

Guta Weintraub discusses her prewar family life in Lodz, Poland; moving to the Vearschmeek ghetto; establishing a kindergarten in the ghetto; being sent to a work camp; attacking a Ukrainian guard and getting shot; her experience during a death march out of Auschwitz; being relocated to Ravensbrück; the death of her mother in Ravensbrück; being liberated through the intervention of the Swedish section of the World Jewish Congress; her religious beliefs; traveling to Berlin; being reunited with her husband and getting married; immigrating to the United States; living in Charleston, SC; her large family; anti-Semitism and racial segregation in the United States; talking about her Holocaust experiences to school children; going to Israel; testifying in Germany against Holocaust perpetrators; going back to Poland and visiting Auschwitz; how the memory of her experiences during the Holocaust affect her daily life; and moving to Rockfield, SC.; and her patriotic feelings towards America.