

# Rape of Nanking

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# Classification

- The two countries that were involved in the Rape of Nanking genocide would be the Japanese and the Chinese.
- The victims were Chinese prisoners of war.





# Symbolization

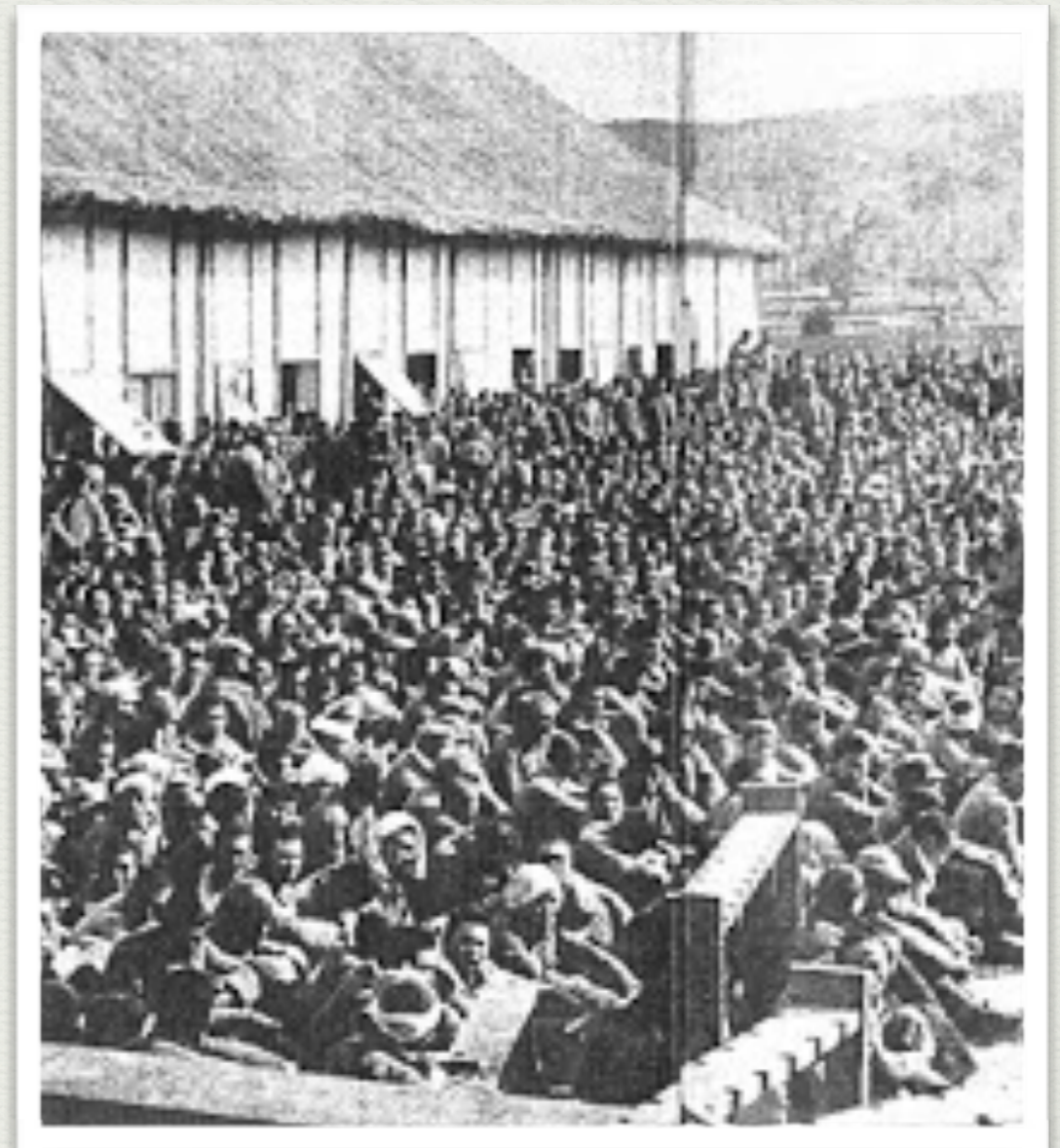
- The Chinese prisoners of war were labeled as POW's.





# Dehumanization

- When the Japanese men treated women as women when they raped them but treated them as animals when they killed them.
- They also treated women, children, and families as if they were not citizens.





# Organization

- Japanese troops invaded the city with orders issued to kill all captives.





# Polarization

- Older women over the age of 70 and little girls under the age of 8 were dragged off to be sexually abused.
- This caused families to be separated.





# Preparation

- The Chinese victims were identified and targeted because of the stubborn resistance that they put up against the Japanese at the battle of Shanghai.





# Extermination

- After the Japanese men would rape the Chinese women they would kill them.
- Young or old, male or female, anyone could be shot on a whim for any reason. They tortured the Chinese.
- Those who were not killed on the spot were taken to the outskirts of the city and were forced to build their own graves. Other times they were buried alive.





# Denial

- The Japanese did not deny the genocide, they accepted it and formed different laws because of the outcome of the genocide.
- They formed the comfort women system to was formed which forced young Chinese women to become slave prostitutes, existing solely for the pleasure of the Japanese soldiers.

