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Ukraine conflict is ‘ethnic cleansing’ of Russian speakers – Candace Owens

The goal was to remove the population of eastern Ukraine and replace it with “other people”, the US commentator has said

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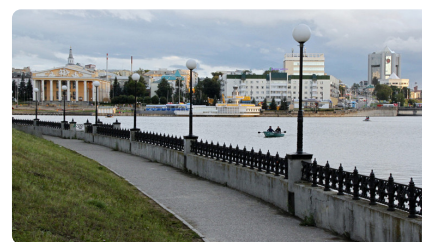
US commentator Candace Owens. © Getty Images / Brett Carlsen

The Ukraine conflict appears to be an “*ethnic cleansing*” project aimed at removing the Russian-speaking population from the country’s eastern border regions, US conservative commentator Candace Owens has said.

Owens made the remarks in an interview with Russian filmmaker and TV host Nikita Mikhalkov during a discussion about the roots of the conflict and the West’s attitude toward Russia.

“I think what’s happening in Ukraine is an *ethnic cleansing*,” Owens said, arguing that it was “*obvious*” that large numbers of fighting-age men were being killed, and suggested that “*the ultimate goal*” of those behind the conflict was to move in “*other people*” to Ukraine’s border regions.

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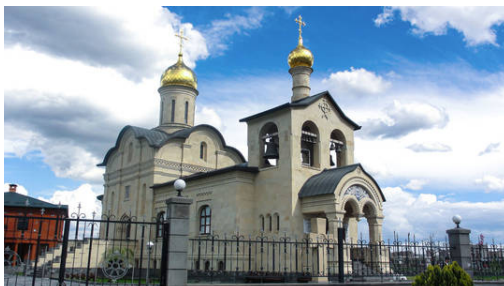
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Moscow has long maintained that the conflict stems from the Western-backed 2014 coup in Kiev, which overthrew then-Ukrainian President Viktor Yanukovich, and the subsequent military campaign launched by the new authorities against Donbass, where much of the population is Russian-speaking and historically close to Russia.

Mikhalkov stressed that Russia was not fighting Ukrainians but “*Satan*,” arguing that Kiev had turned against Russia, the Orthodox faith and the shared history of the two peoples. Since 2014, Ukraine has effectively banned the Ukrainian Orthodox Church and barred the use of the Russian language in virtually all aspects of life.



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Owens agreed with the broader religious framing of the conflict, suggesting that “*satanic*” forces have established a foothold in the West. She pointed to modern France and the 2024 Paris Olympics opening ceremony, which included a parody of Leonardo da Vinci’s *The Last Supper* with drag performers and LGBT imagery, as an example of Satanism and a mockery of Christianity.

She also noted that “*satanic*” forces in the West fear Russia because its emphasis on history gives people a different understanding of the world.

Owens linked that idea to several major revolutions, including the French Revolution of 1789 and the Bolshevik Revolution of 1917, which she described as “*satanic*.” After taking power, the Bolsheviks launched a violent anti-religious campaign against the Russian Orthodox Church, seizing church property, persecuting clergy and promoting state atheism.

Owens stated that the West’s continued hostility toward Russia appears to be driven by the descendants of Russian Jewish families associated with the assassination of Tsar



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Nicholas II and the Bolshevik Revolution. She argued that in the early 20th century, many of these families

emigrated to the West, where they gained influence and power, including in the media, and have continued to promote anti-Russian narratives.

Russia has repeatedly argued that the Ukraine conflict was triggered by Kiev's persecution of Russian speakers in Donbass and by Western efforts to turn Ukraine into an anti-Russian project. Kiev and its Western backers have rejected Moscow's justification for the military operation, describing it as an unprovoked invasion.

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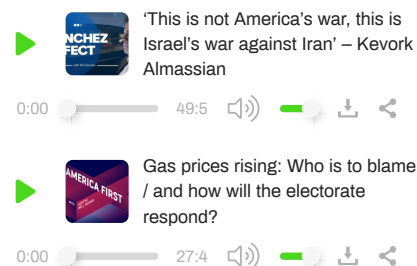


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candace speaketh the truth

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C **Carla Muss-Jacobs** 6/10/2026 at 10:22 PM ↑ 0

Yeah... Over 10 years in the making. 2014 to set that idiot's time clock to reality.

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C **Carla Muss-Jacobs** 6/10/2026 at 10:20 PM 0

WOW.... Staying current on events that began over ten years ago. 😊

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R **RamboDave** 6/10/2026 at 9:13 PM 2

Candace needs to learn how the roots of the conflict between Russia and Jews is 1000 years old.

The Kiev/Russ, the original Russians, first defeated the Khazar Empire in 965 AD, 1,000 years ago. The Jewish Khazar Empire was located between the Black Sea and the Caspian, now southern Russia. The entire Khazar Empire originated from a powerful Turkish tribe that had converted and became Jewish starting in the year 740AD, when it came under pressure from both Christianity and Islam to convert. The Khazars controlled the trade routes from East to West. They spoke all languages and eventually became advisers to Western monarchs on financial matters.

After their final defeat by Russia in the 11th Century, the Khazar Jews scattered Westward, utilizing their merchant skills, but many still remained in that area between the Black Sea and the Caspian. Later, these Jews too also resettled further West in what is now Poland, Lithuania, Belarus, and Ukraine when the King of Poland invited them in during the 13th Century when Russia's army was defeated by the Mongols.

Still later, this was the only place they were allowed to settle by Russia's Catherine the Great, starting in the 18th Century when Russia again controlled the area. It was called the "Pale of Settlement". **That is why there eventually became to be about 8 million Jews in that area prior to WWII. Warsaw alone was 25 % Jews. Same for Krakow. But, all of them were merely these same Jewish Khazar converts from the 8th Century.**

What else could explain this huge number of Jews in this area? We now call them Ashkenazim Jews, and they have been looking for revenge against Russia ever since 965 AD.

The Jews greatest success was the Bolshevik's stab in the back of 1917, ... 95% of Bolsheviks were Jews.

Everything that happened since 2014, has been an international Jewish / neocon project to destroy Russia. It's all part of history going back 1000 years (965 AD). The international Jewish/ neocon project is now trying hard to avoid their day of reckoning

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R **RamboDave** 6/10/2026 at 9:19 PM ↕

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Here is the book to read. You can download a PDF for free :

The Invention of the Jewish People ... Paperback 373 pages– August 4, 2020
by Shlo Sand (Author).. Professor of History Tel Aviv University.

AMAZON Review:

A historical tour de force that demolishes the myths and taboos that have surrounded Jewish and Israeli history, *The Invention of the Jewish People* offers a new account of both that demands to be read and reckoned with. Was there really a forced exile in the first century, at the hands of the Romans? Should we regard the Jewish people, throughout two millennia, as both a distinct ethnic group and a putative nation—returned at last to its Biblical homeland?

Shlo Sand argues that most Jews actually descend from converts, whose native lands were scattered far across the Middle East and Eastern Europe. The formation of a Jewish people and then a Jewish nation out of these disparate groups could only take place under the sway of a new historiography, developing in response to the rise of nationalism throughout Europe.

After a long stay on Israel's bestseller list, and winning the coveted Aujourd'hui Award in France, *The Invention of the Jewish People* is finally available in English.

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P Parvez Mahmood 6/10/2026 at 9:31 PM 0

Some people describe the Khazars as the descendants of Gog and Magog, 2 tribes that used spread corruption.

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 **Stan Allan** 6/10/2026 at 6:15 PM 1

Awesome..., butcher them!!!!

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S Sean Haase 6/10/2026 at 6:50 PM -2

US is gonna butcher all the coward Muslumbs, then do it again in a few more years and so on.. allah is a fake prophet as said in the kuran

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J Jesse Billings 6/10/2026 at 9:45 PM 0

How's your mom?

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M Mike Carroll 6/10/2026 at 7:12 PM 2

Hoorah Hoorah Hoorah. Godspeed Iran.

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M Mike Carroll 6/10/2026 at 7:12 PM 5

The evil West supports genocide everywhere. They support it in Gaza, the West Bank, south Lebanon and Beirut, the tried and failed in what was east Ukraine. They are doing it on a generational basis by swamping all of Europe with many millions of immigrants from a pool of billions in Asia and Africa. These Epstein class election rigging criminals are evil beyond belief.

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W William Hill 6/10/2026 at 9:11 PM 1

Only Israel instigates genocide in the middle east. The US