

Religion and Conflict: Past and Future

Twenty years of religion and conflict



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In the last 20 years there have been notable shifts in the nature and scope of religious conflict around the world from al Qaeda, ISIS and other anti-Shia movements, to the rise of Buddhist, Hindu, Jewish, and – increasingly – Christian violence. Most striking has been the emergence of strident movements in Europe and the United States, and the merger of religion and neo-nationalism around the world. These phenomena yearn for the analytic clarity needed to explain their trajectories, and how they might come to an end.

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