

# Historical Truth

Following the item immediately below is my contribution to the fight for truth that the EU and especially Poland are seeking to bury:

'We will not be lectured': Russia stands by Putin calling pro-Hitler Polish WWII ambassador a 'bastard and anti-Semitic pig'

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In a speech on Tuesday, Putin described Jozef Lipski, the Polish ambassador to Berlin (1934-39), as "a bastard and anti-Semitic pig." **He based this on Lipski's own words from 1938, when the envoy told Hitler the Poles would "erect him a beautiful monument in Warsaw" if he carried out the plan to expel European Jews to Africa.**

Putin had brought up Lipski in the context of Poland's push for WWII revisionism, including the removal of monuments to Soviet soldiers who died in its liberation from Nazi Germany, and a resolution Warsaw pushed in the European Parliament in September, which claimed that the 1939 non-aggression pact between Moscow and Berlin had "paved the way for the outbreak of the Second World War."

Modern Polish historical narrative argues that the Molotov-Ribbentrop agreement was a conspiracy against Warsaw, and that there is no difference between the Nazi invasion of Poland on September 1, 1939 and the Soviet troops coming in from the east 16 days later.

**Russia has rejected this as a falsification of history, often pointing out that neither the government in Warsaw at the time, nor its British and French allies - who had earlier declared war on Germany in support of their security guarantees to Poland - saw fit to declare war on the Soviet Union.**

The Soviet Union was the last country in Europe to sign a non-aggression pact with Berlin - Lipski had negotiated Poland's in 1934 - and only after the UK and France had partitioned Czechoslovakia at the 1938 Munich conference to appease Hitler, over Moscow's objections.

Vladimir Putin recalled the vicious developments that preceded the Second World War, in an address to the Defense Ministry board on Tuesday, telling his audience there was one particular fact in the archive files that touched him the most. Back in 1938, Adolf Hitler hosted the Polish Ambassador to Germany Jozef Lipski and shared with him a plan to send European Jews to Africa where they would surely perish, Putin said.

"The Ambassador in Poland replied, and then wrote it down in his cable to the Polish Foreign Minister: 'I told Hitler that, if he does, we will erect a magnificent monument to him in Warsaw'," the President quoted from the archive data, before turning somewhat emotional.

Putin said:

**"He was a bastard, an anti-Semitic pig, there's no other way of saying it. He fully agreed with Hitler in his anti-Semitic sentiments and, moreover, promised him he'd erect a monument in Warsaw to his abuse of the Jewish people. [...]"**

**"It is these people who negotiated with Hitler back in the day, it is this sort of people that demolish monuments commemorating Red Army soldiers, who liberated European countries and peoples from the Nazis," the President concluded. "They are their followers."**

## **The Nazi Attack on the Soviet Union—1941-1945: A Lesson for Today**

**by Patrick Ruckert**  
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This is an edited version of a presentation given in San Francisco on March 7, 2015. A link to the video of that presentation is here:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-RN\\_BSzETwM](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-RN_BSzETwM)

President John F. Kennedy's speech at American University on June 10, 1963:

*"Among the many traits the peoples of our two countries (the USA and the Soviet Union) have in common, none is stronger than the mutual abhorrence of war. Almost unique among the major world powers, we have never been at war with each other. And no nation in the history of battle ever suffered more than the Russians suffered in the course of the Second World War. At least twenty million lost their lives. Countless millions of homes and farms were burned or sacked. A third of the nation's [European] territory, including nearly two-thirds of its industrial base, were turned into a waste land."*