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White supremacist and nationalist groups believe that white, Christian identity is superior and strive toward a segregated society and/or a nation of white people. They target Muslims, immigrants, people of color, LGBTQ people, Jews, and others who are different from them. Though most Jewish people are perceived as white, they are seen by white nationalists as elites who exert global control and enable the rise of non-white groups. Antisemitism is a core feature of white nationalist belief systems because Jews are seen as the organizers of a global conspiracy to bring down the “white race.”

According to ADL, white supremacists have killed more people in recent years than any other type of domestic extremist. They are also a troubling source of domestic terror incidents and online hate. The Ku Klux Klan, neo-Confederate, neo-Nazi, racist skinhead, and Christian Identity movements are all considered white nationalist. In 2015 the Alt-Right (Alternative Right) rose to prominence and includes a range of people on the extreme right who reject mainstream conservatism in favor of forms of conservatism that embrace racism or white supremacy.

