

# Eva Mozes Kor and Miriam Mozes Zeiger

Eva Mozes Kor and Miriam Mozes Zeiger were born on January 31, 1934, in the village of Portz, Romania. At 10 years old they and their family were taken to Cehel Ghetto and then on to Auschwitz II-Birkenau, where the twins were forever separated from their family.



Eva and Miriam at 12 months.



Eva and Miriam in front holding hands.

The twins survived Dr. Mengele's inhumane experiments and were liberated by Russian troops on January 27, 1945.

In the 1980s, Eva and Miriam worked diligently to locate surviving twins in an effort to learn about the experiments performed on them by Dr. Mengele. Eva and Miriam found 122 individual twins living in 10 countries.



1985 reunion of Mengele Twins at Yad Vashem, in Jerusalem.



In 1989, Eva and Miriam returned to Auschwitz. Miriam died of cancer in 1993, most likely the result of one of Mengele's experiments. Eva founded CANDLES Holocaust Museum and Education Center in Terre Haute, Indiana, in her honor.

In 1995 Eva chose to forgive Dr. Mengele and the Nazis for the horrible physical and mental pain they inflicted on her. Through forgiveness Eva freed herself from the burden of victimhood.



Eva travels around the globe spreading her message of forgiveness and helping others find healing and peace.



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