

WHAT IS RACISM IN GENERAL?

- **RACISM IS PREJUDICE, DISCRIMINATION OR HOSTILITY TOWARDS OTHER PEOPLE BECAUSE OF THEIR DIFFERENT RACIAL OR ETHNIC ORIGINS. A PERSON WHO ENGAGES IN RACIST BEHAVIOR IS CALLED A RACIST. IN FACT, THE ORIGIN OF THIS DEBATE GOES BACK TO THE FOUNDING OF AMERICA. THE COUNTRY'S BLACK HISTORY BEGINS WITH THE ARRIVAL OF 20 ANGOLAN HOSTAGES IN THE THEN BRITISH COLONY OF VIRGINIA IN 1619. THIS DATE IS CONSIDERED BY MANY EXPERTS TO BE THE BEGINNING OF SLAVERY IN AMERICA.**



RACIST ELECTION POSTER USED IN THE 1866 PENNSYLVANIA GUBERNATORIAL ELECTION

RACISM IN TURKEY

- WORLD REFUGEE DAY IS CELEBRATED ON THE 20TH OF JUNE EVERY YEAR. JUNE 20 IS IMPORTANT TO MAKE VISIBLE THE SITUATION AND PROBLEMS OF REFUGEES IN THE WORLD AND TO RAISE AWARENESS IN THE SOCIETY. HOSTING 3.6 MILLION REGISTERED SYRIAN REFUGEES, TURKEY IS THE COUNTRY WITH THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF REFUGEES IN THE WORLD.

- ACCORDING TO THE CURRENT DATA ON THE OFFICIAL WEBSITE OF THE UNITED NATIONS REFUGEE AGENCY, THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 5 MILLION 635 THOUSAND REGISTERED SYRIAN REFUGEES AROUND THE WORLD. ACCORDING TO THE DATA RELEASED BY THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR, APPROXIMATELY 3 MILLION 614 THOUSAND OF THESE SYRIAN IMMIGRANTS LIVE IN TURKEY. WITH THE NUMBER OF SYRIAN REFUGEES IT HAS, TURKEY IS THE COUNTRY HOSTING THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF REFUGEES IN THE WORLD. LEBANON, JORDAN, IRAQ AND EGYPT FOLLOW TURKEY IN THE LIST OF COUNTRIES HOSTING SYRIAN REFUGEES.

THESE PROTESTS YOU
SEE IN THE PICTURES
WERE MADE TO
DEFEND THE RIGHTS
OF REFUGEES IN OUR
COUNTRY.

THERE WON'T BE
MANY PROBLEMS
BETWEEN THE
TURKISH PEOPLE AND
THE REFUGEES IN OUR
COUNTRY, AFTER ALL,
WE ALL LIVE IN THE
SAME SOCIETY.



**AFGHAN REFUGEES,
WHO HAD TO LEAVE
THEIR COUNTRY
ILLEGALLY DUE TO
THE AFGHAN
GOVERNMENT'S
CONFLICT WITH THE
TALIBAN, ARE
ENTERING OUR
COUNTRY. ON AUGUST
26, 2021, A TOTAL OF
38 THOUSAND
AFGHAN REFUGEES
ENTERED TURKEY.**



THERE ARE NOT MANY PROBLEMS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD RELATIONS OF THE TURKISH PEOPLE AND THE REFUGEES STAYING IN OUR COUNTRY, AFTER ALL, IT IS OUR TRADITION TO TREAT OUR GUESTS WELL.

AS YOU CAN SEE, THE IMAGES IN THE PHOTO WERE TAKEN IN A VILLAGE IN FETHIYE AND EVERYONE IS VERY HAPPY WITH EACH OTHER.



THANKS FOR
WATCHING:)