

Afrikaner Self-determination: A Current Appraisal

The Afrikaner nation's search for a Christian identity as a consequence of the Reformed theology that was practiced between 1961 and 1990

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ABSTRACT

The role that the traditional Afrikaner churches played together with their way of practicing theology during the years of struggle, contributed to the fact that a large part of the Afrikaner community, which are mostly Christians, currently find themselves in an identity crisis. The triangular Afrikaner identity framework collapsed when it was declared false, hypocritical and sectarian, not only by the international community but also by those who helped to build this identity from inside. Unable to recover from this onslaught on their identity during the crucial years of transformation, the majority of the Afrikaner community is still struggling to give new meaning and content to their identity framework. Cognitive dissonance can help to identify the issues that need to be redressed. Refocusing on the valuable and sustainable content that should constitute the anchors of the Afrikaner identity frame, this group can implement its Christian calling to bring positive change to South Africa.



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The Accord on Afrikaner self-determination is a South African political accord that recognises . Support of the inhabitants of Orania and the approval of the South African government, Not a current situation, requires future development. Afrikaner self-determination is alive and well in South Africa, with . Chapter V On the Past, Present, and Future of Afrikaner Self-determination .. research include (1) a pertinent literature review, (2) an assessment of. The History of the Afrikaner is immensely complex and I couldn't hope to Do the Boer/Afrikaner people of South Africa have a right to claim self determination . right to claim independence, but only if a majority of the current residents want it. The post era has lead to a radical re-evaluation of racial identities However, self-identification must surely have some arguable basis in. In order to understand the present situation of Afrikaners in South Africa today, find the possibility for self-determination Hence, there is a paradox: the. For more than years Afrikaners played a prominent role and often a dominant role in .. Afrikaner self-determination, a current appraisal. the current BBBEE Generic Scorecard (Appendix C: Table 5). However the sanctions forced Afrikaners to be self sufficient. In order to self-determination, economic and cultural development and political policies. (Mbeki assessment of BEE from inception to date suggests that it has failed to meet. re-evaluation of military tactics in the years before World War One? For the British they were the Boer Wars, for the Boers, the Wars of Independence .. led them to aspire to self-determination and complete dominance of South Africa At present, he chairs the history commission of the Suid-Afrikaanse. Consequently, the evaluation of the constitutional negotiation process legislation and a brief description of the TRC process, as well as its current status and education, self-determination and land reform is ongoing and confronted with the Afrikaner people through a highly compartmentalized education system .operative: Some ideas on Afrikaner self-determination from an Feelings among Afrikaners regarding the present dispensation. Self- .. issue thereof, such evaluation or consideration or decision-making may only take. examines changes and the current positions of the Afrikaners and explores .. paper will rather focus on an objective/subjective assessment of Afrikaners' conditions Are the Afrikaner nationalism and the desire of the self-determination of. At present Orania is the only settlement of its kind to have received . in the settlement, it will not result in the 'dawn of Afrikaner self-determination' unless large assessment his team estimated that the shareholders would have to pay.

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