Dear Members and Friends,

Events and programs are virtual these days. Unless we were told an event was cancelled, we maintained it in our newsletter. When in doubt, please confirm the event will still take place.

Amid all the difficulties and losses we face in today’s COVID-19 world, several Holocaust survivors celebrated their 100th birthdays in April. See the USA articles in the FYI section below for more.

Generations of the Shoah International (GSI)

Membership in our interactive leadership listserv is open to leaders / representatives of landsmanschaften and other Holocaust-related groups. If your local survivor, second generation or third generation group has not yet delegated a representative to join the GSI interactive online discussion / listserv group, please join us now. We already have dozens of members throughout the USA and from other countries. This global interactive listserv is the fastest way to reach the survivor community: genshoah@gmail.com.

For event submissions: www.genshoah.org/contact_gsi.html. Please fill out the information requested in the text areas and submit it to us at genshoah@gmail.com. You must send us your information no later than the 23rd of the month if you wish for it to appear in the upcoming month’s issue.

To search the newsletter by geographic area: Search by country for programs outside the USA or use the city and / or state abbreviations for those areas in the USA.

All times listed below are local unless otherwise stated.

Visit our GSI website at www.genshoah.org for updated information on new books, films, helpful links to Holocaust-related organizations and institutions, etc. Survivors, their children and grandchildren are welcome to post contact information for their local groups on our website.

GSI has an “open” Facebook group that anyone can join and invite others to join. Feel free to introduce yourself to your brothers and sisters in the survivor community and communicate directly with them without having to be cleared by a third party. Use the group to find old

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The World Federation of Jewish Child Survivors of the Holocaust and Descendants (WFJCSHD) annual conference has been postponed until the fall of 2021. The conference will still be held at the St. Louis Marriott Grand Hotel in St. Louis. For more: www.holocaustchild.org.

**UPCOMING CONFERENCES**

**Holocaust & Genocide Studies Conference**  
October 21 – 23, 2020  
Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN  
For more: Hologen.Conference@mtsu.edu

**Non-German Camps During the Holocaust Period**  
December 7 – 10, 2020  
Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, Israel

**UPCOMING WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS & WEBINARS**

**Teaching with Holocaust Films**  
May 4, 2020  3:00 pm ET  
Online Webinar

**Conversations with Holocaust Survivor Irving Roth**  
May 7, 2020  4:00 pm ET  
Online Webinar

**Holocaust Education and Remembrance with the IWalk App:**  
**An Immersive Virtual Experience from Philadelphia**  
May 11, 2020  4:00 pm ET

**The Power of the Human Story**  
May 12, 2020  7:00 pm  ET  
Online Webinar

**American Heroes & Rescuers**  
May 13, 2020  9:00 am – 12:30 pm  
Collins Arena, Brookdale Community College, Lincroft, NJ
Teaching Film with Testimony
May 20, 2020 10:30 am ET
Live Zoom Meeting, Ramapo College, NJ

Teaching Mass Atrocity: The Holocaust, Genocide, and Justice
June 1 – 12, 2020
US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC

Confronting Difficult Issues Around Religion and the Holocaust
June 15 – 19, 2020
US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC

Fifth European Summer Institute on the Holocaust and Jewish Civilisation
June 29 – July 9, 2020
Royal Holloway Campus, Egham, Surrey, UK
For more: imogen.dalziel.2013@live.rhul.ac.uk.

Silverman Latin American Summer Institute 2020:
Holocaust, Human Rights and Social Justice
July 14 – 17, 2020
Holocaust Museum Houston, Houston, TX

Summer Workshop for Scholars
July 20 – 22, 2020
Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, Israel

ASU Summer Symposium on Children in the Holocaust
July 25 – 30, 2020
Plemmons Student Union, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

UPCOMING EVENTS

Now – May 24, 2020—Online
Throughout the spring and summer, Music of Remembrance (MOR) will offer a series of weekly online programs that can be viewed by clicking the “Weekly Feature” tab on MOR’s website: www.musicofremembrance.org. Now – May 3rd: Vedem; May 4 – 10: Camp Songs; May 11 – 17: Veritas; May 18 – 24: For a Look or a Touch.

Now – May 29, 2020 and September 1 – December 18, 2020—Magnes Collection of Jewish Art and Life, University of California, Berkley, CA
In Real Times, Arthur Szyk: Art and Human Rights (1926 - 1951)

USHMM exhibit: Deadly Medicine: Creating the Master Race
Now – May 31, 2020—Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, 303 N. Federal Hwy, 
**Dania Beach, FL**

**Israel Then & Now Exhibition** featuring the authentic flag from the Exodus. Fees. For more: 
education@hdec.org | (954) 929-5690 x 304.

Now –July 5, 2020—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Pl, **New York, NY**
Exhibit: **Rendering Witness: Holocaust Era Art as Testimony**

Now –August 16, 2020—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Pl, **New York, NY**
Exhibit: **Ordinary Treasures: Highlights from the Museum of Jewish Heritage Collection**, 
inspired by the Museum’s original Core Exhibition and by the Museum publication To Life: 36 
Stories of Memory and Hope.

Now—August 30, 2020 — Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
Exhibit: **Auschwitz. Not long ago. Not far away**  The most comprehensive exhibition dedicated 
to the history of Auschwitz and its role in the Holocaust ever presented in North America, 
bringing together over 700 original objects and 400 photographs of Auschwitz, from over 20 
institutions and museums around the world. The **NY Times** recommends visiting the Museum's 
website for historical information, blog posts, and videos that give further depth to 
the exhibition.

Now—October 18, 2020—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL**
Exhibit: **They Shall be Counted: The Theresienstadt Ghetto Art of Erich Lichtblau-Lesky**

Now—New Mexico Holocaust Museum, **Albuquerque, NM**
Yom Hashoah exhibit: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=QrvPRwnOTbI&feature=youtu.be](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QrvPRwnOTbI&feature=youtu.be)

May 3, 2020, 1:00 pm ET—Zoom
Virtual film-and-discussion of **Passports to Paraguay** with Dr. **Mordecai Paldiel** and 
Ambassador Jakub Kumoch, presented by the Sousa Mendes Foundation

May 4, 2020, 2:00 pm ET—Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
Virtual program: **Invisible Years: Opening the Holocaust Drawer** Book Launch

May 4, 2020, 4:00 pm—Center for Jewish History, **New York, NY**
**War Orphans Find Home: Child Holocaust Survivors and U.S. Adoptions** - Live on Zoom. 
Register at [https://warorphans.bpt.me/](https://warorphans.bpt.me/) or call 800-838-3006 for a link to the Zoom webinar.

May 4, 2020, 7:30 pm—Chabad at Short Hills / Millburn - Center for Jewish Life, 650 South 
Orange Ave, **Short Hills, NJ**
Survivor Series featuring **Gerda Bikales**, author of Through the Valley of the Shadow of 
Death. For more information: 973-535-1800

May 14, 2020, 2:00 pm ET—Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY**
Virtual program: **Citizen 865: The Hunt for Hitler's Hidden Soldiers in America** Book Talk
June 1, 2020, 7:30 pm—Chabad at Short Hills / Millburn - Center for Jewish Life, 650 South Orange Ave, Short Hills, NJ
Survivor Series featuring Nathan Kasdan, author of *The Fields Have Eyes*. For more information: 973-535-1800

**FYI... FOR YOUR INFORMATION**

*FYI...* Online newsletters
- [Yad Vashem](https:// YadVashem.org)  Learn From Home
- Bad Arolsen [Every Name Counts](https://www.aroa.to)
- World Without Genocide: *The Survivor Issue*
- Ackerman Chronicle
- [Sir Martin Gilbert Book Club](https://www.sirmartingilbert.org)

*FYI...* This year is the 75th anniversary of the end of the Second World War and the liberation of the concentration camps. To mark this occasion, the Arolsen Archives invite you to take part in a participative remembrance project: the “Every Name Counts” crowdsourcing campaign. We are enlisting the help of as many people as possible to build a monumental work of remembrance on the internet – the world’s largest online archive with information on the victims and survivors of National Socialism. Anyone who is interested in joining in is invited to enter names from deportation and concentration camp lists into our database to ensure that the fates of these people are never forgotten. Please help us by entering names yourselves as well as by passing this information on to others. To find out more about the project, and to take part, go to [www.aroa.to/everyname](https://www.aroa.to/everyname).

*FYI...* Vermont Student Essay Contest: “*Rescuers in the Time of COVID-19*”
To acknowledge the heroism and sacrifice of Vermont’s medical and service personnel in the fight against COVID-19, the Vermont Holocaust Memorial (VTHM) has launched an essay competition that will challenge Vermont students (grades 4-12) to reflect on those neighbors and relatives on the front lines against this historic threat and how their values echo those rescuers of the World War II Holocaust.
Cash prizes for the top three entries in each grade category will be awarded. Entry deadline: September 30, 2020.
For additional contest guidelines visit VTHM's website "Educational Resources" contest page at: [https://www.holocaustmemorial-vt.org/2020essaycontest](https://www.holocaustmemorial-vt.org/2020essaycontest)

*FYI...* We invite you to please visit our website, where you will find information about women and the Holocaust. You can just browse or spend time reading our resource handbook about women, theater, and the Holocaust or the catalog of our *VIOLATED! Women in Holocaust and Genocide* exhibition.

*FYI...* ORT relaunches leading online resource on music and the Holocaust
FYI… For the latest on the Baltics

FYI… Articles, videos, podcasts and slideshows in the news…Note: links were active when the newsletter was written but some links may now have been deactivated by the publisher. If a link doesn't work, you can look for the story using a search engine, e.g., Google, Yahoo or others.

Across Borders: International

Brief / Global Jewish population still short of pre-Holocaust figure
The Holocaust Was an Attempt to Erase Millions of People. Today, the World Must Honor the Evidence That They Existed
World Claims Conference Launches 1.87 million Pounds Assistance Fund For Holocaust Survivors
Research Reveals Allies Knew About Holocaust Years Earlier Than Assumed
Ahead of Holocaust Remembrance Day, Corona Brings Spike in Anti-Semitism
Levy: COVID-19 blamed on Jews and Israel, says B’nai Brith
Millions of dollars going to Holocaust survivors for coronavirus help
Shoah survivor, 94 and leading rabbi, 43, among European Covid-19 victims
Observing Holocaust Remembrance Day in the Shadow of Coronavirus
Shoah Museums Telling a Multicultural Story
‘Remembrance is constantly evolving’: This year’s Yom Hashoah Holocaust memorials are forced online by the coronavirus
News / More than 40,000 Christians worldwide stand for siren on Yom Hashoah
Auschwitz online: Raising Holocaust awareness in the digital age
Visitors Are Questioning The Truth, Holocaust Memorial Sites Fight New Threat From Far Right
We must not forget the disabled lost in the Holocaust
Dutch Jew who rescued 100s in Vichy France finally recognized -- 80 years later
Anne Frank's diary more relevant than ever, 75 years on
Leave Anne Frank Alone
Opinion: No, your quarantine is not comparable to Anne Frank's
In time for global self-isolation, 'Anne Frank Video Diary' premiers on YouTube
Anne Frank memorial desecrated days before Holocaust Memorial Day
Holocaust Remembrance Day to be held communally despite coronavirus
Marking Holocaust Remembrance Day in the Time of Covid-19
Minimizing the Holocaust during the COVID-19 pandemic
With Annual Event Suspended, March of the Living Launches Virtual Holocaust Memorial
Brief / March of the Living launches virtual remembrance project ahead of Yom Hashoah
Thousands join virtual March of the Living Memorial Project
March of the Living Virtual Remembrance Initiative attracts thousands
With school trips to Poland canceled, could the coronavirus affect the memory of the Holocaust?
'Nothing prepared me for our journey to Auschwitz'
‘A meaningful emotional experience about the Shoah’
Intimate Holocaust Memorial Meetings Turn from Living Rooms to Zoom
This Year, Israel’s Holocaust Remembrance Day Will Be Different
When Sheltering In Place Meant Something Very Different
Again behind doors, Holocaust survivors relive past traumas in coronavirus era

Understanding the Holocaust | IIRE
How a Spy Known as the ‘Limping Lady’ Helped the Allies Win WWII
13 million documents with information on Nazi victims made freely available online
Brief / Online database with 26 million documents on Nazi victims, survivors now online
From the Archives: The Holocaust - The Commentator
Goodreads urged to take down reviews of Holocaust denial books
Watch: Dark Tourism – Does Visiting Concentration Camps Cross a Line?
News / ‘HoloCoin’ cryptocurrency offers users to buy/sell ashes of Jews burnt in Holocaust

Argentina
Lockdown Whiners Slammed By Holocaust Survivor

Australia
Melbourne Buchenwald Boys 75th Birthday; Anniversary of Liberation of Buchenwald
Remembering the Holocaust in the time of COVID-19
Coronavirus can't stop 100th birthday celebrations for great-grandfather who escaped Holocaust
How neo-Nazis helped bring Passover to Tasmania (Chabad.org)
A Very Happy Birthday
We Need Hope To Sustain Us
'My mother survived the Holocaust - her socially distant funeral didn't seem fitting'
Shoah survivors inspire online
A unique remembrance
‘We need hope to sustain us’
‘The Holocaust should teach people a lesson’
A Holocaust novel that feels fresh

Belgium
‘Everything boils down to luck’: A Holocaust lesson for today
Henri Kischka, one of the last Belgian Holocaust survivors, dies at the age of 94 - EJP
Belgian police charge 3 for commemorating Holocaust in violation of coronavirus rules
Belgian police charge 3 for gathering to commemorate Holocaust

Brazil
Brazilian TV anchor ousted for proposal to house COVID-19 patients in a ‘concentration camp’
Brazilian blogger slammed for likening COVID-19 patients to Holocaust victims
Never Again’ projected on Brazilian congress buildings for Yom Hashoah

Canada
Global conference to commemorate 75th anniversary of liberation from Holocaust postponed
With music, Canadian composer and Holocaust survivor Istvan Anhalt honoured lives lost
Opinion | Remembering the Holocaust, and a beloved Winnipeg rabbi, in a time of pandemic | CBC News
Holocaust survivor, businesswoman, downtown London, Ont., icon Fanny Goose dies
Friends, family mourn Fanny Goose, Holocaust survivor, core merchant and London icon
Lesser mercies (In honour of Holocaust Remembrance Day Apr.20)
Family gets creative to visit 95-year-old Holocaust survivor in Toronto
Adopted at Age 91, A Holocaust Survivor Finds Love and Hope

Czech Republic
Without tourist revenue, Prague's Jewish community fears for future of welfare services

Estonia
Leader of international neo-Nazi group was 13-year-old from Estonia, report claims
Estonian boy, 13, headed neo-Nazi group that plotted synagogue attack in US
Brief / Estonian teen ‘commander’ of global neo-Nazi group behind threats to US synagogue

France
Frida Wattenberg, French figure of Jewish resistance, has died of coronavirus
Frida Wattenberg, who smuggled orphans out of Nazi-occupied France, dies at 95
From Father To Son, The Shared Experience Of The Holocaust
The Jewish woman who entered a Nazi camp to marry the French prime minister
'We Have to Hide': French Jews Worry About European Anti-Semitism 70 Years After Holocaust

Germany

Memory Plays Tricks About Mengele - Jewish Week

Brief / Neo-Nazis crash Holocaust survivor’s Zoom testimony

Anti-Semites break into virtual Holocaust memorial hosted by Israeli embassy

Neo-Nazis ‘Bomb’ Israeli Holocaust Memorial Event with Pictures of Hitler

Neo-Nazis 'Hitler-Bomb' Israeli Yom Hashoah Zoom Event in Germany

Nazis Hijack Holocaust Remembrance Event on Zoom, Show ...

Holocaust remembrance event on Zoom hijacked by protesters showing Hitler and porn images while yelling anti-Semitic chants

Berlin Holocaust remembrance event hacked with anti-Semitic messages and images

'Anti-Israel activists' crash online Holocaust survivor talk | DW | 21.04.2020

Coronavirus hits memorials for 75th anniversary of liberation of Nazi death camps | DW | 19.04.2020

A brief history of the Bergen-Belsen concentration camp, where Anne Frank died

Survivors remember The Horrors Of Bergen-Belsen 75 Years After Liberation

Coronavirus mutes Bergen-Belsen liberation anniversary | DW | 15.04.2020

Germany marks liberation of Bergen-Belsen Nazi camp as memorial event canceled

75 years ago this week, ‘typhus fever’ met its match at Bergen-Belsen

Return To Belsen Episode 1

Return to Belsen documentary: Who was Richard Dimbleby? Meet the legendary broadcaster

‘The horrors I saw still wake me at night’: the liberation of Belsen, 75 years on

Brief / Germany commemorates liberation of Bergen-Belsen with a minute of silence

The day I left Bergen-Belsen

75th Anniversary of Buchenwald Liberation Affected by Virus

Buchenwald’s liberation is Germany’s political football

Imprisoned Doctors Who Resisted the Nazis at Buchenwald Inspire Us Now

Nazi death camp Buchenwald quietly marks 75 years since liberation | DW | 11.04.2020

The liberation of Dachau, 75 years ago | DW | 29.04.2020

Berlin's battle scars linger 75 years after Nazi defeat

The children of Bullenhuser Damm

Germany’s remorse

Confronting a disturbing truth: 'My father was in the SS' | DW | 21.04.2020
Of memory smashed and made whole
Peter Eisenman: Designing Berlin's Holocaust Memorial
The Stolpersteine, remembering the Holocaust
Are the sands of time draining Germany of Holocaust memory and responsibility?
Holocaust memorial sites in Germany fight new threat from far right
German diplomat tweets to defend advocate of Holocaust trivialization/BDS
Nazi-inspired graffiti found in German town on Holocaust Remembrance Day
German exhibit on Black Death goes viral, then virtual; shows Jews were blamed

Greece
The Jewish Greek family that was saved in the Holocaust

Hungary
Holocaust Remembrance Day: Justice Minister Places Candles and Flowers at Shoes on the Danube Embankment Monument
Auschwitz: Barrack 13, Section E
Flavor of prewar Hungarian Jewish life captured in book of recipes and folklore

Israel
Where was God During the Holocaust?
The Coercive Christian Takeover of the Holocaust
Remembrance Day to Independence Day: From Holocaust to rebirth
The survivors who ‘didn’t survive’: Photographer captures Shoah psych patients
Abba Naor and 75 Years after the Liberation of Dachau
IDF, US Navy surprise Shoah survivor as independence, Dachau liberation coincide
U.S. forces play Israeli national anthem for Holocaust survivor, 75 years after he was liberated by American troops
U.S. forces surprise Holocaust survivor, play Israeli national anthem via Zoom
Israel Police salutes elderly Holocaust survivors
Jerusalemites stand side-by-side with Holocaust survivors as Yom Hashoah siren sounds
New Initiative Delivers Seder to Needy Holocaust Survivors
News / Arava farmers donate flowers to Holocaust survivors in Israel for Yom Hashoah
Nobody is hitting you. Be optimistic': Holocaust survivors stoic amid the virus
Holocaust Survivors to Receive Additional Aid Amid Corona Crisis
Israel's first coronavirus victim survived Holocaust hiding in cellars
COVID-19 defeats the last of the Partisan Avengers

Israeli nurse recounts Holocaust survivor’s coronavirus death

Yom Hashoah in the Era of COVID-19: Connecting Israeli students with Holocaust Survivors

In the corona age, Holocaust memory has never been so important

Remembering the Holocaust in a post-‘sacred survival’ era

Rescue by Jews during the Holocaust: Solidarity in a disintegrating world

The Stories of the 2020 Holocaust Memorial Day torchlighters

7-4-0-1: Tuvia Ariel's Incredible True Story

Watch: A Survivor’s Deep Faith in Divine Providence

Year of Corona: Survivor Shares Her Story in Virtual Yom Hashoah Event

Israel's Holocaust Remembrance Day Observed Under Cloud of Coronavirus

News / Yom Hashoah ceremonies to be observed online-only due to coronavirus crisis

Israel's Holocaust Memorial Ceremony aired online for first time ever

Israeli survivors remember Holocaust amid virus quarantine

Dramatic Interview with a Holocaust Survivor – The Tamar Yonah Show [audio]

News / Israeli Holocaust survivor’s testimony to be aired via Facebook live

Yad Vashem Premieres Exhibit Of Sentimental Items Holocaust Survivors Clung To When Liberated

Yad Vashem launching testimonial channel for Holocaust survivors

Watch: Rising from the Ashes – Stories from Survivors

One family's story of survival in the Holocaust

From Auschwitz to Jerusalem, Holocaust survivor Giselle Cycowicz shares her story

Let us remember what the survivors are unable to forget

Holocaust Remembrance Day: We cannot forget

A Holocaust Educator Addresses the Difficulties – and Opportunities – in Commemorating This Year’s Remembrance Day (audio interview) - The Media Line

Watch: Israeli Soldiers Sing Song of Faith to Honor Holocaust Victims

Holocaust-era Passover artifacts, images in new online Yad Vashem exhibit

‘Our 6 Million’ Project Keeps Memories Alive of Individual Holocaust Victims

Brief / IDF chief of staff: ‘At this time, our mission is to protect Holocaust survivors’

Netanyahu holds Zikaron Basalon meeting with Holocaust survivor - watch

Israeli high schoolers provide lifeline for lonely Holocaust survivors

Friends pay last respects to Holocaust survivor found dead alone in home

Doing Good Deeds for Holocaust Survivors (audio interview) - The Media Line
New memoir looks at growing up on a kibbutz in Israel’s early days
Rabbis Group Warns IDF: Leftists Seek to Dilute Holocaust Message
Haifa University aims to infuse Holocaust commemoration with a more entrepreneurial spirit
To my Holocaust-survivor grandmother, who had a penchant for Wimbledon
Wonder Woman star Gal Gadot pays tribute to her Holocaust survivor grandfather
Honoring Holocaust victims with personalized memorial candles
Stories of Holocaust survivors told in animated shorts
A Tango in Auschwitz
Antisemitic website offers simulation with Jews as cryptocurrency
Arab MK speaks at Knesset on Holocaust Remembrance Day for first time
The Holocaust Through Muslim Eyes
‘Hitler was Daring’: How the Palestinians Revere the Nazis
Group seeks to mainstream Holocaust commemoration in Arab community

Italy
Italian Village That Sheltered Holocaust Orphans Thanks Them for Donating to Local Hospital During Coronavirus Crisis
‘The Betrothed,’ a Novel of the Plague in Milan

Lithuania
Lithuania’s Hidden Holocaust and the Writers Who Revealed It
Former Lithuanian Foreign Minister Calls on Present FM to Affirm Glorification of Holocaust Collaborator

New Zealand
Covid 19 coronavirus: Christchurch leaflet compares lockdown laws to Nazi Germany, Holocaust

Netherlands
Holocaust centre investigates role of local authorities during WWII - DutchNews.nl
'They Were Proud Of What They were Doing:' A Dutch Holocaust Survivor's Story
Tedje van der Sluis, 93, Auschwitz survivor whose happy marriage was subject of Dutch film
The Lost Diaries of War
Why the Anne Frank House Is Reimagining the Young Diarist as a Vlogger
Dutch-Muslim politician tweets Jewish yellow star to protest coronavirus surveillance plan
**Poland**

*Video: The Last Seder in the Warsaw Ghetto*

Polish leaders block resolution that would have stopped restitution of property lost during the Holocaust - Jewish Telegraphic Agency

Polish bill that would block restitution of lost Holocaust property referred to committee

*A love affair that made him risk everything: Poland’s oldest rescuer of Jews reveals an epic WWII story*

*Watch: Warsaw – Where the Jews Fought Back*

*Brief / Virtual Holocaust memorial plaques in thousands to be projected on Birkenau gates*

*The Children the Nazis Stole in Poland*

**Romania**

*Senior priest in Romania accused of likening Jews to virus in Easter greeting*

Romanian priest accused of equating Jews with coronavirus says sermon was misinterpreted

*Archdiocese of Bucharest replaces spokesperson accused of equating Jews with virus*

**Russia**

*Russian investigators probe wartime Nazi massacres of Jews, Communists*

*Yefim Haim Goldberg, a celebrated Russian-Jewish war veteran, dies at 106*

**Saudi Arabia**

*Brief / Saudi columnist: A real bid for peace requires acknowledging the tragedy of the Holocaust*

**Spain**

*What made an anti-Semitic Spanish diplomat rescue 150 Macedonian Jews? His wife*

**Sweden**

*Holocaust Survivors Die of Coronavirus in Sweden, Which Has Europe’s Laxest Containment Policy*

**Switzerland**

Swiss museum agrees to pay restitution to heirs of Nazi-looted art

**Tunisia**

*French-Tunisian Liberal Imam Hassen Chalghoumi On Holocaust Remembrance Day: “We Remember”*
Turkey

Facing the music of Holocaust in Turkey

UK

Prince Charles: My heart goes out to Shoah survivors self isolating on Yom HaShoah
Prince Charles hails survivors as “living heroes” during virtual Yom Hashoah
Dominic Raab, whose father was a Jewish refugee, is Britain’s acting prime minister with Boris Johnson hospitalized
U.K.’s Stand-In P.M. Lost His Great-Grandparents In Holocaust, Studied In West Bank
He’s the man who helped Belsen survivors build the new state of Israel
Everyone Should Hear Holocaust Survivor's Wise Words About The Coronavirus
Coronavirus could 'wake up' humanity, says Holocaust survivor says on 75th anniversary of Bergen-Belsen liberation - The Courier
Belsen 1945: Remembering the medical students who saved lives
On Holocaust Remembrance Day: BBC documentary 'The Children of Belsen'
A British Nurse Told My Mother She Was Lucky To Be Alive. She Didn't Feel Lucky
'Belsen showed me how low mankind can sink'
Horrifying discovery of wartime beauty who sang for troops at liberated Belsen
Holocaust Survivor Hopes Coronavirus Is A Wake Up Call For The World
Auschwitz survivor Henri Kichka dies of Covid-19
Holocaust survivor, 88, dies alone from coronavirus with no loved ones and just a nurse watching on CCTV
Holocaust survivor who escaped concentration camp dies of coronavirus
75 years on, how should we commemorate the Holocaust?
The puppy training manual? It has a foreword by Hermann Göring
Amazon Caught Selling Hitler Book Disguised as Dog-training Manual
Brief / Amazon apologizes for Hitler book disguised as dog-training manual
Archaeologists Reveal the Hidden Horrors of Only Nazi SS Camp on British Soil
New film on Nazi occupation of Channel Islands prompts disquieting questions for Brits
'It’s a place where they try to destroy you': why concentration camps are still with us
Love Among Horror
The British doctor who was forced to play God in Belsen
Survivors remember the horrors of Bergen-Belsen 75 years after liberation
Bergen-Belsen 75th Anniversary: Holocaust Survivor Mady Gerrard
‘My father brought a set of tzitzit into Dachau’
How a cello saved my life in the camps
A London Cabbie’s Holocaust
Liberation is very different when there’s nowhere to go
Fantasy Cookbooks created during concentration camp horror
Voice of the Jewish News: Virtual memorial shows us the future
Holocaust education centre launches new digital programme
Yom Hashoah to go online with nationwide children’s choir
Franci’s War review: Brutal yet achingly moving, Holocaust memoir gives much-needed hope
Unorthodox Star, Shira Haas, Video Calls Holocaust Survivor Grandmother
Schoolchildren to pose questions to survivors with new online learning project
‘I can’t change the past, but I can keep their names alive’
Without the JN and JC, we’ll all feel less connected
Victims and villains: the Holocaust, Churchill and Dresden | TheArticle
‘When I write a show, there’s always a part that is Jewish’
Yom HaShoah UK children’s choir video goes viral with more than 540,000 views
Conservative councillor denies baking swastika into hot cross bun
On the trail of a Nazi war criminal: 'It's my duty as a son to find the good in my father'

Ukraine
New Holocaust center shows the time has come to commemorate Babyn Yar

USA
The Survivors’ Talmud: When the US Army Printed the Talmud
Invoking Hitler’s name for political purposes
Holocaust trivialization at protests isn’t just offensive, It threatens democracy
Tlaib Neglects One Thing in Holocaust Memorial Day Tweet – Jews
Remarks by Director Iancu at A Virtual Holocaust Remembrance Program
Former Obama speechwriter exposes his family’s post-Holocaust trauma and secrecy
Idaho state Rep. compares coronavirus shutdown to the Holocaust
Gov. DeWine condemns post by state senator comparing quarantine to Holocaust
Wife of Ohio state senator compares Jewish health chief’s support for reopening plan to Nazi Germany
Abigail Steinberg: Leave your Holocaust rhetoric out of 'Reopen Wisconsin' protests
Children of Holocaust Survivors, WWII Veterans Commemorate 75th Anniversary of Dachau Concentration Camp Liberation
What Visiting a Concentration Camp Taught Me As The Daughter Of A Holocaust Survivor

Long-Forgotten Cables Reveal What TIME's Correspondent Saw at the Liberation of Dachau

42nd Infantry Division Liberated Infamous Dachau Concentration Camp 1945

For Some Holocaust Survivors, Even Liberation Was Dehumanizing

The Real Nazi Hunters

Udall, Heinrich Co-Sponsor ‘Never Again Education Act’

Never Again Education Act must prevent Holocaust misappropriation

Amid coronavirus pandemic, Holocaust survivors at special risk — and getting extra help -

Jewish Telegraphic Agency

For Holocaust survivors, coronavirus pandemic reopens old wounds and charities step up to help

JFNA chairman notes hard-hit Holocaust survivors in call with Trump on pandemic

Virus sends Holocaust survivors behind doors, back in time

Shoah Foundation Head: Bigots Prey on Coronavirus to Incite Hate

Brief / Trump cites executive order addressing anti-Semitism in Yom Hashoah proclamation

Trump touts his efforts to combat anti-Semitism in Holocaust remembrance proclamation

Idaho Rep. Heather Scott calls governor ‘Little Hitler,’ compares nonessential workers to

Holocaust victims

Goebbels would have ‘liked’ today’s social media

On 761 days, Anne Frank, and the circle of responsibility

The Boys from Laupheim: of my father and his savior, the movie pioneer Carl Laemmle

Nazi-looted Picasso valued at $10m up for sale by heirs of German-Jewish banker

As emergencies grow for Holocaust survivors amid pandemic, helpers try to keep up

American Red Cross honors Holocaust survivor as 2020 Global Citizenship Hero

Staten Island students virtually celebrate Holocaust survivor’s 100th birthday

Grondahl: For Holocaust survivor Hedi McKinley, turning 100 in a pandemic is a tough time to

pause

French-Jewish spy who survived the Holocaust celebrates 100th birthday with (socially
distanced) car parade

Holocaust survivor celebrates 100th birthday with car parade

LI Holocaust survivor gets drive-by tribute

Well-Wishers Drive By To Help Holocaust Survivor Celebrate 100th Birthday

Henry Kronberg on his 100th Birthday

NJ Community Holds Special Drive-By Celebration To Honor 91-Year-Old Holocaust

Survivor's Birthday

As The Holocaust's Eyewitnesses Leave Us, Let's Recommit To Remembering
Last Holocaust Survivor In Iowa
Ruth B. Mandel, a Voice for Women in Politics, Dies at 81
Ruth Mandel: A child of the Holocaust, a believer in democracy | Moran
Rest in Power: Ruth B. Mandel—Holocaust Survivor and Distinguished Feminist Activist
Dario Gabbai, Auschwitz Sonderkommando survivor, dies at 97
Dario Gabbai, a Final Witness to Auschwitz, Is Dead at 97
Holocaust survivor and Richmonder Alan Zimm, 99, was 'tailor by trade and also in life.' He died Saturday after testing positive for COVID-19
Mrs. Henya Lasky, 98, Brooklyn, N.Y. - Holocaust Survivor in Crown Heights, Survived the Holocaust in Hiding
Salomon Podgursky, 84, lived a life of resilience after the Holocaust
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La Guardia’s great nephew Richard Denes, a baby in Ravensbrück, dies of COVID-19
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Holocaust survivor dies from COVID-19 75 years after liberation
Coronavirus kills N.J. Holocaust survivor 75 years after liberation from concentration camp
Coronavirus kills 90-year-old Holocaust survivor
Remembering Rebecca Fried, Holocaust Survivor
Joseph Feingold, Holocaust Survivor and Documentary Star, Dies at 97
Joseph Feingold, 97, a survivor who famously brought a violin from Germany to the Bronx
Benjamin Levin, 93, last surviving member of the legendary Avengers partisan group
New Orleans lawyer Rene Lehmann, who fled the Nazis and helped their victims seek restitution, dies
Holocaust survivor who died of COVID-19 complications urged friends to avoid hate
Holocaust Survivor and School Administrator - Betzalel Kahan, 90, Brooklyn, N.Y.
William Helmreich, 75 -- Coronavirus claims a sociologist who studied Jews and their neighborhoods
William Helmreich, 75, Who Knew New York Block by Block
Isaiah Kuperstein, 70, was first director of education at US Holocaust museum
Isaiah Kuperstein, first director of Holocaust Center of Pittsburgh, dies of COVID-19
Lives Lost: A man who studied darkness, but beamed light
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Family of Holocaust survivor mourns over the wrong body

A Holocaust Survivor’s Last Request

Op-Ed: My childhood memories of the Holocaust in a world of COVID-19

A Holocaust Survivor's Celebration Of Liberation Day Is Colored By Coronavirus

Coronavirus Lockdown Deepens Holocaust Survivors' Loneliness

My grandmother survived the Holocaust. 75 years later the coronavirus awakens her fears of uncertainty and loneliness

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Special Passover delivery for homebound Brooklyn Holocaust survivors

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They survived the Holocaust. They say this pandemic, too, shall pass.

Holocaust survivor says front line workers during pandemic remind her of self-sacrifice of others who saved her from death camps

Holocaust survivors in SWFL share messages of hope during pandemic

Holocaust survivor’s message during the Days of Remembrance

Lindsey's lesson: Holocaust museum and Cohen Education Center

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Holocaust survivor reflects on 75 years after the Auschwitz liberation

75 years ago today, this Holocaust survivor reclaimed life. Now he works to erase hate.

Bessie Finger: Fate spared her from the Holocaust

Holocaust Survivor Nat Shaffir Tells His Grandchildren To Be Proud And Thrive: ‘I Won, Not Him’

96-year-old Phoenix Holocaust survivor becomes beacon of hope during COVID-19 crisis

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