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RG-50.120 #103 2 Tapes Mazubi, Jasha

- 1.01 He was born in 1920 in Czuczewicze in Byelorussia. There were 3000 Jews in town. He describes his family and childhood.
- 1.06 In 1939 he was sent by the Russians to work in Lida. Describes the beginning of the war. Soviets entered and sent members of the Bundt or well-to-do to Siberia.
- 1.12 Describes life in Lida, attitude of populations towards the Soviets. 1941, the war with Germany and bombing of Lida.
- 1.18 Describes the mass escape from Lida. He went to Warsaw, then Baranovitch, Gredna and back to Czuczewicze.
- 1.29 Describes life in Czuczewicze under the Germans. Describes the Judenrat, work groups for the young, his work and mass murders.
- 1.34 Describes Jews delivering other Jews to the Germans and the activities of the Judenrat.
- 1.43 May 1942. Describes the assembly and selection of 2000 Jews who were executed.
- 1.54 He was among the young who were selected to work.
- 1.59 Life in the ghetto. He was sent to Lida to work at the railroad.
- 2.05 Sept. 1942. The state of mind in the ghetto. He organized a group to escape. Describes.
- 2.18 He hears about the Partisans and joins.
- 2.26 Describes a train transport that went through Lida.
- 2.33 Describes life with the Partisans and actions he participated in, such as exploding bridges and trains.
- 2.47 Describes how they got ammunition.
- 2.50 Describes recruiting young men from the ghetto. Bringing a doctor to care for wounded partisans.
- 2.58 Antisemitism in the partisans.

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- 3.05 Describes life with the partisans. They lived in villages near Lida and the Germans were afraid to engage them.
- 3.10 Describes partisan actions.
- 3.20 August 1943. German action against the partisans. Talks about Bielski, a partisan hero.
- 3.26 All the Jews from Czucewicze, including his family, were taken to Lida and then to Sobibor where they were killed.
- 3.40 His state of mind while with the partisans.

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- 4.00 Repeats the story about the mass murder of the Jews of Czuczewicze. His thoughts about why he stayed alive.
- 4.11 His activities in the partisans, and special incidents.
- 4.22 Talks about the 'white Polish legion' that fought partisan groups and killed Jews. He stayed with the partisans until the end of the war.
- 4.27 The method the Germans used to fight the partisans. Describes a particular incident 'Blava' in 1943.
- 4.31 At the end of the war the partisans joined the Russian army. He was sent to Lida to be the administrator of a plant and stayed there until May 5, when the war ended.
- 4.35 He plans to go to Palestine. Went to Lodz and met Autik Zukerman who recruited Jewish partisans to organize escape of Jews through Austria, Italy to Palestine.
- 4.46 In 1948 he go married it Italy and went on false passports to Israel where he worked in the arms industry until retirement.