

#### INDIAN FASCISTS MUST BE STOPPED NOW

This is the path Nazis took for its Jews, Burma took for its Rohingyas, and now India is taking for its 200 million Muslims:

1) Strip citizenship --> 2) Take away votes, services & rights --> 3) Murder, rape, torture 4)-->Send to detention camps--> 5) Deport them--> 6) Genocide.

The new Indian citizenship law allows Indians of any religion who cannot prove their citizenship, to become citizens, except for Muslims. India has already stripped 1.9 million Bangla speaking people of citizenship, just before it reinvaded Kashmir.<sup>1</sup>

No wonder the Washington D.C. based organization, Genocide Watch, has issued two Genocide Alerts for India.<sup>2</sup>

It was a New York Times editorial, "Deadly Alliances Against Muslims," that first warned about Hindu extremists in India conspiring with Buddhist in Burma against Muslims.<sup>3</sup>

How has the land of Gandhi reached this stage?

The short answer is that the same fascists who killed Gandhi now run the government of India!

### RSS, THE KILLERS OF GANDHI RUN INDIA TODAY

The convicted killer of Mahatma Gandhi was a member of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh or RSS, as it is known in India. RSS based its ideology on the ideas of racial purity preached by German Nazis and fascists in the 1930s and 40s. During World War II, the RSS openly supported Adolf Hitler. Its agenda was, and remains the same: To turn India into a Hindu nation, marked by the cultural and political hegemony of upper caste Hindus i.e. Indo-Aryans. RSS is a bit like the SS of Nazi Germany, only more powerful, semi-secret, and extremely dangerous.

### KILLER OF GANDHI IS WORSHIPED



Seventy-one years after his assassination, Gandhi's global image is still enormous. In the contemporary India, however, his killers are in power, Gandhi is neither awe-inspiring, nor even relevant. This year is his 150th birthday. His memorial is silent and almost empty. His elegant home in Delhi is in utter need of repair. No one worship him although his killer is worshiped as some Hindu extremest have built statues and temples of Gandhi's killer, Nathuram Godse, who was once a member of a Hindu nationalist group that prime minister Narendra Modi and many of his political allies also have belonged to. Godse is India's real hero, they say. Hindu supremacists are still angry at him for expressing so much sympathy for the country's Muslim minority and its Dalit (Untouchable castes).

The RSS is the parent organization of the BJP, the party which currently rules India. Today, the Indian President and the Prime Minister, both are card-carrying members of the fascist RSS. The current chief of RSS, Mohan Madhukar Bhagwat served as the commander of RSS militia training for years before becoming its "Supreme Leader."

The government of India now provides the RSS chief with round-the-clock security cover.<sup>4</sup> It is the same level of security provided to the Indian Prime Minister and the President. The RSS has been banned four times in India, but is now the de facto power that runs India. The RSS is the parent of all the organizations known as the "Sangh Parivar." Mem-

bers of these organizations have been implicated in mass killings, forced conversions<sup>5</sup>, inciting riots, and bombing churches and mosques.



A part of the RSS program is worshiping of weapons called Shashtra Puja. Modi often poses with the type of weapons that are used to attack minorities. After the worship "...he called upon the security personnel to imbibe the significance of the worship of weapon as preaches by the age-old tradition." His website has more photos of his gun worship: https://tinyurl.com/ModiGunWorship

Modi not only worships guns, he also remains mum when his party's RSS militia engages in violence against minorities.

### WHY MODI WAS BANNED FROM ENTERING **USA & THE UK**

Before becoming the Prime Minister of India, Narendra Modi had been banned from entering the United States and the UK for nine years because of his role in the 2002 massacre of Muslims in the Indian state of Gujarat. Modi was able to travel to the US only after being elected on account of the immunity granted to heads of state. He remains the only person ever to be banned to travel to the US under the International Religious Freedom Act provision of the US Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) 24



Prime Minister Narendra Modi seen in the RSS Uniform doing the RSS Salute.

### **VIOLENCE AGAINST MUSLIMS AND CHRISTIANS**

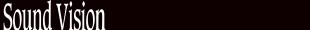
According to the National Council of Churches in India, there have been 2,674 cases of violence against Christians and Muslims between 2012 and 2015. The US State Department reported in 2017 that, "Authorities often did not prosecute violence by vigilantes against persons, mostly Muslims, suspected of slaughtering or illegally transporting cows or trading in or consuming beef."10 Attacks on Christians in India doubled in 2017.11 There are 60 million Christians in India. Yogi Adityanath, Chief Minister of the largest state in India, says Mother Teresa was part of a conspiracy

to evangelize India.<sup>12</sup> According to a group of Catholic bishops, Christians in India are treated as "terrorists" by the government.<sup>13</sup> The Indian government denies that there is any persecution of Christians in India. More recently, an Indian government body wants church confessions banned.14

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### The New York Times



### RSS IS THE STATE: ARUNDHATI ROY

"The most powerful organization in India, the far-right Hindu nationalist Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh, or the R.S.S., with more than 600,000 members including Narendra Modi and many of his ministers, has a trained "volunteer" militia, inspired by Mussolini's Black Shirts. With each passing day, the R.S.S. tightens its grip on every institution of the Indian state. In truth, it has reached a point when it more or less is the state." Excerpt from her article in New York Times: https://tinyurl.com/ArundhatiModi



## CREATING A "UNITED INDIA" & KICKING MUSLIMS & CHRISTIANS OUT

The RSS has long insisted that India is for Hindus. One of its Supreme Leaders, Golwalkar, considers Indian Muslims and Christians unpatriotic. He called the Nazi campaign against Jews and Gypsies "a good lesson for us in [India] to learn and profit by". 20 Hate speech is at an all-time high in India. Over 78 percent of total hate speech incidents in 2017 reported from across the country involved leaders from the ruling BJP.<sup>21</sup>

In this context, one can understand how the government stripped the citizenship of 4 million people, including relatives of a former President of India who was a Muslim.<sup>22</sup> This explains the daily lynching of Muslims and Christians. It also clarifies that the dismantling the Article 370 of the Indian constitution turned Kashmir into a prision for all as a part of this United India ideology of RSS.

At the center of this cognitive scheme sits the promise of a return to India's past greatness: as an "undivided India" that includes all lands from Iran to Burma and from Tibet to Sri Lanka. Maps of this United India are all around the internet. You can find them by googling "akhand bharat."

### 340 VICTIMS OF BEEF LYNCHING



Whereas India is the second largest exporter of beef in the world, hundreds of people, mostly Muslims, are attacked and lynched on the false accusation of consuming beef. Muslims are so thoughtful to Hindu worship of cows that in Indiancontrolled Kashmir, the only Muslim majority area in India, hardly anyone cares for beef. 15,16 Ninety seven percent of beef lynching attacks took place after Prime Minister Modi took office.<sup>17</sup> RSS affiliates like Bajrang Dal, other militias and vigilantes are usually involved in these lynchings. In some cases, the alleged victims are gang-raped after being accused of eating beef. Muslims, Christians and Dalits are the hardest hit in this cow terrorism because they traditionally work in the leather and shoe industries.<sup>18</sup> Twenty-four states have bans or restrictions on eating beef. In Gujarat, the law mandates a minimum 10-year sentence and a maximum sentence of life imprisonment. 19 The Hindu extremists promote cow urine as a healthy drink, and sprinkle it for blessings. One can buy a 500ml bottle for Rs 375.

A new phenomenon is for extremists mobs to surround people, Muslims in particular, and force them to chant "Jai Shri Ram!" ("Praise to Lord Ram!") If one does not comply they are lynched.

# HUMAN RIGHTS ACTIVIST ARRESTED & THEIR ORGANIZATIONS RAIDED

Many prominent rights activists – Sudha Bhardwaj, Rona Wilson, Surendra Gadling, Sudhir Dhawale, Mahesh Raut, Prof. Shoma Sen, Rona Wilson, Arun Ferreira, Varavara Rao and Vernon Gonsalves have been arrested. Even a year after their arrests, they are struggling to get bail because the police have failed to produce concrete evidence against

### THE US ALLIES OF INDIAN FASCISTS

RSS and its affiliates have many leaders, foot soldiers, one such operation which operates as an American front organization for India's fascists, by positioning itself as a civil rights group. The Vishwa Hindu Parishad America, is a chapter State department classifies as an extremist group.25 Some of these organizations align themselves globally and in the US with white supremacists, the KKK, Aryan national groups, and Islamophobic groups. Democratic Congresswoman Tulsi Gabbard is also closely tied with these groups.26,27 Rep. Krishnamoorthi also stands with Modi and does not condemn



# WHY HITLER IS SO POPULAR IN INDIA

Schools across India propagate
Hitler's "achievements." In 2004,
when now-Indian Prime Minister
Modi was the Chief Minister
of Gujarat, school textbooks
published by the government
glorified Hitler and fascism.
The section on the "Ideology of
Nazism" reads: "Hitler lent dignity
and prestige to the German
government. He adopted the
policy of opposition towards the
Jewish people and advocated
the supremacy of the German
race." RSS leaders had direct links
to both Mussolini in Italy and



Hitler in Germany. Hitler's book Mein Kampf has also gone mainstream, becoming a "must-read" management strategy book for India's business school students.

It is not surprising that ice creams, pool parlors, restaurants, clothing stores, home furnishing stores, films and television shows have all chosen to use "Hitler" or "Nazi" as their brand names." haaretz.com Dec 14. 2017.



### 5 THINGS YOU CAN DO TO SAVE INDIA

Educate your community and interfaith circles about the lost land of Gandhi. He preached nonviolence, civil disobedience for justice, and inspired Martin Luther King Jr. and other American leaders

Distribute this brochure to others

Educate your Congresspersons about India, RSS, and its affiliates in the United States. We can provide you a memo

Ask Hindu-American organizations to condemn Hindutva and rising hate and violence against minorities in India

#### What the US Should do:

- Declare RSS and its affiliates terrorist organizations
- Stop India from stripping the citizenship of millions of people, creating another prelude to genocide as in Burma
- Declare India a top tier country of concern for violating religious freedom for minorities in India
- Recognize Kashmiris right of self-determination as promised by India, Pakistan, and the United Nations

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### FASCISTS SHUTTING DOWN MEDIA

The media has also struggled. In April 2019, Reporters Without Borders' press freedom rankings placed India at an abysmal 140 out of 180 countries. In 2017, the 'India Freedom Report: Media Freedom and Freedom of Expression in 2017' said that at least 11 journalists were killed, 46 attacked, and 27 cases of police action were initiated against them.

### The Washington Post

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### HOW RSS HAS TURNED INDIA INTO THE MOST RACIST COUNTRY IN THE WORLD?

The World Values Survey by Swedish economists has determined India to be the most racist country in the world. Minorities are essentially barred from many neighborhoods. Black foreigners are attacked, non-Aryan tribal people and Dalits (also known as "untouchables"), Christian, and Muslim minorities live in fear, often in ghettos. Whereas according to the Pew Research Center, India is among the 5 worst countries with overall levels of religious restrictions. The 2008 hit film Slumdog Millionaire depicted the children of India's minorities who live in urban ghettos.

RSS propaganda, through changes to school curricula, threats, and assassination of journalists who are critical of the fascist Hindutva ideology has resulted in the dehumanization, and increased persecution of lower caste Dalits, Muslims, Christians and Buddhists.<sup>9</sup>



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