nazi inner circle, as Hitler and Goebbels enact their plans for European domination and the extermination of the Jews. The plot follows decision-makers within the Vatican who must choose what course of action the Catholic Church will take as the Nazi cloud descends over Europe. Will they become involved in the politics of the day, going against the tradition of the church, or will they remain neutral and silent, not speaking out against horrific atrocities? An exploration of the role of the church, the depths of human depravity, and the inner strength needed to sustain individuals in times of deep crises, this novel ultimately asks: Which would you have chosen, the Cross or the Swastika?

Hitler's Cross SAMPLER-Erwin W. Lutzer 2012-07-01 Enjoy these SAMPLE pages from Hitler's Cross- Six million Jews...dead. The monstrosity of Adolph Hitler's 'Third Reich' remains a stunning chapter in the pages of history. Although the power by which he hypnotized an entire nation is legendary, one question in particular begs an answer: Where was the church of Christ? Seduced by the Satanic majesty of The Fuhrer, church leaders throughout Germany allowed the Swastika a prominent place alongside the Christian cross in their sanctuaries. Nationalistic pride replaced the call of God to purity, and with few exceptions, the German church looked away while Adolph Hitler implemented his 'Final Solution' to his Jewish problem. How did this happen? In Hitler's Cross, Erwin W. Lutzer examines the lessons that may be learned from studying the deception of the church: the dangers of confusing "church and state," how the church lost its focus, the role of God in human tragedy, the parameters of Satan's freedom, the truth behind Hitler's hatred of the Jews, the faithfulness of God to His people who suffer for Him, the comparisons between Hitler's rise and the coming reign of the Antichrist, and America's hidden cross-her dangerous trends. Hitler's Cross is the story of a nation whose church forgot its primary call and discovered its failure too late.

The Swastika-Malcolm Quinn 2005-07-26 Despite the enormous amount of material on the subject of Nazism, there has been no substantial work on its emblem, the swastika. This original and controversial contribution examines the role that the swastika played in the construction of the Aryan myth in the nineteenth century, and its use in Nazi ideology as a symbol of party, nation and race, treating it as symbolic phenomenon in a cultural context. By identifying the swastika as a boundary or liminal image, Malcolm Quinn allies visual analysis to issues of material culture and history.

Hitler's Cross-Erwin W. Lutzer 2015-12-15 The story of Nazi Germany is one of conflict between two saviors and two crosses. "Deine Reich komme," Hitler prayed publicly—"Thy Kingdom come." But to whose kingdom was he referring? When Germany truly needed a savior, Adolf Hitler falsely assumed the role. He directed his countrymen to a cross, but he bent and hammered the true cross into a horrific substitute: a swastika. Where was the church through all of this? With a few exceptions, the German church looked away while Hitler inflicted his "Final Solution" upon the Jews. Hitler's Cross is a chilling historical account of what happens when evil meets a silent, shrinking church, and an intriguing and convicting exposé of modern America's own hidden crosses. Erwin W. Lutzer extracts a number of lessons from this dark chapter in world history, such as: The dangers of confusing church and state The role of God in human tragedy The parameters of Satan's freedom Hitler's Cross is the story of a nation whose church forgot its call and discovered its failure way too late. It is a cautionary tale for every church and Christian to remember who the true King is.

The Buddhist Swastika and Hitler's Cross-T. K. Nakagaki 2017-04-20 The swastika has a long history over a span of several thousand years as one of the world's most important auspicious symbols. However, beginning with its hijacking and misappropriation by Nazi Germany, it has also been used, and continues to be used, as a symbol of hate in the Western World. I hope this book will encourage more conversation and dialogue about the complex history of this symbol as a way to peace, mutual understanding and reconciliation. Quotes from the book:... It is clear that the swastika has had a rich and widespread use throughout most of the globe for thousands of years. The swastika is not just any symbol but one of the most common and valued symbols used by human beings throughout human history, culturally, religiously and spiritually. .... Many in the West believe that Hitler invented the swastika symbol. He didn't. Many also believe he invented the word "swastika" to describe it. He didn't do that either. ... The swastika did not choose Hitler. The swastika has been chosen by many cultures and religions as the symbol of the sun, good fortune and auspiciousness, and billions of people have received the benefit over three thousand years including those who follow Buddhism, Jainism and Hinduism. The swastika is not responsible for Hitler's actions. The swastika is a symbol, whose meaning lies in what others pour into it. .... The swastika also appears in the sutras as a symbol of the Buddha's Heart-Mind, the mind of great compassion, which embraces all beings without discrimination beyond likes and dislikes. .... Among the Indian religious traditions, Jainism is most closely associated with Ahimsa or non-violence, and its central symbol is the swastika. .... In this sense, it is a Buddhist responsibility to educate the misinformed public about the sacred symbol of the swastika, so the larger public can understand that in Asian religious contexts, it has nothing to do with the racism and hatred of Nazism or racist supremacy groups. .... Hitler always used the term "Hakenkreuz" which literally translates to "Hook-Cross," to refer to his symbol. ... Though racial discrimination and anti-Semitism were done under Hitler's Cross, English speakers do not see the cross in the swastika. These evil actions were instead done under Hitler's Swastika. If we call it a Hook-Cross, people may be more likely to recognize the cross in the center of the swastika-cross. Whether intentional or not, these translators protected the Christian cross and damaged the Eastern religious swastika. ... Talking about the swastika can open dialogue. Such a dialogue can embrace the tragedy of the Holocaust - not forgetting its victims but rather remembering them as the way not to repeat - while also providing paths to tolerance, respect and deeper mutual understanding of our religions, cultures and historical experiences. ...

The Swastika-Thomas Wilson 1896

This Colonies Question-W. J. Forbes 1939

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Cross and Swastika-Arthur Frey 1939

The Cross Or the Swastika, Etc-A. HAYWARD 1942

The Cross & the Swastika-Frederick T Grossmith 1984

Swastika Night-Katharine Burdekin 1985 Seven hundred years after Hitler's conquest of Europe men are encouraged to follow the soldierly virtues, while women are reduced to breeders and victims

Buddhist Swastika Hitler's Cross-Ian Tinny 2019-10-10 Does the Buddhist swastika encompass the same dogma touted by Adolf Hitler: SOCIALISM?

Do Buddhists and Buddhism embrace socialism? Do some Buddhists hide links between the Buddhist swastika and Hitler's cross? China requires Buddhists to support socialism and the socialist government. Some Buddhists in other countries support socialism too. The swastika means "well-being" and "good fortune" from the Sanskrit language. All socialists believe that socialism is beneficent and produces well-being. Hitler believed that too when he touted "socialism" by the very word in his voluminous speeches and writings. Stalin, Mao, Pol Pot, the Kim thugs and many others touted "socialism" by the very word. Millions lived in poverty and died under socialism. Do Buddhists perpetuate the same mistakes about socialism today? Hitler tilted his symbol 45 degrees and oriented it in the direction of the "S" letter shape to emphasize it as alphabetical symbolism for "socialism." Hitler also designed the "SA" symbol to show another "S" letter shape for "sturmbteilung." The "SS" symbol for "schutzstaffel" is similar too. "VW" car symbols show alphabetical symbolism from German socialism. Buddha was/is adorned with the swastika. Hitler was too.

The Iron Dream-Norman Spinrad 1974

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Between the Swastika and the Cross of Lorraine-Samuel Huston Goodfellow 1999 An examination of 1920s and 1930s Alsace, to reveal the many faces of fascism. The study of the region, with its interplay of French, German and Alsatian nationalities, proves a framework for understanding how this ideology has matured over time to fit changing contexts.

The Cross Versus the Swastika-Esther Sandner-Petersen 2005

Under the Castle-Joe Frankl 2010 This is the story of one boy's journey from an ordinary childhood in a European middle-class family into an alien world of terror and persecution where fear and violence reigned. Millions had to perish before Germany was defeated And The Continent could return to sanity. The Nazis' rise to power had transformed occupied Europe into a hostile environment where life for Jews had become a living hell. Suddenly, old relationships had been swept aside as neighbours and friends had suddenly become enemies and would-be persecutors. Survival now depended on learning new skills and sharpening newly acquired instincts. The margin between freedom and incarceration was often minute. Under such a brutally repressive regime life became dependent on quick thinking and adjustment to every new situation. Living on the razor's edge those instincts soon become second nature, and with it new, hitherto unsuspected abilities to cope. With familiarity and increasing self-confidence it was inevitable that some bravado could also creep in. How else could such escapades as earning money in the epicenter of the Nazi war machine - a German Army HQ in occupied Budapest be explained? . Also described are the realities of life under continuous bombardment, from the air and by artillery, In a city laid waste and under siege where one was continually in danger, hungry and cold. To alleviate that hunger it became necessary to find food from unusual sources such as cutting flesh from army horses killed in the shelling and drinking melted snow. Everything had its uses and was recycled: even shoe polish could be used as a substitute for candles for lighting up a dark cellar in a ruined city where electricity, gas and water supplies as well as all the amenities of modern life were but a distant memory. The siege of Budapest ended with liberation by the Red Army And The realization of the terrible cost in human terms - especially that of Jews - of the Nazi regime.Starting a new life in England and a return to normalcy, concentrating on integration and education; preparing for a worthwhile career in a free and happy environment bring the story full circle. it shows that trauma need not necessarily be injurious but can also have a positive effect that leads to a greater appreciation of life and acts as a stimulant for achievement.Service in the British army, immigration to Israel and serving in the Israeli army as well as creating a family and a career conclude the narrative.Originally this memoir was intended for my children, but as it took shape I felt it could be of interest To The general reader who may wish to look at this cataclysmic era as seen through the eyes of a child.

Cross and Swastika-Arthur Frey 1981

Extraordinary Popular Delusions and the Madness of Crowds-Ian Tinny 2017-12-22 Delusions are exposed to reveal the following: The Nazi salute was performed by public officials in the USA from 1892 through 1942. What happened to old photographs and films of the American Nazi salute performed by federal, state, county, and local officials? Those photos and films are rare because people don't want to know the truth about the government's past. Public officials in the USA who preceded the German socialist (Hitler) and the Italian socialist (Mussolini) were sources for the stiff-armed salute (and robotic chanting) in those countries and other foreign countries. Explore how the "ancient Roman salute" myth originated from the city of Rome in the state of New York (not Italy), Francis Bellamy's hometown. Learn about Mussolini's strange gift to the city of Rome, NY: a statue of two human male infants suckling on a female wolf. That statue remains on display in Rome, NY. See how Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts helped spread the Nazi salute and the swastika to Germany and elsewhere. Discover how Stalin was forced to involuntarily join the allies during WWII. Learn how the word "fascist" is related to the word "faggot." Discover how the military salute was the origin of the Nazi salute. Read why the Pledge of Allegiance would not be performed by anyone today (other than kooks) if the truth were taught in school. Find out who you are, what you are, and how you got to be that way. Also learn who you should blame: your teacher (and the government's schools). Debunk myths about Adolf Hitler, Joseph Stalin, Vladimir Lenin, Mao Zedong, Francis Bellamy (and his cousin Edward Bellamy), Fascism, Unionism, Socialism, genocide, swastikas, the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag, the cliché "under God," Christianity, modern crusades, ancient Rome, military socialism, Sovietology, crony socialism, and the military-socialism complex. "Extraordinary Popular Delusions and the Madness of Crowds Today" is long awaited. There is an inferior book from 1841 by author Charles Mackay that is outdated. Mackay's book contains nothing on the 20th century, nor the 21st century, nor the last half of the 19th century. This book provides the latest information. The author Ian Tinny brings the newest delusions and madness that are here for you today! So, let your freak flag fly! The Pointer Institute proudly presents another news-breaking volume from Ian Tinny and the Dead Writers Club (DWC). Much of the madness is illuminated from the work of the historian Dr. Rex Curry. Tinny is a philologist and a forensic fraud analyst. Tinny's work led to the arrest, trial, conviction, and imprisonment of America's Dumbest Criminals (and the foreclosure of their homes, along with victim restitution liens, and criminal forfeiture judgments, in amounts totaling millions of dollars). Tinny collaborates with the legendary Dead Writer's Club ("DWC" -an author's group) and assists the Pointer Institute for Media Studies to provide remedial education to journalists about history, economics, and government.

Unbelievers-Alec Ryrie 2019-11-19 Long before philosophers started making the case for atheism, powerful, affectively laden cultural currents were sowing doubt in Europe. Alec Ryrie looks to the history of the Reformation and argues that emotions—anger at priestly corruption and anxieties

attending the erosion of time-honored certainties—were the handmaidens of atheism.

Hansi, the Girl who Loved the Swastika-Maria Anne Hirschmann 1976

The Silence of Swastika-Swastika Singh The swastika is silent. But it has so much to say. The symbol's many secrets were revealed by the world-renowned historian Dr. Rex Curry, referenced inside. Dr. Curry's work is endorsed in "The Silence of Swastika," a video documentary produced by AKTK in India. The lead reporter confirmed Dr. Curry's discovery, stating: "It is also claimed that one of the reasons for choosing this symbol was the 'S' in Hitler's party name National Socialist, which is not unreasonable - it is in Hitler's own book" (at 30:30). The documentarians learned about the swastika from educational outreach programs about Dr. Curry's academic achievements. They learned that "Hitler didn't call his symbol a swastika. He called it a Hakenkreuz (hooked cross) because it was a type of cross from the Christian religion." The documentary is a massive adoption and rehashing of Dr. Curry's earlier work. The video documentary was produced before Dr. Curry's latest jaw-dropping revelation, and that is unfortunate. In 2022, Dr. Curry discovered the reason why Hitler renamed his political party (the DAP) to NSDAP - "National Socialist German Workers Party." REASON: because Hitler needed the word "SOCIALIST" in his party's name so that Hitler could use swastikas as "S"-letter shaped logos for "SOCIALIST" as the party's emblem. It is important to note that Hitler didn't rename his party the "National Christian German Workers Party" nor the "Christian Socialist German Workers Party." Here are some of the many secrets revealed about the swastika - 1. NEW SWASTIKA DISCOVERY: The swastika is the reason why Hitler renamed his political party from DAP to NSDAP - "National Socialist German Workers Party" - because he needed the word "Socialist" in his party's name so that Hitler could use swastikas as "S"-letter shaped logos for "SOCIALIST" as the party's emblem. The party's name had to fit in Hitler's socialist branding campaign that used the swastika and many other similar alphabetical symbols, including the "SS" and "SA" and "NSV" and "VW" etc. He was selling socialism by selling flags and related merchandise. It resembled the advertising campaign of the American socialist Francis Bellamy. The "new discovery" part includes the fact that the public doesn't know that Hitler's use of the swastika as alphabetical symbolism is a reason why he changed the name of the party (adding the word "socialist"). The new discovery is also that it is additional proof that Hitler employed the swastika as alphabetical symbolism of "S"-letter shapes for his socialism. The discoveries are from the historian Dr. Rex Curry's work. 2. NEW LENIN'S SWASTIKA REVELATION: Vladimir Lenin's swastika is exposed herein. The impact of Lenin's swastikas was reinforced at that time with additional swastikas on ruble money (paper currency). The swastika became a symbol of socialism under Lenin. It's influence upon Adolf Hitler is explained in this book. 3. Hitler altered his own signature to reflect his "S-shapes for socialism" logo branding. 4. Hitler never used the word "swastika" in his life. The term "swastika" never appears in the original Mein Kampf. 5. Hitler and his supporters self-identified as "socialists" by the very word in voluminous speeches and writings. The term "Socialist" appears throughout Hitler's book "Mein Kampf" as a self-description by Hitler. 6. Hitler never called himself a "Nazi." There was no "Nazi Germany." There was no "Nazi Party." Those terms are slang to hide how Hitler and his comrades self-identified: SOCIALIST. 7. Hitler never called himself a "Fascist." That term is misused to hide how Hitler and his comrades self-identified: SOCIALIST. 8. The term "Nazi" isn't in "Mein Kampf" nor in "Triumph of the Will." 9. The term "Fascist" never appears in Mein Kampf as a self-description by Hitler. 10. Soviet socialists and German socialists partnered for International Socialism in 1939. They launched WWII, invading Poland together, and continued onward from there, killing millions. Soviet socialism had signed on for Hitler's Holocaust. 11. After Hitler's death, Stalin continued the plan he had made with Hitler for Global Socialism. Stalin took over the same areas that Hitler had captured. He used the same facilities that Hitler had used. Hitler's Holocaust never ended. Stalin replaced Hitler. 12. Nazi salutes and Nazi behavior originated in the USA from the "Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag." The pledge was written by an American National Socialist named Francis Bellamy. Francis Bellamy was the cousin of Edward Bellamy, another infamous American National Socialist. They worked together to promote their dogma in the USA. 13. The classic military salute (to the brow) also contributed to the creation of the Nazi salute (with the right-arm extended stiffly). 14. The Bellamy cousins promoted socialist schools that imposed segregation by law and taught racism as official policy. 15. Mussolini was a long-time socialist leader, with a socialist background, raised by socialists to be a socialist, and he joined socialists known as "fascio, fasci, and fascisti." 16. Fascism came from a socialist (e.g. Mussolini). Communism came from a socialist (e.g. Marx). Fascism and Communism came from socialists.

Cross Symbols-Source Wikipedia 2013-09 Please note that the content of this book primarily consists of articles available from Wikipedia or other free sources online. Pages: 143. Chapters: Crucifixion, Eleanor cross, High cross, Iron Cross, St George's Cross, Fylfot, Western use of the swastika in the early 20th century, Knight's Cross of the Iron Cross, Saint Patrick's Flag, Jolly Roger, Christian cross, Sign of the Cross, Nordic Cross flag, Rosy Cross, Stations of the Cross, Pectoral cross, Blue Cross Blue Shield Association, Saltire, Cross of Lorraine, Anarchist Black Cross, Maltese cross, Celtic cross, Ankh, Occitan cross, Crux gemmata, Ancient Crosses of India, Khachkar, Summit cross, Stauros, Stations of the Resurrection, Wilgefortis, Sun cross, Southern Cross Flag, Globus cruciger, Sauwastika, Lauburu, Wayside shrine, Coptic cross, Auschwitz cross, Cross burning, Patriarchal cross, Calvary, Cross moline, Cross pattee, Cross of Dozule, Hot cross bun, Cross of St. Peter, Processional cross, Huguenot cross, Order of Michael the Brave, Fiery cross, Cross of Tau, Luso Sundanese padrao, Marian Cross, Kry dirbyst, Cross of Saint James, Flag of Saint David, Holy Cross, Market cross, Cross and Crown, Saint John's Arms, Cosmic cross, Papal Cross, Skull and crossbones, The Blue Cross, Brigid's cross, Two-barred cross, Serbian cross, Grapevine cross, Puleston Cross, Jerusalem cross, Armenian Cross, Canterbury cross, Order of Christ Cross, Arrow Cross, Biker Cross, Eastman Monument, Saint Andrew's Cross, Buttercross, Sejm cross, Tursaansydan, Saint Alban's Cross, Equal-Armed Cross, Surfer's cross, Cross potent, Roisia's Cross, Nasrani Menorah, Crux immissa, Ethiopian cross, Anchored Cross, Bottony, Balkenkreuz, Cercelee, Memorial cross, St Thomas Cross, Sterzh Cross, Archiepiscopal cross, Coptic ankh.

A Little History of the Swastika, the Good Luck Cross-Inland Type Foundry 1907

The Cross in the Circle and the Swastika-Colin Ross 1938

The Swastika Outside Germany-Donald M. McKale 1977 "The swastika (𑀘𑀓𑀭𑀺) (Sanskrit: ? ?M ?5 ?8 ?M ?\$ ?? ??) is an equilateral cross with four arms bent at 90 degrees. The earliest archaeological evidence of swastika-shaped ornaments dates back to the Indus Valley Civilization, Ancient India as well as Classical Antiquity. Swastikas have also been used in various other ancient civilizations around the world. It remains widely used in Indian religions, specifically in Hinduism, Buddhism, and Jainism, primarily as a tantric symbol to evoke shakti or the sacred symbol of auspiciousness. The word "swastika" comes from the Sanskrit svastika - "su" meaning "good" or "auspicious," "asti" meaning "to be," and "ka" as a suffix. The swastika literally means "to be good". Or another translation can be made: "swa" is "higher self", "asti" meaning "being", and "ka" as a suffix, so the translation can be interpreted as "being with higher self". In East Asia, the swastika is a Chinese character, defined by Kangxi Dictionary, published in 1716, as "synonym of myriad, used mostly in Buddhist classic texts", by extension, the word later evolved to represent eternity and Buddhism. The symbol has a long history in Europe reaching back to antiquity. In modern times, following a brief surge of popularity as a good luck symbol in Western culture, a swastika was adopted as a symbol of the Nazi Party of Germany in 1920, who used the swastika as a symbol of the Aryan race. After Adolf Hitler came to power in 1933, a right-facing 45° rotated swastika was incorporated into the Nazi party flag, which was made the state flag of Germany during Nazism. Hence, the swastika has become strongly associated with Nazism and related ideologies such as fascism and white supremacism in the Western world, and is now largely stigmatized there due to the changed connotations of the symbol. Notably, it has been outlawed in Germany and other countries if used as a symbol of Nazism in certain instances . Many modern political extremists and Neo-Nazi groups such as the Russian National Unity use stylized swastikas or similar symbols."--Wikipedia.

Cross Or Swastika- 1939

Negotiating the Cross and the Swastika-Lauren N. Faulkner 2009 More than 17,000 Catholic priests and seminarians were conscripted into the German armed forces during World War II. 500 of them served as chaplains, the rest as medical orderlies; the latter were officially forbidden to administer to others as priests. However, many of them defied this policy because they felt morally impelled to provide emotional and spiritual support for their fellow (Catholic, German) soldiers. These men embraced two integral elements of their identity, religious affiliation as Catholics, and national pride as Germans, and, in doing so, supplied German soldiers and the Nazi regime with an invaluable service through the sustenance

they gave, although the vast majority of them claimed to abhor the Nazi regime. The ways in which these priests and seminarians justified their actions, both during and after the war, and the manner in which they navigated loyalties to religious and secular authorities, offer a new perspective on the association between Nazi ideology and German Catholic identity. The convictions that they carried into the postwar years, that their presence in the army was vital and that the men they served were disconnected from that army's criminal activities, stimulate questions about the role of, as well as the challenges facing, clergy in an environment of total war. Their experiences and their understanding of the war opens an important perspective about the natures of Catholicism and Nazism: it shows that they were very compatible in the hearts and minds of many individuals. Using wartime journals, reports by chaplains and military officers, personal correspondence, postwar memoirs, newspaper articles and interviews, I have reconstructed the world in which these priests and seminarians lived between 1935 and 1945, concentrating on the issues most pertinent to them and how they made sense of the war and its effects on German soldiers. Methodologically, this work focuses on the intersection of religious and national identity, and incorporates military history, religious history, and social and cultural history into an exercise that raises questions about the meaning of moral collaboration and its political and spiritual ramifications for Christians living in extreme times.

The Swastika-Thomas Wilson 1896

The swastika-Thomas Wilson 2000 With observations on the migration of certain industries in prehistoric times. From the report of the U.S. National Museum for 1894, pages 757-1011, with plates 1-25 and figures 1-374.

Why did the "loving" cross turn into a swastika-Istvan Bodnar 2012-12-12 Judaism and Christianity differ from each other on the most fundamental issues. Yet both use the same Jewish Bible as the foundation of their faiths. Only one of these belief systems can be true. Those who talk about "Judeo-Christian heritage" have no idea that Judaism and Christianity are the most fundamentally conflicting principles in the history of humanity. They inherently cannot co-exist, as light cannot co-exist with darkness. History since the beginning of the Common Era testifies that humanity cannot afford to regard Christianity as an innocent lie, as a bad idea. A real war is being waged around us between alien spirits and G-d's angels. People usually ignore this unintuitive and invisible reality, but this ongoing celestial conflict often affects our everyday affairs, as if no one is in control. The Torah and the "New Testament" cannot co-exist, despite ongoing efforts of Christian preachers to prove the contrary. This book is intended to be an encouragement to those who have already begun to see through the vicious veil of the Christian delusion. The basic principle of Christianity is nonsense. Any human being with the weakest sense of justice would reject the idea that someone else died for his or her sins. The fake god came up with the death trick. Death will be its everlasting reward. Christians are desperate to support their faith with fabricated references from the Torah and Prophets, while those who live on the Torah have never needed the "New Testament" to support their faith. Everyone on this planet should have realized the issues presented in this book by now, as theological qualifications or credentials are not necessary to understand them. Mankind has been given more than 2,000 years to comprehend these ideas. Humanity has paid a heavy price for false rationalizations motivated by a wicked desire to cast off the Torah's requirements. Let us value and safeguard this wisdom acquired with difficulty with unspeakable gratefulness.

Notes on the Swastika-Robert Sewell 1881

Soccer under the Swastika-Kevin E. Simpson 2016-09-22 In the heart of the twentieth century, the game of soccer was becoming firmly established as the sport of the masses across Europe, even as war was engulfing the continent. Intimately woven into the war was the genocide perpetrated by Nazi Germany and its collaborators, genocide on a scale never seen before. For those victims ensnared by the Nazi regime, soccer became a means of survival and a source of inspiration even when surrounded by profound suffering and death. In Soccer under the Swastika: Stories of Survival and Resistance during the Holocaust, Kevin E. Simpson reveals the surprisingly powerful role soccer played during World War II. From the earliest days of the Nazi dictatorship, as concentration camps were built to hold so-called enemies, captives competed behind the walls and fences of the Nazi terror state. Simpson uncovers this little-known piece of history, rescuing from obscurity many poignant survivor testimonies, old accounts of wartime players, and the diaries of survivors and perpetrators. In victim accounts and rare photographs—many published for the first time in this book—hidden stories of soccer in almost every Nazi concentration camp appear. To these prisoners, soccer was a glimmer of joy amid unrelenting hunger and torture, a show of resistance against the most heinous regime the world had ever seen. With the increasing loss of firsthand memories of these events, Soccer under the Swastika reminds us of the importance in telling these compelling stories. And as modern day soccer struggles to combat racism in the terraces around the world, the endurance of the human spirit embodied through these personal accounts offers insight and inspiration for those committed to breaking down prejudices in the sport today. Thoughtfully written and meticulously researched, this book will fascinate and enlighten readers of all generations.

The Swastika and the Cross-Andrew J. Smith 2015-10-27 This book is the result of research on the relationship between Christianity and fascism during the twentieth Century which was often quite mutually supportive.

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