

## P R E F A C E

At its core, *The Protocols of the Learned Elders of Zion* purports to document a late nineteenth-century meeting at which Jewish leaders discuss their goal of global Jewish hegemony. According to the book, Jews plan to accomplish that goal by subverting the morals of Gentiles, by gaining worldwide control of the media, and by dominating the global economy. It is a classic case of inventing a lie so huge, so satanic, and so twisted that in time it becomes accepted as fact.

Originally written in Paris, and later altered and published in Russia in 1903, it contains numerous elements typical of what is known in literature as a “false document”—a document that is deliberately written to fool the reader into believing that what is written is truthful and accurate even though, in actuality, it is not. Numerous scholars have proven it to be fictional in its entirety, yet the book has been translated into multiple languages, distributed around the world, and remains in print today.

As incredible as it may sound, American automaker Henry Ford accepted it as truth and in the 1920s funded the printing of half a million copies for distribution. Adolf Hitler was a major proponent of the work and ordered that it be studied, as if factual, in German classrooms following the Nazis’ rise to power in 1933. To this very day, Muslim students are taught from this writing as though it were the truth. And these are just a few of the many who have joined together over more than a century to subscribe to and pass down the twisted concepts contained in *The Protocols of the Learned Elders of Zion*.