

Holocaust Memorial Day 2021



By Freya

Be The Light in the Darkness

By Candyce





Inspired by 'The Boy in
Striped Pyjamas'

By Ella

When it was I that crumbled
It was you that pieced me back together

When I believed the world lost faith,
It was you and your fire burning bright to restore it in me.

When I squeezed my eyes shut thinking I'm breathing my last breath,
It was you that kept me responsive, bringing me to somewhere sheltered.

When I watched my last friend die I thought I had no mercy,
Yet it was still you who helped me smile through the hardest times.

If I hadn't been kept close to you,
My candle's fire warm in my chest would have been extinguished through the flames of the others.

If it hadn't been for you, I would not be in your arms after the fight like I was.

By Nelly

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Holocaust

Hitler
turn
Germans
against
Jews

Jewish people
business were
destroyed and
the Jews were
sent to camp.



6 million
Jews died in
the Holocaust.

When Hitler came
to power he
deprived Jewish
people of their
Rights.

The 27th of January is Holocaust
memorial day because this was the day
of Liberation.

By Thomas

The Light

The light that comes after darkness
The light that comes when needed

The light that guides the lost
Through the burning haze

The light that keeps on glowing,
The light that never dies

The light that always prospers
Providing hope to all

The light shines from within
From Within You And Me

Never Lose Hope, Never Lose The Light

By Bethan




By Taion

HOLOCAUST


Ethnic cleansing

"Ethnic cleansing" has been defined as the attempt to get rid of (through deportation displacement or even mass killing) members of an unwanted ethnic group in order to establish an unwanted ethnically homogenous geographic area.




Concentration camps

Internment centre for political prisoners and members of national or minority groups.



Anti-Semitism

Anti-Semitism; sometimes called history's oldest hatred, is hostility or prejudice against Jewish people. The Nazi holocaust is history's most extreme example of Anti-Semitism.



The Holocaust Memorial 2021

The definition of the word “Holocaust” is destruction or slaughter, especially caused by fires and nuclear war.

The Holocaust was an event where mass murders happened amongst many people: Jewish people, queer people, disabled people and more.

The Holocaust dates back from 1933 until 1945.

Adolf Hitler was appointed chancellor of Germany in 1933 following a series of electoral victories by the Nazi Party. He ruled absolutely until his death by suicide in April 1945.

The day of January 27th marks the international day of commemoration of the victims of the Holocaust. 2021 marks the 75th anniversary to these tragedies.

Anyone who lost their lives during that time will always be missed and remembered. Candles are usually lit by many people around the world in remembrance of the millions of people who lost their lives.

Be the light in the darkness and stand up for what is right!



By Hope

be the light in the darkness

the darkness is always there to swallow the light,
but don't fear don't be in fright,
the light is within you,
you have to fight through,
the darkness swallows you your head starts to spin,
the cold spreads down your back and into your skin,
don't give up the battle is nearly over,
the light inside her darkness no longer controlled her,

I want you to remember one last thing,
light will always come out as king.

-By Connie

THE HOLOCAUST

Number of Deaths: 6,000,000

The Holocaust, also known as Shoah, was the World War II genocide of the European Jews. Between 1941 and 1945, across German-occupied Europe, Nazi Germany and its collaborators systematically murdered around two-thirds of Europe's Jewish population.

Start date = 1941

End date = 8/5/45

We Will Always Remember
The Victims Of The
Holocaust

By Isobel

We have Holocaust Remembrance days to remember the victims.

Holocaust

World war II

State-sponsored killing of six million Jewish men, women, and children and millions of others by **Nazi Germany**

The extermination camps—the bodies of the victims were consumed whole in crematoria and open fires.



Jewish people were not the only ones who died in the Holocaust. The Nazis also killed Roma (Gypsies), homosexuals, mentally and physically disabled people, and anyone who dared to speak out against them.



In 1942 the Nazis planned a "final solution" to what they called "the Jewish question." They decided to kill all Jews in all areas controlled by Germany.

The Nazis built special death camps in Poland. Some of their names were Auschwitz, Majdanek, Treblinka, Chelmno, Sobibor, and Belzec. At the camps, the Nazis killed people with poison gas. They then burned the bodies. The Nazis kept some people alive to work as slaves. Many of these prisoners died of starvation or disease.

By Lily

THE HOLOCAUST

What is it?

The holocaust was a massacre of Jews, Disabled people, homosexuals, black people and POWs. Around 55% of all deaths in the Holocaust, not including the actual war, were Jews alone.

How many people died:

- ☐ 6 million Jews (including 1.3 million Soviet Jews)
- ☐ 5.7 million Soviet civilians
- ☐ 3 million Soviet prisoners of war
- ☐ 1.9 million Polish civilians (non-Jewish)
- ☐ 312,000 Serbian civilians.
- ☐ Up to 250,000 people with disabilities
- ☐ Up to 250,000 romani people
- ☐ Hundreds or thousands of homosexuals
- ☐ 1,400 Jehovah's witnesses
- ☐ An undetermined number of German political opponents and activists.
- ☐ 33,000 Jews were killed in less than 2 days on September 1941 in Ukraine.
- ☐ The Holocaust began in 1933 and ended in 1945 (12 years)
- ☐ During the holocaust, 1/3 of the total Jewish population was murdered.
- ☐ Along with Jews, 500,000 Gypsies were also killed.
- ☐ 9 million Jews, living in Europe before the holocaust, were murdered
- ☐ Marrying the Jews was made illegal by Hitler in 1935.
- ☐ Different experiments were regularly done on newborn babies in concentration camps by separating them from their mothers.

UNBELIEVABLE FACTS:



After The War - Chapter 2

When Yossi takes a step off the plane he is overwhelmed by the surrealness of it all. Up in the Lake District with the peaks scraping at the clouds he felt safe. He didn't know what it was but for the first time in many years, he felt safe.

He turned around to watch everyone else disembark the plane, looks of astonishment and joy at the paradise they had just walked into. All three hundred of the children were quickly herded onto huge solid buses.

Several hours passed, in which Yossi watched the countryside roll past the window trying to push the horrors of his past far out of his mind; Mordecai continued to read his books entranced by the new world it had pulled him into and Ben, well Ben did whatever Ben did staring at his shoes and occasionally glancing around him.

When the buses finally pulled to a stop, they were on the shores of a lake, a beautiful vast expanse of water that reflected the sunlight perfectly. It looked like something you could imagine out of a fairytale. Yossi, Ben and Mordecai immediately pull their shoes off and run down to the water's edge with all the other children.

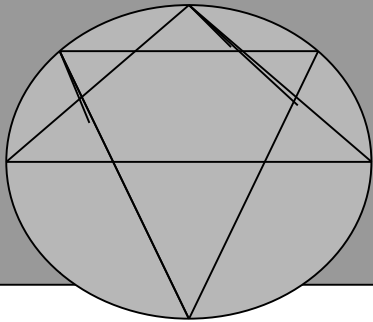
The water was perfectly still, Yossi dipped his toe in ever so slightly and immediately shrank back. It was freezing! Way colder than he could have ever expected, probably better to sit by the edge and watch all the creatures flit about below the surface.

And sitting there by the water's edge watching everyone smiling and laughing reminded Yossi of all the fun he used to have with his parents before the war. But the war had come and gone leaving behind no trace of his parents in the destruction remaining. Yossi told himself it would get better and that he was at the start of a new beginning but truthfully deep down inside he didn't know if he would ever be able to stop thinking about the disasters of his past...

-By Cerys

Remember Those Who
Died During The
Holocaust

Rest In Peace



By Oliver Keeble



By Mason

The light in the dark poem

You are the candle that burns so bright,
Especially in the darkest nights,

Your memories will last,
Of what happened in the past,

You are the candle that burns so bright,
Especially in the darkest nights,

Jews were sent to scatter,
We see the darkness shatter,

You are the candle that burns so bright,
Especially in the darkest nights,

By Samuel

The light that emits from you brightens the room,
Every nook and cranny, no space for gloom

The fire in your soul, it burns slow and steady,
And your young, whirring mind, no heart that is
heavy

My love to you, during those horrible times,
That is why i created these lines,
to remember.

By Kobe



By Harry

THE HOLOCAUST

Be light in the darkness,
They wanted to get rid of us,
Be light in the darkness,
I was told i was going to the shower guess not,
Suffocated in chamber of gas alone,
Be the light in the darkness,
It went black I couldn't breath,
Be the light in the darkness,
The last time I saw my family was when we were on the train,

The shower looked unusual dead bodies everywhere
Be the light in the darkness,
Running from the gas filled chamber,
Be the light in the darkness,
Slow pain filled death,
Be the light in the darkness,
Watching innocent people fall to their knees,

By Ben