

needed no Get. Her child is not Jewish. She can marry husband #3 if she under goes an authentic Orthodox conversion.

See Book 10 11 12 and all citations.

## Chapter 3

**Is a person permitted to renounce his conversion to Judaism in order to save their life ?**

The case material is a historical event. The question we pose.

X historically lived in the 16<sup>th</sup> Century. He was a Morano- a member of the 250,000 Jews who remained in Spain after August 1492 when all Jews and Moors were forced to convert to Christianity or be exiled from Spain. Any Jew or Moore remaining in Spain caught practicing their religion was burned at the stake.

## **Analysis**

X was a Morono . His father already converted. He was raised with little or no Jewish background . It was life threatening to observe or teach Judaism. His parents did the right thing in not observing or have their children observe Judaism otherwise they would be burned at the stake. Pekuach nefesh doche kil hatorah kulo. The saving of life trumps all laws. Yoreh Dayoh 157:1

One is obligated to violate all laws

to save one's life or the life of an other. True, one is obligated to sacrifice their life not to violate the sins of murder fornication with a married woman and idol worship.

Christianity believes in God. However the God figure is a unit of the Father the Son and the Holy ghost . Each of these entities is separate and apart and distinct. Each of these entities have different roles or attributes. The distinct

entities are united as One.

Christians believe that this union is a Divine mystery. They also believe that God the father got a married Jewish virgin pregnant and she gave birth to the Son. The son at age 12 debated the Jewish sages about religion. When the Son was in his early 30s he became a threat to the people in power was tried found guilty and was handed over to the Romans and crucified. He was dead for three days . He rose from the dead and joined the Father in heaven and became part of the Trinity.

The ancient Egyptians believe in a similar religion. The Mother is called not Mary like the Christian mother of God , but Marie Orisis . She is not a mortal but a Goddess The Son God is called Horus. Isis a God the husband of Orisis is killed by another God He is resurrected by his wife Orisis . He spends three days in hell to be purified and then flies to heaven and joins the Father God in a constellation with other Gods and Goddesses.

The Buddhists have the elephant God get the married virgin queen whose name is Maya pregnant and Buddah is born. Buddah is also a threat to those in power. He is tried found guilty but by some freak of luck is not executed. However he flies to heaven where he joins the father God together with a whole host of other Gods and Goddesses.

The same series of events occur in the Persian religion. However it is not the son who is born from an immaculate conception , but the mother of the son. The son is the one who becomes a threat to those in power. He is tried found guilty is executed is dead for three days . Then he rises from the dead flies to heaven and joins the father God and other Gods and Goddesses.

The same series if events is behind the Hindu religion. They also



claim to be monotheistic in the same sense as the Egyptians the Buddhists and the Christians and the Persians.

The religion of the ancient Greeks and ancient Romans and ancient Babylonians had all the same elements . The Son God has an immaculate birth. His mother is a married virgin. He antagonizes the people in power. He is tried found guilty crucified is dead for three days rises from the dead flies to heaven and becomes part of a confederation of Gods and

Goddesses . Each God is separate and distinct and has roles or attributes. But all the Gods are united in a confederation and therefore all Gods are really One.

Each of these religions supercedes all other prior religions. All people must accept the new faith , otherwise they will die by burning. As well as have eternal death in hell.

The Persian and Roman governments ,however, in practice during many years of their history

were tolerant of other religions. They did not persecute their citizens who practiced their faiths. As evidence Isaiah 45:1 speaks of the Persian emperor Koresh or Cyrus as “Thus said to my Messiah Koresh I supported him to conquer great empires etc. he will deliver my children the house of Israel to their homeland.” Ezra chapter 1

Cyrus permitted the Jews to return to Israel and rebuild the Temple 70 years following the destruction of the first Temple. This permission was interrupted by the advent of another Persian emperor

Achasvarus of the Purim Story Bible Book of Esther . The Temple was completed following the death of Achasverus under the reign of the Persian emperor - Darius. Darius could have been the son of Achasverus and Esther of the Purim story.

Persian emperors historically were tolerant of other religions. They and the Romans found it expedient and good politics to avoid revolts against their rule by not provoking the captive countries.

The last thing they needed was to have another uprising similar to the Chasmenyim the Macabees against the Greeks.

All these Middle Eastern and Eastern religions as well as Christianity have similar rituals .

The faithful- for communion - partake of a biscuit and drink wine. They believe that they are consuming the body of their Savior

and drinking his blood and thus are united with God. This ritual is part of every mass celebrated in the Catholic Church. This mass is celebrated at Baptism Confirmation Weddings and Funerals. It is also celebrated at prayer .

When the early Christian fathers were asked as to the identical resemblance of their theology to the other Eastern and Mid-Eastern religions they replied the following.

The other religions were the work of the devil. Only Christianity is the true faith.. Never mind the identical pattern identical rituals identical prayers. The others were the work of the devil. It is only Christianity that has the true faith.

This answer conceals the tactics adopted by the catholic Church. The period from year 33 to year 315 ACE is a period that the Church prefers to conceal. That was a period that there did not exist the Orthodox doctrine known as the Trinity. Followers of the early

Church were divided in hundreds of sects. There existed the family of Jesus who considered Jesus a Pharisee. Jesus was a practicing Jew who believed and practiced Judaism. The family of Jesus and his early followers were all Pharisees Orthodox Jews. They believed that the Torah was eternal . They would never dream of having Jesus transformed by the church as another one of the Sons of the Eastern and Middle eastern mystery religions. Even the Gentiles refused to accept such a concept. Most notably a spokesperson and leader



of the opposition to the Trinity was Arian. In the year 325 Constantine ordered the Christian Church to accept the concept of the Trinity. In that manner the Christian Church would fall in line with the belief system of the Middle East and eastern mystery religions. It was not important the names and places where the Son Gods were born or their name or who was their mother. What was important was that all of them follow the same pattern as enumerated above.

What the Church did to

differentiate themselves from the pack is the following:

The Christians adopted the Jewish Bible that they called the Old Testament, Since many passages in the Jewish Bible are enigmas the Church read into them that the Old Testament predicted the coming of Jesus. There exists over 300 places in the Old Testament that were used for this purpose.

Once the marriage between the Church and Constantine was consummated, the Church burned

all manuscripts of the New Testament that opposed the trinity. They killed hundreds of thousands of their opponents. They edited the New Testament and placed into the mouth of Jesus to mouth every thing that agreed with their creed.

It was at this junction that they invented the lie that all the Jews are responsible for the crucifixion if they do not accept the Trinity. The gentiles who refused to accept the trinity were burned at the stake.

The Jews no longer were the chosen people. Onny ones who

accepted Christ as the Son of God who is also God is chosen .This is calle displacement theology. The Jews were punished for crucifying Jesus by having their Temple burned down by the Romans. The Jews become the wandering Jew as punishment for not accepting Christ.

Never mund that the Jews and other people were not punished for not accepting Hercules or Alexander or Plato or Danius as the Sons of God . Never mine that they were not punished for

not accepting Horas the Egyptian God or Buddah as the son of God. Or they were not punished for not accepting Zues the Greek Father God or Jupedor the Roman father God.

The Church encouraged pogroms against Jews to demonstrate that Jew would suffer for not accepting Christ.

When the State of Israel was founded in 1948 many Christians rejoiced that the prophesied were realized. Other Christians viewed the creation of Israel as a set back

that their replacement theology was put into question. These are the Churches who support the replacement of Israel with Palestine because the very existence of a resurrected Jewish people in Israel is a blow to their theology of death that the Jew who fails to accept Christ is cursed to remain the wandering Jew

Between 315 ACE and 500 ACE millions of gentiles were killed. When Rome was over run by the Barbarians the Church invented the canard of the donation of Constantine. Roman Emperor

Constantine gifted the Roman empire to the church. This lie was kept alive for 1000 years from 500 to 1500 ACE. Today the Church admits that it was a bold lie. The Church created the dark ages. It was a sin to read the Old or new Testaments. One could only listen to sermons at Church with the interpretations of the priests. The punishment for not following this order was to be burned at the stake.

After 500 year from the fall of the Western Roman Empire The Church felt comfortable to assert

itself. Gregory the Great was both Pope and emperor laying title to the crown because of the gift of Constantine.

100 years later in 1100 the first crusade was launched not against Muslims but against a group of people in South of France who dared challenge interpretations of the New Testament. Over one million men women children aged crippled were massacred.

100 years later the church



encouraged crusades against the Muslims to capture the Holy land of Israel . The crusades lasted for 200 years with millions of casualties .

Over 100,000 Jewsx were killed by the Crusaders in France Germany Italy before the crusaders met any Muslims.

The Greek Orthodox Church that had with drawn from Rome attacked in 1185 Roman Catholics and killed hundreds of thousands, The favor was repaid in 1210 a cruasede was created . Every man woman child of the Greek Orthodox

were killed . M Constantinople was laid to waste and all the land was divided to those troops who had joined the crusade. After a few years The Greek Orthodox regained their territory . However they were so weakened that the Muslim Turks delivered the death blows and they ceased to exist. That was the end of the Eastern Roman empire.

It is of interest to note that no Jews were harmed. Jews had been driven out from the eastern Roman empire. It was juden rein.

From 1290 to 1650 all of Europe was Juden rein. Jews were not

allowed in England France  
Portugal and Spain. When the 120  
year war between Catholics and  
Protestants took place 1530-1650  
millions of Christians died. No Jews  
died . They were not allowed to live  
there.

Hitler did a great favor for  
German Jews .From 1933-1939  
agreat number of German Jews fled  
the persecutions in Germany. Thus  
these people survived the holocaust.  
In 1914-1917 the Russians were  
fighting the Germans in the first  
World War. They suspected that the

Jews who spoke Yiddish that is close to German would betray them . As a result they banished the Jews living on the frontier with Germany to areas deep in Russia. When the Nazis in 1940 invaded Russia these Jews survived.

Thus one can see Divine Providence from historical events. God does intervene and does save the Jews.

Christianity is called in Hebrew a belief in shutfos it is a belief that the distinct Gods have a partnership. Such a belief system is permitted for non Jews but prohibited for Jews. See Ramo Orech Chaim 157 and citations from talmud and Rishonim.

All agree that it is forbidden for a Jew to adopt any religion other than Torah Judaism. However one is not called to sacrifice his life as an act of Kiddush Hashem if one is forced

to adopt Islam.

The Rambam ruled in Igros Taimon that Jews forced to adopt Islam are not obligated to sacrifice themselves.

Furthermore, the Mitzvah of Kiddush Hashem exists only if 10 Jews witness the execution. These Jews must all be one million percent observant of all laws of the Torah.

Furthermore, who says that his mother was Jewish ? If his mother was not Jewish x likewise was not Jewish. Therefore he need not sacrifice his life.

Even if she was and x had to sacrifice his life if he refused he still would receive olem habo . Life after death eternal life. One is not punished for violating any sin if he is forced. That would apply even if he practices all Church rituals.  
Rambam Yesodai hatorah 5:1,2,3,4

Furthermore according to the responsa of Rav Yehuda son of Rosh in Shomayim Rosh one is forbidden to sacrifice his her life when the Sanedrin is not in existence Kiddush hashem is taking of your own life must be pre approved by the Sanehdrin sitting at the gates of the Holy Temple. We do not possess the Holy Temple for 2000 years. We do not have a Sanehdrin since the year 400 ACE.

FOR ALL THESE REASONS x  
does not necessarily have to



renounce his Judaism . He can remain Jewish and still elect not to burn at the stake but make believe that he accepts Christianity.

However as soon as he has an opportunity to escape and go to an other country where he can practice Judaism he is mandated to do so.

Rambam yesodei Hatorah 5-5.

However if he is a Christian and converts to Judaism with out full disclosure that he will be killed for doing that , he is free to renounce Judaism since he was not

aware what he was getting into.

I personally was responsible in annulling a conversion in a case where the convert was a student studying in the USA. He came from an African country where a belief in Judaism would put his life and the life of his family in danger.

The Rabbis of the Talmud went even further. Following the exile of the ten tribes of the Northern Kingdom by Assyria, they declared all the members exiled non Jews.

They thus removed the barriers and distinctiveness from those Jews exiled . They permitted them to assimilate in the foreign countries and thus save their lives.

They were following the reasoning that I outlined above. No laws exist in order to save a human life . Pekuach Nefesh Doche kol hatorah kulo.