

## THE TIMES OF ISRAEL

### **We need a 20/20 plan for fighting the new epidemic of anti-Semitism**

*A special FBI task force must be set up to tackle the rising tide of deadly hate that stems from the double standard Jews face worldwide*



On September 16, 1919, a returning German soldier from World War I wrote a letter about Jews in which he said "the value of an individual is no longer determined by his character or by the importance of his achievements, but by the amount of his possessions, his money...in a democracy he courts the favor of the masses, crawls before the majesty of the people, yet knows only the majesty of money." By these words, Adolf Hitler, a virtual nobody, made his entrance into the world.

Anti-Semitism never starts with a bang; rather, it creeps up on a society that pays little attention to it until it is too late. That's the way it all began in Nazi Germany. Small isolated attacks, every day, on ordinary Jews, sometimes shattering the glass of a store, painting a swastika on an apartment house. The world was too consumed with its own affairs to react. When they finally caught on, it was simply too late. As the Torah reminds us, "and a new king [rose up in Egypt] who knew not Joseph," who forgot the man who saved Egypt and its economy.

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SWC Eastern Director, Michael Cohen and SWC Director of Government Affairs Mark Weitzman at the "No Hate. No Fear." solidarity march

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