

Holocaust

Destruction or slaughter on a mass scale, especially caused by fire or nuclear war, cataclysm, disaster, catastrophe, destruction, devastation, demolition, annihilation, ravaging; inferno, fire, conflagration; massacre, slaughter, mass murder, carnage, butchery, extermination, liquidation, genocide, ethnic cleansing, the mass murder of Jews under the German Nazi regime during the period 1941–5.



“The Holocaust illustrates the consequences of prejudice, racism and stereotyping on a society. It forces us to examine the responsibilities of citizenship and confront the powerful ramifications of indifference and inaction.”

Tim Holden

US Politician