

**PHOTOGRAPHS OF CONCENTRATION CAMP VICTIM BURIALS AT LUDWIGSLUST,  
GERMANY, 1945  
1990.73**

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**Descriptive summary**

Title: Photographs of concentration camp victim burials at Ludwigslust, Germany

Dates: 1945

Accession number: 1990.73 (RG-04.061)

Creator: Crawley, William.

Extent: 1 folder

Repository: United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Archives, 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place SW,  
Washington, DC 20024-2126

Abstract: The collection consists of six photographs depicting the burial of the victims of the Wöbbelin subcamp of Neuengamme concentration camp by German civilians in nearby Ludwigslust, Germany. The photographs were taken by William Crawley in May 1945 after liberation and annotated on the verso.

Languages: English

**Administrative Information**

Access: Collection is open for use.

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Acquisition information: The collection was donated to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum by William Crawley in 1990.

Accruals: Accruals may have been received since this collection was first processed, see archives catalog at [collections.ushmm.org](http://collections.ushmm.org) for further information.

Processing history: Updated by Adam Fielding, April 2020

**Scope and content of collection**

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**System of arrangement**

The collection is arranged as a single series.

**Indexing terms**

Person:

Crawley, William.

Corporate:

Wöbbelin (Concentration camp)

Topical Subject:

Mass burials--Germany.

Concentration camp inmates--Germany--Ludwigslust.

Geography:

Ludwigslust (Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Germany)

Genre/Form:

Photographs.

**CONTAINER LIST**

<b>Folder</b>	<b>Title</b>
1	Photograph of a corpse by a brick wall
1	Photograph of an American officer guiding a group of German civilians through the concentration camp at Ludwigslust, Germany
1	Photograph of disinterred bodies taken from a common grave to be reburied in individual graves in the town square in Ludwigslust, Germany
1	Photograph of German civilians filling graves of 200 victims of the Wöbbelin concentration camp
1	Photograph of open graves in the town square of Ludwigslust, Germany
1	Photographs of 200 graves in the town square of Ludwigslust, Germany