

## **MICHAEL GRAUMAN COLLECTION, 1881-1945**

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#### Supplemental material:

Below is an inventory of the Michael Grauman collection.

1. Document: Deutsches Reich Reisepass or passport issued to German Jewish man Erwin Graumann [Michael's father], dated March 28, 1938, Eisleben, Germany, contains red letter "J" stamp first page, inside cover, dated October 15, 1938 [?], immigration visa for the United States issued October 5, 1938 in Berlin, Germany, in German
2. Document: immigrant identification card, issued to German Jewish boy Michael Graumann [Michael], dated, upon his admittance to the United States, December 29, 1938, issued in San Pedro, California, in English
3. Document: Kinderausweis or child's passport issued to Michael Graumann, dated June 21, 1937, Eisleben, Germany, in German
4. Photographic print: black & white image of seated woman, outdoors, with infant on her shoulder, Erika Graumann [Michael's mother] and her daughter, Alice Graumann [Michael's younger sister], dated circa 1937, Eisleben [?], Germany
5. Photographic print: black & white photographic image of young boy [toddler] outdoors, Michael Graumann, dated, verso, May 4, 1930, Eisleben, Germany
6. Photographic print; black & white photographic image of man seated on doorstep with young boy and infant girl outdoors, Erwin Graumann and his children, Michael and Alice, dated, circa, 1937, Eisleben Germany
7. Photographic print: black & white photographic image of boy holding infant girl on his lap, outdoors, Michael and Alice, dated, circa, 1937
8. Document: international driver's license issued to Erika Graumann, dated July 26, 1938, Eisleben, Germany
9. Document: certificate issued on behalf of Erwin Graumann, awarding him the "Ehrenkreuz fuer Kriegsteilnehmer" or cross of honor for participant in the [first world] War, dated October 25, 1935, Eisleben, Germany, in German
10. Document: sports certificate issued for Erwin Graumann by the "Sport-Eisbahn und Sport-Seebad 'Halensee'," dated July 1, 1910, Germany, in German
11. Photographic print: black & white photographic image of store fronts, featured are "J.K.Seidel" and "A. Goldstein" the latter which was owned, cooperatively, by Erwin Graumann [Michael's father] and his father-in-law, A. Goldstein, circa 1920's-1930's, Germany
12. Document: gift certificate from savings bank issued to Michael Graumann, credit good for three Reichsmark, dated February 9, 1929, Berlin, Germany, in German
13. Letter, official correspondence: pre-printed form letter of Dutch Red Cross, inscribed by "B. Goldstein Amsterdam Zuid..." [Michael's maternal grandfather] to "Erwin Graumann Van Nuys/California" initially stamp-dated December 30, 1943 and subsequently dated February 8, 1944 and September

- 19, 1945 [rough translation: Long without news from you and the Gutmanns. We hope you are all well. We and also the Weinbaums [Michael's maternal Aunt's family] are all right. Write at once, also about the Farm. Heartfelt regards from parents and the Weinbaums...] in German
14. Document: hand-inscribed official certificate identifying five children born between 1815 and 1830 to Itzig Moses Graumann and his wife [first name illegible] neé Mattersdorf, dated December 28, 1881, issued by police of Schweidnitz based upon locally kept register of the "Jew-Congregation" Schweidnitz, Germany [present day Poland], in German
  15. Document: certificate of good conduct identifying pupil Erwin Graumann for purposes of examination accompanying application for voluntary service in Army, dated January 31, 1917, Berlin, Germany, in German
  16. Document: certificate of good conduct identifying pupil Erwin Graumann for purposes of examination accompanying application for voluntary service in Army, dated June 10, 1918, Berlin, Germany, in German
  17. Document: certificate of good conduct issued to Erwin Graumann, accompanying application for voluntary service in Army, dated March 10, 1918, Berlin, Germany, in German
  18. Document: birth certificate issued for Michael Rolf Graumann, born February 9, 1929, dated February 12, 1929, Berlin, Germany, in German
  19. Document: certificate qualifying Erwin Graumann, after examinations, for one year voluntary service, dated June 24, 1918, Berlin, Germany, in German
  20. Letter, official correspondence: pre-printed form letter of Dutch Red Cross, type-written inscription by "Benno Goldstein" in Amsterdam to "Erwin Graumann" in California, initially stamp-dated October 11, 1945 [rough translation: Received June letter, content gladdens. Here all are well, hope you and the Gutmanns are likewise. Wish for a speedy reunion over there. Our heartfelt greetings to all of you. Parents Weinbaums] in German
  21. Document: official vaccination certificate issued for Michael Rolf Graumann, dated November 30, 1929, Berlin, Germany, in German
  22. Document: official vaccination certificate issued for Erwin Graumann, dated May 27, 1901, Berlin, Germany, in German
  23. Document: birth certificate for Erwin Adolf Graumann, vintage copy re-issued and stamped, verso, with Nazi national insignia and dated July 2, 1938, Berlin, Germany, in German
  24. Document: marriage certificate, civil, for Julius Graumann and Gertrud Graumann neé Königsberger, originally issued May 14, 1900, vintage copy re-issued and stamped, verso, with Nazi national insignia and dated June 18, 1938, Berlin, Germany, in German
  25. Document: release certificate issued for Erwin Graumann stating that he was an inmate in concentration camp Buchenwald from November 12, 1938 until November 15, 1938, dated November 16, 1938, Weimar, Germany, in German
  26. Document: certificate awarding Erwin Graumann the Austrian War Memorial, dated September 10, 1935, Vienna, Austria, in German
  27. Document: discharge paper issued to Erwin Graumann, artilleryman, dated December 1, 1918, in German
  28. Letter: official correspondence addressed to Erwin Graumann from Finance Chief in Magdeburg stating one thousand RM must remain in Erwin's account after his emigration in order to cover any remaining obligations, thus asking him to renew his application disclosing plans for asset management, dated October 24, 1938, Magdeburg, Germany, in German