

TSIKLOPULO, Tatiana
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Box 1, Tape 1

In this interview, Tatiana Tsiklopulo, born on January 25, 1915, talks about her wartime experiences during the occupation of Odessa. She comments on the fate of Jewish people at that time by discussing specific incidents of killings of Jews that took place in front of her eyes. In addition, she talks about attempts of some Jews to hide and tells a story of her helping Jews escape the ghetto and hide them at her home.

[00:] 01:01:18 – [00:] 05:27:01

She tells about Jews hiding anywhere they could find a place; comments on the impossibility of escaping the police once the Jews were found; recalls the local administration reporting hiding places of Jews.

[00:] 05:27:02 – [00:] 16:01:20

She remembers seeing hanged and murdered Jews at the Greek Square and on **Gavannaya** Street; tells about her hiding Jews at her home; recalls Jews being killed or being arrested by the members of the police; comments on the police trying to kill her in the garden on her way back home.

[00:] 16: 01:21 – [00:] 26:25:11

She recalls her walking to the ghetto in order to hand over some money to people who had been arrested and to save them; comments on her way to the ghetto; describes the ghetto and the outward appearance of Jews there; tells about seeing Jews walking under escort and describes them; talks about succeeding in being able to save some Jews by passing them money; talks about another successful attempt of saving Jews by acquiring some passes for them from her neighbor, a public prosecutor; recalls the Jewish family **Lyakos** and their surviving those years through hiding at her place.