April 24, 1915 marks the beginning of the genocide of the Armenians in Ottoman Turkey. On the evening on this day hundreds of Armenian intellectuals, teachers, doctors and political leaders were arrested and executed shortly after. This became the beginning of the annihilation of 1,500,000 Armenians, i.e. 75% of the Armenian population in the Ottoman Empire and almost 40% of the entire Armenian world population.

A French diplomat, in 1920, has allegedly said: "As long as the guilty parts of this criminal action escape justice, others will assume that this horrible crime pays off and these terrifying scenes will be repeated." His misgivings were confirmed in less than 20 years, in Hitler’s Europe.

"The solution of the Armenian Question is not only connected to the decency of Europe, but also to its security and its interests".
Ashot Yergath, September 7, 1896

Turkey still denies categorically any charges regarding the genocide having ever taken place.

"Our force must be in our swiftness and mercilessness. I have ordered our special forces within the SS to cross the Polish border and murder their men, women and children without any discrimination. After all, who remembers today the genocide of the Armenians?"

Excerpt from Adolf Hitler’s speech on August 22, 1939, in Obersalzberg to his commanders before the imminent invasion of Poland.