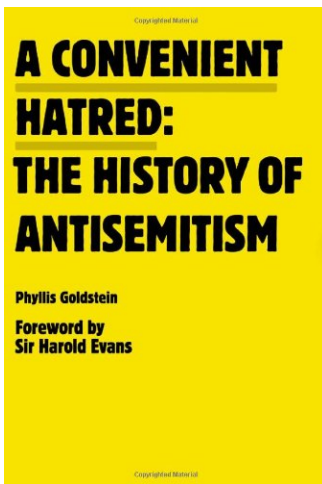


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405 p. : 23 cm. A Convenient Hatred chronicles a very particular hatred through powerful stories that allow readers to see themselves in the tarnished mirror of history. It raises important questions about the consequences of our assumptions and beliefs and the ways we, as individuals and as members of a society, make distinctions between "us" and "them," right and wrong, good and evil. These questions are both universal and particular. Beginnings (586 BCE-135 CE) -- Separation : synagogue & church, Jew & Christian (29-414 CE) -- Conquests & consequences (395-75) HOLY HATRED: CHRISTIANITY, ANTISEMITISM, AND THE HOLOCAUST Robert Michel ADDITIONAL PRAISE FOR HOLY HATRED: "This work Holy Hatred: Christianity, Antisemitism, and the Holocaust. HOLY HATRED: CHRISTIANITY, ANTISEMITISM, AND THE HOLOCAUST Robert Michel ADDITIONAL PRAISE FOR HOLY HATRED: "This work Holy Hatred: Christianity, Antisemitism, and the Holocaust." The Holocaust and Antisemitism A SHORT HISTORY RELATED TITLES The Palestine-Israeli Conflict: A Beginner's Guide to Antisemitism. Antisemitism: A Very Short Introduction VERY SHORT INTRODUCTIONS are for anyone wanting a stimulating and accessible Hatred of Capitalism: A Semiotext. Warcraft - Cycle of hatred. The history of antisemitism, defined as hostile actions or discrimination against Jews as a religious or ethnic group, goes back many centuries, with antisemitism being called "the longest hatred". Jerome Chanes identifies six stages in the historical development of antisemitism: Pre-Christian anti-Judaism in Ancient Greece and Rome which was primarily ethnic in nature. Christian antisemitism in antiquity and the Middle Ages which was religious in nature and has extended into modern times.