

Book List

The Jewish Federation of San Diego County has recently collected books written by our local survivors or about local survivors*. This collection is housed at the Jewish Federation. Select books are available for purchase on Amazon.

Memoir

- *Loss, Liberty and Love: My Journey from Essen to Auschwitz to the U.S.* by Horst Cahn
- *The Epitome of "The American Dream"* by Werner Dreifus
- *The Choice: Embrace the Possible* by Edith Eva Eger
- *Because of Romek: A Holocaust Survivor's Memoir* by David Faber
- *From Barbed Wire to Picket Fence: A Child Holocaust Survivor's Dreams and Adaptability* by Teresa Fischlowitz
- *From Tadjikistan to the Moon: A Story Of Tragedy, Survival and Triumph of the Human Spirit* by Robert Frimtzis
- *Frozen in Time* by Francheska Gelbart
- *From Bombolini to Bagel: A Story of Two Worlds* by Jacqueline Semcha Gmach with Hillary Selese Liber
- *Getting Here: Ruth's Story 1935-1949* by Ruth L. Hohberg
- *Always Good With A Needle: My Journey from Radom to Redemption* by Malka Freidenreich Kempner
- *A Melody from an Immigrant's Soul: A Collection of Memoirs, Essays and Poetry* by Dora Klinova
- *Ilse's Journey* by Ruth Klampert
- *Two Sisters: A Journey of Survival Through Auschwitz* by Livia Szabo Krancberg
- *My Righteous Gentile: Lord Wedgwood and Other Memories* by Gabriella Auspitz Labson
- *Memories, Miracles, and Meaning: Insights of a Holocaust Survivor* by Fanny Krasner Lebovits
- *Never Erased in My Mind: My Life As a Child Survivor of the Minsk Ghetto, the Forest, and the Gulag* by Esfir (Esther) Kaplan Lupyan
- *Kiss Every Step: A Survivors Memoir from the Nazi Holocaust* by Doris Martin
- Various books in Russian by Peter Mezheritsky
- *The Life of a Child Survivor from Bialystock, Poland* by Ben Midler
- *My Life, Reflections and Anecdotes- A Jewish Rascal's Adventures That Span From the Alps to the Sierra Madre and the Rockies* by Michel Moutal
- *I am Lubo* by Lou Pechi
- *Hilda: A True Story of Terror, Tears and Triumph* by Hilda Pierce
- *They Are Still Alive: A Family's Survival In France During World War II* by Philip Pressel
- *Try To Remember - Never Forget: Memoirs of Holocaust Survivor Ruth Goldschmiedova Sax* by Sandra Scheller
- *From Holocaust to Harvard: A Story of Escape, Forgiveness and Freedom* by John Stoessinger
- *Quiberon and Life is Changed Forever* by Madeleine Swidler Scott

- *To Our Children: Memoirs of Displacement. A Jewish Journey of Hope and Survival in Twentieth-Century Poland and Beyond* by Włodzimirz Szer

Biography

- *Until Our Last Breath: Holocaust Story of Love and Partisan Resistance* by Michael Bart and Laurel Corona
- *Two Who Survived - Keeping Hope Alive While Surviving the Holocaust: Rose and Max Schindler's Story* by M. Lee Connolly
- *Not Without a Fight: The Story of a Polish Jew's Resistance* by D.W.Duke with Thomas Biebers (Bieberstein)
- *Courageous Woman: Anna Holzmänn* by Hugo Holzmänn
- *My Bargain with God: The Story of Holocaust Survivor Lou Dunst* by Ben Kamin
- *The Last Jews of Kalisz: David Kempner's Story of Tragedy and Triumph* by Irv Kempner and Deborah Fineblum
- *From Vienna: A Story of Three Cousins in a Time of Youth and Turmoil in Their Separate Journeys from Vienna* by Isabelle Kenagy (young adult book)

Novel/Historical Fiction

- *The End of the Line* by Lou Pechi
- *Pirry: A Saga of Love Lost and Found* by Lou Pechi

* Please let the Jewish Federation know if we have excluded any titles. This is a collection in progress.