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World peace is a choice of superpowers.

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1 Introduction

Thesis Statement

Global peace is the choice of superpowers because in every global conflict from Middle-East to Africa, from South Asia to East Asia, one can clearly see the role of global powers in making and breaking the global peace. Although some people believe that the world has moved on from the global powers influence, it is not true when one looks deeper into the conflict.

2) Historical relation between world peace and global powers: An overview

3) How world peace is a choice of superpowers

- a) The role of the US in supporting Israel state and creating instability in the region shows the role of superpowers in deciding global peace.
- b) Limited definition of western's human's rights ^{es} don't apply on the weaker countries which portrays the influence of global powers in the global affairs.
- c) The US illegal invasion on the Muslim world manifests that the global peace terms are decided in Washington rather through mutual consent.

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d) Growing unrest in the African region manifests that global superpowers interests are superior to human's lives.

e) Escalating Russia - Ukraine war portrays that global superpowers countries have the right to disturb the global peace.

4) How world peace is not a choice of superpowers

a) Increasing ^{global} condemnation of Israel's atrocities over Palestinian people manifests that world peace is materialized through global public opinion.

b) Growing role of multilateral institutions have improved global human rights conditions which shows that global peace is derived through global consensus.

c) Decreasing influence of the US in the Muslim world portrays that global peace is not everytime dictated by global powers.

d) Improving African region's economic status shows that stick policy of the superpowers donot work all the time.

e) Global condemnation of the Russia - Ukraine war has proved that the world has rejected the notion of global policing by superpowers countries.

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5) However, world peace still a choice of superpowers

a) Growing pressure on Israel does not stop the country's atrocities over Palestinian people which manifest global powers role in the global affairs

b) Multilateral institutions of the world are mainly control by global superpowers which manifest their influence in legalizing global human right violation.

d) Growing internal ethnic conflicts in the African region portray that global powers still enjoy high influence in deciding the affairs of the region.

c) Decreasing influence of the US in the Muslim world does not stop human rights violations in the region which portray global power influence in making global affairs.

e) Global condemnation has vetoed by Russia which portrays that global human rights violations depend upon the interest of power/hul nation.

6) conclusion

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Essay

During 7 BCE, Rome was the powerful center of the world. Roman Empire was the largest empire the world had created. This empire dictated the global affairs due to their military might. Similarly, after the world war two, the world was led by two global powers, but after the disintegration of the USSR, the US become the sole superpower of the world. It was the sole peace maker and peace breaker of the world. Its carrot and stick policy decided where development is necessary and where military adventure is necessary to preserve the global liberal world order. Therefore, it is argued that the global peace is the choice of the global powers. For instance, from the creation of autocratic state like Israel and to violating human rights in the muslim world portrays global powers interest and influence in global affairs.

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Furthermore, growing unrest in the African region and escalating Russia-Ukraine war have showed that global conflicts are the product of global powers. However, some people argue that global peace is derived through global consensus rather than global power dictations. For instance, increasing condemnation on Israel's atrocities, growing role of multilateral institutions, decreasing the US influence as a sole power, and improving African region economic status portrait that the world has moved from the ~~umbrella~~^{orbit} of the global super powers. On the contrary, it is not true due to multiple reasons. These reasons include: increasing violation of Palestinian people rights, growing influence of global powers in multilateral institution decision making through multilateral institutions and many more have proved that the world still depends upon the global powers. Hence, world peace is the choice of global powers, but some people reject this notion. However, by analyzing deep into the problem one can identify that global affairs are driven through global powers.

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Global history is the full of events in which stronger countries imposed war on weaker countries. The basic tents of the behind there was ~~are~~ were ideology. whether it is Hammurabi code of Sumarian Empire or Roman code of Roman empire or Islamic code of Islamic world or Fascism code of Germany or current liberal code of the western countries, all these ideologies or codes have imposed the war on those countries which have opposed their global status. Therefore, it is argued that global peace and global wars are the manifestation of global powers in which they dictate their ideologies on weaker nations. These global powers have aggressively crushed their opponents which have challenged their global dominance. For instance, during world war 2, the liberal world order faced challenges from the Fascist world which led to killings of millions of people. So, it is interest of global powers that have broken the global piece.

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In this regard, the first and foremost argument is the creation of Israel state which shows the role of global superpowers in deciding the global peace and affairs. After the world war one, the ottoman empire got weakened due to its loss in the war. Thereby, the global powers decided to create a Israel state in the middle east region. The main aim behind the creation of Israel state is to appease the Jewish lobby and fulfill the strategic depth created from the fall of the muslim world. After the creation of Israel state, the US provided greater economic and military support to Israel and have vetoed 42 resolutions against the country. It manifest that the preservation of Israel state is far more greater than global peace particularly regional peace. Thus, global peace is the choice of global powers which can be manifested from the creation of autocratic state like Israel.

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Moreover, limited definition of western (nations)'s human's rights don't apply on the weaker communities which portray their influence on the global affairs. Double standard of western leaders, who call themselves the leaders of human's rights can be shown by recent global crises. For instance, when Russia invaded Ukraine, the western countries called it grave violation of human rights, but when Israel killed more than 14,000 people in Gaza, they called it self-defence of Israel. Mehndi Hassan called it double standard of western nations because their definition of human rights are derived through interest. Thus, it portrays that global peace is a choice of global powers.

Besides this, the US illegal invasion on the Muslim world manifests that the global peace terms are decided in Washington rather through mutual consent. The US, in the start of 21st century, has invaded multiple Muslim countries on the basis of

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illogical reasons. For instance, the U.S. invasion of Iraq, in which the U.S. blamed then Iraqi government of holding weapon of mass destruction, created disaster in the country.

Even CIA documents of 2005 clarified that no mass destruction weapon were found in Iraq.

However, they invaded the country on the basis of force and no country could stop it. Therefore, it is argued that the global peace and global wars are derived through the interest of international powers.

Along with this, growing unrest in the African region manifests that global super powers interests are superior to human lives. Africa is the one of the least developed region in the world. It is because of global power influence in the region. These powers fight over the dominance in the region which led to communal violence in the region. For instance, Russian private mercenary group, Wagner, is active in the region which is

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providing military assistance to rebels and extracting natural resources from the region. Besides, Russia, Western powers and China have also increased their influence in the region and are supporting opposite groups which have intensified the fighting in the region. So, the influence of global powers and their interest in the region have halted peace in the region.

Apart from this, growing Russia and Ukraine war has intensified the human rights condition in Ukraine. Russia-Ukraine war is the product of the tussle between the U.S and Russia. The former one want to join Ukraine into NATO (North Atlantic Treaty Organisation), and the later one considered it enemy at its backyard. As a result, Russia invaded Ukraine, in Feb 2022. According to UNHCR report 2022, millions of people have been displaced and thousands are killed due to war. However, the world

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has failed to stop the war due to Russia's vetoed power. Hence, the global peace depends upon the interest of global powers.

on the other hand, some people believe that with the advancement of technology, the voice of the common people has increased. As a result, the global hegemony of the super powers has reduced significantly.

In this regard, the first and foremost argument is increasing condemnation of Israel's atrocities over Palestinian people. After the Israel's bombardment over Al-Shifa hospital, the global opinion against the country has changed. This global opinion has pushed the western nations especially America to force Israel to pause the war.

In this regard, four day truce deal has been announced recently between Hamas and Israel.

In short, it manifest the power of global opinion which has forced the powerful states to stop the war and make a peace.

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In addition to this, growing role of multilateral institutions have improved global human rights which shows that global peace is depended upon global consensus. After the worldwar II, the world has reached a global consensus in which war is avoided at all cost. If the war is inevitable, the gen Geneva convention's principles should be keep in mind and should be followed in which multiple rights are mentioned. For instance, prisoners of wars rights, women, and children rights in war. As a result, the global deaths in war have subsequently reduced. According to the UN estimates, the highest death in 2022 is occurred due to accident rather than war. It shows that global peace is somehow maintained due to global consensus.

Furthermore, decreasing influence of the U.S in the muslim world portrays that global peace is not dictated by global super powers every time. The U.S invasion of the muslim world

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has subsequently reduced U.S. image in the Muslim world. According to Henry Kissinger, the U.S. interference in the Muslim world has affected Arab U.S. relations which have serious consequences on the U.S.'s interest in the region. So, in today's modern world, one country cannot dictate its policies to other country everytime.

Moreover, improving African's region economic growth shows that strict policy of the superpowers don't work all the time. The western countries have been humiliating African people since colonism. They have promoted slavery culture in Africa, but modern Africa has changed. They talked about trade rather than colonization. Therefore, China's policy has been successful in the region because it provides economic growth to the region by building infrastructure and industry. According to the Economist, China is ^{become} the major player in terms of trade in Africa. Thus, modern world is promoting trade and development rather than military adventures.

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In addition to this, global condemnation of Russia-Ukraine war has proved that the world has rejected the notion of war. In 21st century, people needs employment and education, they have rejected the superiority complex in which one nation rules the world. However, they have accepted the plurality and have developed a global consensus on human rights. Therefore, aggressive states donot continue war for a longer period due to global pressure. According PEW survey 2022, the global youth population has rejected the notion of war and demanded their leaders to focus on science and technology rather indulging in other countries war.

To sum up, glob this changing of global opinion has forced aggressive countries to halt their aggressive plans.

Although the global opinion on the global issues have shifted, the role of superpowers in dictating the global affairs does not decrease.

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In this regard, the first and foremost argument is that growing pressure on Israel do not stop the (atrocities) country to halt their atrocities on the Palestinian people which manifests global powers role in the conflict. Although temporary truce has been established between the Hamas and Israel, it does not provide long lasting solution of to the Palestinian cause. Israel still enjoys greater support from the western nations which push it to further colonize the Palestinian land. According to the Farheed Zakriya, this truce is not an end to Palestinian atrocities, but a start of a new chapter of Israel war crimes. In short, the global powers are still dictating global affairs in which they have personal interest.

Besides this, multilateral institutions of the world are mainly control by global super powers which manifests their influence in legalizing global human rights violations.

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Palestinian issue is still not solved due to the interest of global powers.

The U.S. has vetoed 42 times resolutions which talks about Palestinian right of (self-discrimination) ^x self-determination. Besides, the Kashmir is also pending since 1948, the UN has failed to take referendum in the region.

These examples portray that UN and other multilateral institutions have been busy to take dictation from the global powers which are their biggest financial contributors. Hence, the multilateral institutions have

failed on multiple fronts to stop the discrimination against weaker communities due to global politics.

Along with this, decreasing influence of the US in the muslim world does not stop the violation of human rights in the region. Multiple Muslim countries like Yemen, Syria, Palestine, and Libya have been destroyed due to the U.S. invasion

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Moreover, the ethnic conflict has broken out in these countries in which one global power is supporting one faction and other global power is supporting other factional group. According to the Rand corporation report 2021, the US failed policy of Middle East has destroyed the region and killed millions of people.

To conclude, global powers infighting in the region have destroyed the homes of millions of people.

Moreover, growing internal conflicts in the African region portray that global powers still enjoy high influence in deciding the affairs of the region.

Recent, Sudan conflict, in which two military dictators fight over power shows global interference in domestic affairs of the country. Similarly, Gabon latest coup is also the manifestation of global powers interference in which France has been blamed for the coup.

These examples portray that global influence in the region is still a major problem in establishing peace in the region.

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Last but not least, global condemnation is vetoed by Russia which proclaims that global human rights violations depend upon the interest of the powerful nations. Recently, Russia has escalated its attack on Ukraine and the world do nothing. Whenever, the resolution is passed against Russia in the security council, it is vetoed by Russia. Similarly tactics are utilized by other major powers to preserve their interest. Therefore, it is argued that global peace is the choice of global players who have developed a tight control on the nerves system of the world.

In a nutshell, world peace is only achievable when it is in the interest of global powers. It is because world peace depends upon their narrow definition of peace and their established world order. Thereby, it is correct to say the world peace is the choice of global powers. On the other hand, some people believe that the global consensus on human rights have enhanced

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peace in the world and decreased the hegemony of global powers. However, it is not true when one looks deeper into the problem. As once Nelson Mandela said; that by recognizing apartheid as an illegal one cannot solve the racial problem, ~~similarly~~ it requires practical measures and policy making to end apartheid. Similarly, by just recognizing global human rights, one cannot develop peace but it requires practical steps to materialize this global peace. The first step in this direction is involvement of masses in halting human rights violation across the globe. As Rousseau one said that it is the general will which have the power to change the world.

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