Timeline: Christian Antisemitism and other Mutations

The Common Era (CE) — 30 — 49 — 66 — 70 — 85

Beginning of CE

-Jesus is a 1st century Jew

-Death of Jesus

-Early Church "The Way" is a Jewish movement

-Council of Jerusalem

-War with Rome. Destruction of 2nd Temple

-**GOSPEL** of Matthew (roots of deicide myth) (80-100)

-**GOSPEL** of Luke (80-130)

[1st MUTATION *Judeophobia* →

-**GOSPEL** of Mark (65-80)

100 — 132-135 — 167

-**GOSPEL** of John (90-120)

-Bar-Kokhba Rebellion est. 1 million Jews killed Hadrian persecutes Jews

-Bishop Melito (Turkey): 1st recorded deicide charge against Jewish people

200 — 250

-Mishna (**TALMUD**) incorporates Pharisees teachings. Oral law codified.

-Emperor Decius targets Christians

300 — 312 — 315 — 386

-Emperor Diocletian orders a major assault against Christians

-Constantine's vision of the cross

-Constantine enacts various anti Jewish laws

-St. John Chrysostom of Antioch writes eight *Adversus Judaeos* (against the Judaizers) homilies

400 — 414 — 1095

History's first major pogrom in Alexandria, Egypt, wiping out its city's Jewish community

-Crusades begin. (1096: Over 1,000 Jews slaughtered in Mainz, Germany)

[2nd MUTATION *Demonic anti-Judaism* →

1100 — 1144 — 1215 — 1290

-1st direct ritual murder accusation in Norwich, England

-4th Lateran Council: Special clothes/badges for Jews. "There is no salvation outside the Church."

–Expulsion of Jews of England. First of great European expulsions

1300 — 1348 — 1400 — 1492

"Black Death": Jews blamed. "Well poisoners" Over 300 Jewish communities wiped out.

Inquisition in Spain (Forced conversions)

-Expulsion from Spain (Jews and Muslims)

1500 — 1543 — 1700

-Luther, "On the Jews and Their Lies"

Expulsions/creation of Jewish ghettos

The Enlightment: Jews more integrated, but increasingly scapegoated

[3rd MUTATION *racial antisemitism*→

1800 — 1878 — 1879 — 1894 — 1899 — 1905 — 1920 — 1925

Industrial Revolution

-Adolf Stoecker and German political antisemitism

-Wilhelm Marr (Germany)

-Dreyfus Case (France)

-H. S. Chamberlain *The Foundations of the 19th Century*

-*Protocols of the Elders of Zion* (Russian lie)

-Henry Ford begins antisemitic articles

-Hitler's *Mein Kampf*

--Pogroms in Russia--

1933 — 1945 — 1946 — 1948 — 1965 — 2000 — 2011

-Hitler appointed Chancellor

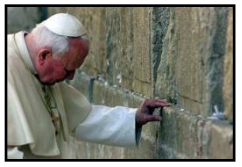
THE SHOAH (Holocaust)

-Kielce pogrom (Poland)

-Israel becomes a state ✡

-Vatican II: "Nostra Aetate"
~Jews not collectively guilty of deicide
~Jews have not been rejected by God
~Jews have an unbroken covenant with God

-Pope John Paul II at the Western Wall



-Pope Benedict XVI reinforces Nostra Aetate arguing that no basis in Scripture for deicide myth

[4th MUTATION *anti-Zionism* →

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