

ZINA GASKO PHOTOGRAPHS, circa 1930-1940 1998.98

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Descriptive summary

Title: Zina Gasko photographs

Dates: circa 1930-1940

Accession number: 1998.98

Creator: Gasko, Zina, 1914-

Extent: 0.1 linear foot (1 folder)

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

Abstract: The collection consists of photographs of Zina Gasko, her brother, Jefim, and her aunts and cousins in Krzemieniec, Poland, before World War II.

Languages: Polish, Hebrew, Russian

Administrative Information

Access: Collection is open for use but is stored offsite. Please contact the Reference Desk more than seven days prior to visit in order to request access.

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Acquisition information: The Zina Gasko photographs were donated to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum by Zina Gasko in 1998.

Accruals: Accruals may have been received since this collection was first processed. See archives catalog at collections.ushmm.org for further information.

Processing history: Rebekah Valentine, May 2019.

Biographical note

Zina Gasko was born Zina Feldman on May 30, 1914, in Krzemieniec, Poland. Her father, Jakub Feldman, owned a pharmacy in town, and her mother, Rachel Sojbel Feldman, was a housewife. Rachel Sojbel had nine siblings but was closest to her four sisters: Ena Rares, a nurse who lived in Lvov (L'viv), Ukraine; Mania Gerberg, who lived in Rovno and had two daughters, Ada and Raya; Bronia who lived in Radziwiłów; and Genia Rostaczer, who had two daughters, Ada and Runia. Both of Zina's parents and her brother, Jefim Munia Feldman, born in 1918, were shot by the Germans in July 1942 in Krzemieniec. All of Zina's aunts and cousins perished as well.

Zina Feldman fled her hometown on June 26, 1941, a few days after the German invasion of the Soviet Union. She spent the war years being constantly moved by the Soviet authorities, from Kiev via Charkov, Dniepropertovsk and Kujbeshev to Mary, Turkmenistan. In May 1946, Zina Feldman returned to Poland. She lived in different cities, and finally settled in Warsaw where she taught at the Warsaw University. In 1970 Zina Feldman Gasko left Poland for Sweden.

Scope and content of collection

The collection consists of photographs of Zina Gasko, her brother, Jefim, and her aunts and cousins in Krzemieniec, Poland, before World War II.

System of arrangement

The Zina Gasko photographs are arranged in a single folder.

Indexing terms

Personal Names

Gasko, Zina.
Feldman, Jefim Munia.
Rostaczer, Runia.
Rostaczer, Ada.
Gerberg, Lazar.
Gerberg, Raya.
Gerberg, Ada.
Rares, Ena Sojel.

Topical Terms

Jews--Krzemieniec--1930-1940.

Geographic Names

Poland.
Turkmenistan.

Sweden.

Genre
Photographs.

ITEM LIST

Item	
1	Photographic print; black and white image of Zina and Jefim Munia Feldman; location: Krzemieniec, Poland; circa 1930.
2	Photographic print; black and white image of Ada (older) and Runia Roztaczar.
3	Photographic print; black and white image of Aunt Mania Gercberg; perished 1942.
4	Photographic print; black and white image of cousin Ada Roztaczar.
5	Photographic print; black and white image of cousin Ada Roztaczar.
6	Photographic print; black and white image of two young people on a balcony.
7	Photographic print; black and white image of Raja Gercberg.
8	Photographic print; black and white image of Ada Gercberg.
9	Photographic print; black and white image Runia Roztaczar.
10	Photographic print; black and white image Aunt Ena Sojbel; nurse in Lvov; perished.