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SPECIALITY: Mengele Twins, Children in Death Camps, Ethics in Medicine-Lessons we Learned from Nazi Medicine, Survival at Auschwitz, and The Power of Forgiveness

EXPERIENCE: Over 2500 lectures given since 1977 to schools, universities, conferences, synagogues, civic groups and medical organizations; for example – I.U. Medical Center, University of Oklahoma, Boston College, Boston School of Medicine, Loyola University, Purdue University, Western Michigan University, Grand Valley State University.

EDUCATION: Indiana State University, Terre Haute, IN, BS in Education - 1990
Agricultural High School, Magdiel, Israel, 2 years high school - 1950-1952
Queen Mary High School, Cluj, Rumania, 5 years high school - 1945-1950
Portz Grade School, Portz, Hungary, 4 years grade school – 1940-1944

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Organized, sponsored, and ran a nursery school for underprivileged children at the Hyte Community Center, 1968-1969.
President of Hadassah, 1977.
President of The Federation of Jewish Women, 1978-1980.
Conference Director on the Holocaust, March 27, 1982.
Originated and Directed the memorial return to Auschwitz observing 40 years to the liberation of the camp, 1985.
Conference Director on Mengele inquests, 1985 and 1989.
President of The Federation of Jewish Women, 1996-1997.

UNIQUE ACCOMPLISHMENTS Survived Auschwitz at age 10 with twin sister Miriam, as one of the Mengele Twins, used in the deadly Nazi experiments, 1944-1945.
Served 8 years in the Israeli Army, reaching the rank of Sergeant Major, 1952-1960.
Founded C.A.N.D.L.E.S., an organization of the Mengele Twins, located 122 survivors of Mengele's experiments, living in ten countries and four continents, 1977- 1984.
Originated and directed the observance of 40th anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz by returning to the camp, followed by Mengele's mock trial, in Jerusalem, receiving world wide press coverage..
Organized a visit to Auschwitz with Dr. Hans Munch, former SS physician at Auschwitz, 1995. 50th Anniversary to the liberation.
Signed a Declaration of Amnesty, forgiving the Nazis for murdering her whole family, 1995.
Opened C.A.N.D.L.E.S. Holocaust Museum and Education Center in Terre Haute, IN, 1995.
Organized and Directed the 60 anniversary to the liberation of Auschwitz on January 2005 by taking teachers and students to Auschwitz and

"Passed on the Torch" to the teacher and students at a ceremony in the crematorium.
Worked endlessly to raise money to rebuilt the Museum that was burned by arsonists, in 2003. The Museum was rebuilt and has reopened on April 3, 2005.

EDIA COVERAGE: Cover story in PARADE Magazine, September 2, 1984.
Front page center in the New York Times and all major papers in the world, 1985.
ABC, CBS, NBC news coverage of the return to Auschwitz and mock trial in Jerusalem, 1985.
Cover story in The London Observer, November, 1989.
Appeared on "The Kup's Show", "Oprah Winfrey", "Geraldo", "Good Morning America", ZDF one-hour documentary, "60 Minutes" with Leslie Stahl, "Larry King", BBC, Canadian Broadcasting Network, and ABC News "20/20".

PUBLICATIONS: Children of the Flames, Mengele Twin Stories, William Morrow, 1990.
The Nazi Doctors & The Nuremberg Code, Oxford Press, chapter by Eva Mozes Kor, 1991
When Medicine Went Mad, Humana Press, chapter by Eva Mozes Kor, 1991
Little Eva & Miriam in First Grade, published by C.A.N.D.L.E.S., by Eva Mozes Kor, young children's introduction to the Holocaust, 1995
Echoes from Auschwitz, Dr. Mengele's Twins: The story of Eva & Miriam Mozes, published by C.A.N.D.L.E.S., 1995

HONORS & AWARDS
News Woman of the Year, Israeli Press, 1985.
Jewish Activism Award, News & Views in Jewish Radio, New York, 1985.
Emmy Award, co-producer of the video, C.A.N.D.L.E.S., 1991.
Woman of Valor, local Jewish community, 1995.
Martin Luther King Spirit of Justice Award, January 2004
Gibault Excellence Award – Education Sector, January 2004
Daughters of the American Revolution Americanism Award, April 2004
Sagamore of the Wabash Award, January 2005
Keeper of the Light-a woman torch bearer award, November 2005.
Hoosier Heroes, Indiana Dollars for Scholars, 2006

PERSONAL:
Born 01/31/1934 in Portz, Rumania.
Parents, grandparents, two older sisters, uncles, aunts, cousins – totaling approximately 117 members of family, killed in the Holocaust.
Lived in Israel for 10 years
Married American tourist Michael Kor, settled in Terre Haute, IN.
Son, Alex Kor, born 1961.
Daughter, Rina Kor, born 1963.
Became proud American citizen, 1965.
Donated a kidney to twin sister Miriam, dying from kidney failure, 1987.
Miriam Mozes Zeiger, twin sister, died of cancer resulting from Auschwitz experiments, 06/06/1993.
Employed as a real estate sales person since 1977.