

**Samuel Spiegel**  
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August 23, 1922 - born in Kozienice, Poland

1939 - Germans occupied town

Ghetto formed - ration cards, father lost job, had typhus

October 1942 - transferred to a munitions factory in Pionki - severely beaten

1944- cattle car to Auschwitz

In Gleiwitz, worked in a sheet metal factory

Escaped January 26, 1945

Lived in Schwartzwald woods, stole potatoes

walked 120 km to border, train to Kozienice

Restarted flour mill

April 1945 - pogroms started

June 1945 - went to Czech border, contacted friend Regina

1945 - went to Fernwald DP camp, married Regina, worked for UNRRA and Joint

Distribution Committee

contacted uncle in US, a tailor for J. Edward Hoover, papers sent

Went to Stuttgart

November 1947 - came to US

Worked in iron works business in Washington, DC