

Next-Generation Speaker Series

Holocaust and genocide survivors' children and grandchildren telling stories of their family members to put human faces on historical events and share their own experiences

CANDLES welcomes back Tibor Klopfer

Hungarian Jews in the Holocaust: My Family's Story of Courage and Resilience with Tibor Klopfer



Tibor will present stories of his family's experiences as Hungarian Jews in the Holocaust, using family photos, maps, and other illustrations. His mother was deported from a ghetto in rural Hungary to Auschwitz-Birkenau. She was moved to an industrial slave labor camp and ultimately was liberated from the Bergen-Belsen concentration camp. Tibor's father was processed through Auschwitz and worked in forced labor camps before being liberated from Dachau. He lost all his immediate family, including his first wife and two young daughters. Tibor's mother's youngest brother, thirteen years of age at the beginning of the war, witnessed the devastation of his family and survived a whirlwind of farm and industrial forced labor camps before being liberated from a factory camp in Austria. Their stories, and the stories of other family members, put human faces on historical events and provide a perspective on the Holocaust that transcends sterile renditions of dates, events, and statistics.

Admission is \$5 per person and includes access to all CANDLES exhibits

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