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[The Satanic Nature of the Atomic Bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki](#)

By [Prof. Edward Curtin](#), August 06, 2018

When on August 6 and 9, 1945 the United States killed 200-300 thousand innocent Japanese civilians with atomic bombs in Hiroshima and Nagasaki, they did so intentionally. It was an act of sinister state terrorism, unprecedented by the nature of the weapons but not by the slaughter. The American terror bombings of Japanese cities that preceded the atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki – led by the infamous **Major General Curtis LeMay** –

were also intentionally aimed at Japanese civilians and killed hundreds of thousands of them.



[Hiroshima: A “Military Base” according to President Harry Truman](#)

By [Prof Michel Chossudovsky](#), August 06, 2018

Did you know that Hiroshima was a “military base”, and that when the first atomic bomb was dropped on two of Japan’s heavily populated area in August 1945, the objective was, according to president Truman was to save the lives of innocent civilians?



[The Bombing of Nagasaki August 9, 1945: The Un-Censored Version](#)

By [Dr. Gary G. Kohls](#), August 06, 2018

73 years ago, at 11:02 am on August 9th, 1945, an all-Christian bomber crew dropped a plutonium bomb, on Nagasaki, Japan. That bomb was the second and last atomic weapon that had as its target a civilian city. Somewhat ironically, as will be elaborated upon later in this essay, Nagasaki was the most Christian city in Japan and ground zero was the largest cathedral in the Orient.



[The Real Reason America Used Nuclear Weapons Against Japan. It Was Not To End the War Or Save Lives.](#)

By [Washington’s Blog](#), August 06, 2018

Even military officers who favored use of nuclear weapons mainly favored using them on unpopulated areas or Japanese military targets ... not cities.

For example, Special Assistant to the Secretary of the Navy Lewis Strauss proposed to Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal that a [non-lethal demonstration](#) of atomic weapons would be enough to convince the Japanese to surrender ... and the Navy Secretary agreed.



[Secret Meeting on the Privatization of Nuclear War Held on Hiroshima Day 2003](#)

By [Prof Michel Chossudovsky](#), August 05, 2018

At no point since the first atomic bomb was dropped on Hiroshima on **August 6th, 1945**, has humanity been closer to the unthinkable – a nuclear holocaust which could potentially spread in terms of radioactive fallout over a large part of the Middle East.

All the safeguards of the Cold War era, which categorized the nuclear bomb as “a weapon of last resort”, have been scrapped. “Offensive” military actions using nuclear warheads are now described as acts of “self-defense”.



Hiroshima Child

By [Nazim Hikmet](#), August 06, 2018

All that I need is that for peace
You fight today you fight today
So that the children of this world
Can live and grow and laugh and play

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