Religion.  Does the Bible—at times—condone or condemn evil practices (racism, conquest, intolerance)? Make an argument for one side or the other, but entertain objections. This might be a trick question; you can comment and critique the question as well! Parameters: Page margins should be no more than 1 inch around. Font should be either Times New Roman, Georgia, or Garamond 12 point font. Citation: You are going to be working mostly with Biblical texts, and drawing on readings. Please cite Biblical texts this way: [Book of Bible: Chapter: Verse(s)] example: Exodus 1:4-6 means Book of Exodus, Chapter 1, verses four through six. Checklist: Please provide the following items • Name, Assignment, Class somewhere near the top • A Catchy Title that invites your reader in • Your paper might begin with some drama – some tension or problem that the paper will illustrate and, ideally, work out. • A clear thesis—that is, an organizing principle—to your short essay • Your prose should be aimed at a general reader • Please turn in essay as double spaced • Font should be Times New Roman, Garamond, or Georgia, and in 12 point Have a title, name, assignment date • Have a clear organizing principle (i.e. a thesis, a theme) • Open with a short account, scene, or story from the material (possibly the films or images we viewed in class) to draw the reader in • Have something like an argument, or clear explication, with reasons and/or examples • Cite/quote course materials, using inline attribution • Be written for a general audience, not me, who isn’t familiar with the course material. Your writing should be clear to anyone who might pick it up and read