



### Genocide: A Thematic Approach

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**This book is Intended to introduce students to the concept of genocide. It will provide the needed context to understand why such violence has been perpetrated in the past and continues to be such a reoccurring problem in the contemporary world.**

The purpose of this volume is not simply to compile yet another wearying chronicle of the horrors that have been committed by our fellow human beings. It is intended to give the needed context to understand why such violence has been perpetrated in the past and why it continues to occur so frequently in the contemporary world.

#### Readership

Intended for classroom use by lower division, non-social science majors as part of General Education programs and specialized upper division courses.

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- Thematic approach instead of the usual chronological narrative.
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- Squarely aimed at today's university students, this book is written in a clear, accessible fashion, avoiding jargon and not assuming prior knowledge.
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