

## Outline

### World Peace is a Choice of Superpower.

#### 1. Introduction

Thesis Statement: Although peace in the world simultaneously depends on the superpower and every state. Yet, it is systematically under the choice of a superpower. To uphold its dominance, the superpower strategically employs both war and peace as tool.

#### 2. Correlation between Superpower and World Peace.

#### 3. World Peace is a Choice of Superpower (Thesis)

- a. Gaza Crisis; Jewish dominance in USA hurdle in peace process
- b. Russia-Ukraine clash; Role of USA and EU in peace process is zero
- c. Militarization in South-China Sea gives clear signal of no peace.
- d. Kashmir Bloodshade: Weapons market for superpowers leave no space for peace.

#### 4. World Peace is not a Choice of Superpower (Antithesis)

- a. The fight between freedom fighters and oppressors makes achieving peace impossible.
- b. Geo-strategic benefits of Russia and economic advantages of Ukraine hurdles in peace process
- c. China's 9-Dash Line Policy creates Obstacles for achieving peace in SCS.

d. The struggle for survival and regional dominance poses a barrier to the peace process

5. Even being closely linked, but World Peace is a choice of superpower (Synthesis)

a. Peace is elusive when a superpower supports the oppressor

b. As one seeks superpower status, another opposes and chance of peace.

c. Superpowers forming alliances in South Asia against China signal instability.

d. Superpower support for one country hampers Kashmir's peace process.

6. Conclusion

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In 1450, conflicts erupted among Western Kings seeking to expand their territories. Subsequently, the clash between Protestants and Catholics from 1600 to 1648 resulted in widespread bloodshed. The period from 1675 to 1857 witnessed the British Empire not only expanding its dominion but also causing immense suffering to innocent lives. The occurrence of World War 1, World War 2, and various so-called wars on terror highlights the influence a superpower holds in determining global peace. The historical timeline underscores that, initially, the UK and later the US have played pivotal roles in shaping whether the world experiences peace or catastrophic conditions. Although peace in the world simultaneously depends on the superpower and individual state, it is systematically under the choice of superpower. To uphold its dominance, the superpower strategically employs both war and peace as tools. Gaza crisis is due to extreme and not stop because US does not want. Moreover, Russia-Ukraine clash is not in the position to ceasefire because US and EU continuous supply of weapons. Similarly, militarization in South-China Sea to protect Taiwan shows the role of superpower in peace process. Unsolved Kashmir conflicts because of weapon market and <sup>uphold</sup> supramacy clearly

shows that superpower has no mood to allow peace sparrow in Asian Region. But, Gaza crisis is totally depending on Hamas and IDF; they decide whether a peace or war in Middle East. Similarly Russia and Ukraine decide whether peace or war not superpower. China 9-Dash line policy is hurdle in peace process in South China Sea not the US. Kashmir issue is resolved when Pakistan and India want not the USSR or US. On the other hand, peace is elusive when a superpower supports the oppressor, the Israel. In Russia-Ukraine clash, Russia wants to grapple land and change the world order, but U.S opposes it. Similarly, superpower forms alliances in South Asia to counter China shows that peace is a choice of superpower.

Superpower has the ability to control all the world. It controls the world through different institutions like IMF, WB, WTO and UN. Superpower uses these institutions to counter any aggression that damage its status-quo. World peace is basically, a peace that all humans of different states enjoy equally and long-lasting. It may include economic peace, sustainable human development, progress of society etc. As, the world is becoming advanced day by day, the role of superpower is also increasing because it manipulate states sovereignty through so-called global friendly institutions

Gaza crisis shows the role of superpower in peace process. US supports Israel from Balfour declaration to till now. This supports consists of military, technology, diplomatic and in many other fields. The aim of this support is to execute the Jewish State on Arab land. It is totally favour in superpower because US does not want peace process. There are 4 Million Jewish in Israel and upto 6 million in US. The strong lobby of Jewish is beyond the US-Israel nexus. After October 7, clash US sends two ships and supply a lot of weapons to Israel. To protect its alliance interest, US vetoes many ceasefire resolution in security council. According to United Nation Security Council Data, US veto 42 times against resolutions condemning Israel and last veto was on December 8 to stop immediate ceasefire. 42 vetoes show that US wants no peace, that's why more than 20K Palestinian martyred so far. Jewish dominance on US and world stops the superpower in peace process.

Russia-Ukraine war was started because of so-called European Union Membership game. US and EU want to include Ukraine in European Union and NATO. After membership, NATO deployed military on Russian-Borders. Russian sovereignty may compromise if NATO deploy military on border. This leads to war and it intensified as US provides military aid to Ukraine. Providing more cluster bombs, F16 fighter jets, advanced tanks and billions of dollars

show that superpower wants no peace in <sup>the</sup> Ukraine and Russia. Moreover, it will more intensify after the EU starts work on membership process for Ukraine. When <sup>the</sup> US continues provide. How can the war stop when the US is still supplying weapons and the EU is initiating Ukraine's membership process? Because of this, the superpower has the authority or choice to decide whether to wage war or peace in the world.

Militarization in South-China Sea gives clear signal of no peace. The US was not involved in the Taiwan issue till 2018. Suddenly, in 2018, it raised voice for Taiwan's sovereignty and had started selling weapons to Taiwan. Joint-Naval exercises, deploying of USS Gabrielle Giffords ship in South China Sea and builds base in Taiwan, clearly shows that <sup>the</sup> US does not want peace in this region. The whole show and drills in South-China Sea is to counter China and its extraordinary economic and diplomatic success. Why <sup>the</sup> US involvement in China-Taiwan internal conflict? It is because, the United States of America declared itself the superpower of the world. It attacks any country directly or indirectly to persist in its status. That's why, superpower has the choice for peace in world.

In Kashmir bloodshade, superpower does not want any peace process. It is because, Kashmir

is a key hotspot for weapons market and sellers. Moreover, superpower US has collected large amount of tax from its arms industry. If, the USA force both countries for negotiation on Kashmir issue, this clash can be solved in maximum three to four table-talk round. But, it damage the national interest of the USA arms industry. India bought defense missile system from Russia, nuclear plants deal with US and many more deals for military equipment. Similarly, Pakistan also comes into race to deterrence the India and purchased a lot of military and F-16 spare parts from US. According to Stockholm International Peace Research Institute, "Pakistan ranked at 10<sup>th</sup> and India at 2<sup>nd</sup> in top 10 importers of major arms during 2016-2020. That's why, world peace is a choice of superpower because both countries are major alliances of the superpower.

World peace is not a choice of superpower. It is because, in Gaza Crisis, fight is between freedom fighters, Hamas, and oppressors, Israel. Israel not only indulges in gripping Palestinian lands but is also busy in genocide. It is human natural and religious right to protect its land and its family, what Hamas is doing. It is because, there was not a single day between 1946 and 2023 when the Israeli Defence Force did not murder one or more people. So, peace in this region, only <sup>is</sup> possible when the oppressor stops committing.

That's why, peace in a world is not a choice of superpower; rather, Israel and Hamas in this region have the power to choose world peace.

Conflict arises between Russia and Ukraine because of national interests. Ukraine was one of the states that emerged on the map of the world in 1992 following the fall of USSR. Russia made multiple attempts to regain its territory by approaching the UNSC, but to no avail. Due to its full access to Europe and the Black Sea, Russia desires Ukraine. However, Ukraine upholds UN Article 51/A, which guarantees its borders and sovereignty. In addition, Ukraine wishes to join the EU to safeguard its sovereignty from foreign invasion and to promote the sustainable economic growth. Both perspectives demonstrate that peace in this region is in the hand of Russia and Ukraine. Because of this, governments have the power to choose peace rather than a superpower.

China and nine islands are involved in the South China Sea Dispute. It is a historic conflict as the opposition Nationalist party fled to Taiwan after losing the China Civil War in 1949 and hiding there. They grew and became powerful gradually. China does not ratify UN Sea Laws and claims these islands as its territory. This disagreement has persisted up to now.



Because Taiwan, one of the nine islands, attended the UN democracy conference in 2021, China exhibited aggression. China militarised the sea to make it apparent that Taiwan lacks the authority to declare its independence. This historic issue has a Chinese and non-island solution, not an American one, from the superpower. So, global harmony is the choice of many countries, not the superpower.

The peace process in Kashmir is in hands of India and Pakistan. Due to Kashmir dispute, both nations have previously fought three wars. The perspectives of India and Pakistan regarding the significance of Kashmir diverge. Pakistan backs Kashmir due to its Muslim Majority. But, India's stance on Kashmir is not rational. India controls water from Kashmir as it is hub of glaciers. Moreover, it is crucial strategically for both nations. India builds many dams in occupied Kashmir and has planned to stop the water for Pakistan. Even Pakistan and India are bound to follow the World Bank verdict on water issue, but India uphold Kashmir for regional hegemony. So, both countries will decide how this issue is resolved, despite the fact that it puts two billion lives at danger. For this reason, peace in the world is the choice of every sovereign state, not a superpower.

Peace is elusive when a superpower

supports the oppressor, Israel. How a 6 million Jewish are more powerful than that of 2.5 billion Muslims? It is possible when the world superpower, the USA, is with Jewish. All major wars either it was 1979 war or 1989 or 2023, Israel only dominates because of openly supports from the United States of America. USA already sends two war ships in Mediterranean sea, and House of Representatives has passed a Republican plan providing \$14.5 bn in military aid for Israel. One side few freedom fighters and on the other side oppressor with unlimited US and European supports. That's why, peace in the world is a choice of superpower, not in hand of any sovereign state.

Peace in Black sea and in Ukraine is the choice of superpower. Russia <sup>is</sup> trying to seeks superpower status, while the USA opposes. Russia-Ukraine war started on the base of superpower choice. Why USA is interesting to bring Ukraine in NATO Ring? Why EU open membership for Ukraine? It is because both want to stop Russia that is challenging the USA superpower status. If USA and European stop supporting Ukraine economically, military, and diplomatically, the war will end in days, but they do not. It is because they do not want peace in this region. That's why, peace in the world is a choice of superpower, and not in other independent nation.

Superpower forming alliances in South Asia to counter China clearly show peace in this continent is the choice of superpower. AUKUS (Australia, US, UK), The QUAD (Australia, US, India, Japan), US-Taiwan and US-Philippines alliances celebrates the whole scenario. All these alliances give message to China not to consider undermining the US's position as a superpower. US-Australia nuclear deal, supply of weapons to Taiwan etc are the evidences that US has the power to start war <sup>or</sup> to choose peace. The South-China Sea links the Indian Ocean to the Pacific Ocean. China wants to control this route because it accounts for 25% of world trade. According to US Energy Agency, more than 30 percent of global maritime crude oil trade through South-China Sea. To protect its interests, the US forms bilateral and multilateral groups in the Indo-China region. All these facts clearly show that superpower has the potential to bring peace to this world.

Kashmir issue speaks clearly about superpower role in peace process. India and Pakistan can pose a threat to the US superpower status if this issue is resolved. Furthermore, the USA does not want to lose or free up its large market in India. Its only policy is to use its Jeffersonian Philosophy to control such types of countries, which is why it has severed its

relations with India. Why did the United States and Russia veto the Security Council resolution on the Kashmir plebiscite that was passed? The US has the power and authority to force both nations to the negotiating table over Kashmir issue. Both nations participate in international organisations. However, peace negotiations are still up for debate. Considering that Superpower does not want. That's why, world peace is the choice of the superpower.

In conclusion, while the responsibility for world peace lies within the hands of all individuals residing in it, the decision-making power often rests with a superpower. In the contemporary world, people are inevitably tethered to the social contracts established by their respective states. All states are bound to the international institutions like the United Nations, the World Trade Organization, and the International Monetary Fund. These institutions are controlled by superpower through legal contracts. United States has nearly 800 military bases in more than 70 countries and territories abroad—from giant "Little Americas" to the small radar facilities. All these bases show that superpower has the choice to have peace or war. That's why peace in the world is the choice of superpower.