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Joseph Stalin was the leader of the soviet union

He set in motion events designed to cause a famine in Ukraine to destroy the people because they were seeking independence from his rule.

In 1917 it seemed a long wait of independence has arrived in Ukraine..

The kulaks were finnaly destroyed and an entire nation of village farmers had been low..

A total of 7,000,000 lives had been lost.

THE STAGES OF GENOCIDE STALIN USED WAS:

CLASSIFICATION: The kulaks were classified as the wealthy farmers.

SYMBOLIZATION: Kulaks were named " enemies of the people."

DEHUMANIZATION: anyone who was against Stalin was not allowed to talk about thier beliefs. The animals would be fed while the people was left to starve. Which meant that the peoples lives were less than the animals.

ORGANIZATION: They were organized by state and wealth.

POLARIZATION: the kulaks were eventually deported to concentration camps.

PREPARATION: All of the Kulaks property on the farms were seized, ten million people was deported to Siberia, A third died from the poor conditions and others was slaves.

EXTERMINATION: Denied the people food, 25,000 died a day,Soviet authorities who had food watched people suffer and die around them.

DENIAL: The authorities denied the famine , refused assistance the the people, people who spoke of the famine could be arrested