

## THE RIGHT ~~OF~~ TO LIVE ACCORDING TO ONE'S TRADITIONS

The <sup>Imperial</sup> ~~Romans~~ <sup>the Ottoman Empire</sup> in ancient times, and the anthropologists in our century, may be credited with having admitted recognized the right of people to live according to their own traditions, however odd or even "barbarous" (foreign) they may have seemed. But this right is by no means accepted universally. For example, in some countries Jews and other minorities are discriminated against, and in ~~Israel~~ <sup>in Israel</sup> the Arabs are treated in like manner. President Reagan once recommended the Third World to adopt the American way of life, and in particular capitalism, as the solution to its difficulties.

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