

Bibliography

There is a wealth of material available covering the many different aspects of the Holocaust, genocide and discrimination. Listed here are a few of the books – including fact, fiction, drama and poetry – that we think are helpful for those interested in finding out more about the issues raised by Holocaust Memorial Day.

The majority of these books are available on commonly used bookselling websites – books which do not have contact details for where you can purchase them.

We have a number of activities for book groups on our website
<http://www.hmd.org.uk/resources/book-group-activities>.

The Holocaust & Nazi Persecution

- A House Next Door to Trauma: Learning from Holocaust Survivors How to Respond to Atrocity* – Judith Hassan
A Social History of the Third Reich – Richard Grunberger
Address Unknown – Kressman Taylor
After Daybreak: The Liberation of Belsen 1945 – Ben Shephard
After Such Knowledge – Eva Hoffman
After the Holocaust: Jewish Survivors in Germany after 1945 – Eva Kolinsky
Aimee & Jaguar – Erica Fischer
Auschwitz: A History – Sybille Steinbacher
Austerlitz – W.G. Sebald
British Jewry and the Holocaust – Richard Bolchover
By Trust Betrayed: Patients, Physicians and the License to kill in the
Children with a Star: Jewish Youth in Nazi Europe – Deborah Dwork
Confronting the 'Good Death': Nazi Euthanasia on Trial, 1945 – 1953' – Michael S. Bryan
Deaf People in Hitler's Europe – Donna F. Ryan
Disturbance of the Inner Ear – Joyce Hackett
Forgotten Crimes: The Holocaust and People with Disabilities – Suzanne Evans
From Prejudice to Genocide: Learning about the Holocaust – Carrie Supple
Fugitive Pieces – Anne Michaels
Hitler's Black Victims: The Historical Experience of Afro-Germans, European Blacks, Africans and African Americans in the Nazi Era – Clarence Lusane
Holocaust Poetry – Hilda Schiff – available from <http://hcentrenw.aegisdns.co.uk/>
In the Shadow of the Holocaust: The Second Generation – Aaron Hass
Jehovah's Witnesses: Stand Firm against Nazi Assault – available from www.watchtower.org
Maus – Art Spiegelman

My Enemy's Cradle – Sara Young
Neighbours: The Destruction of the Jewish Community in Jedwabne, Poland – Jan T. Gross
Nicholas Winton and the Rescued Generation – Muriel Emmanuel & Vera Gissing
Ordinary Men: Reserve Police Battalion 101 and the Final Solution in Poland – Christopher R Browning
Perpetrators, Victims and Bystanders – Raul Hilberg
Refusal – Soazig Aaron
Righteous Gentiles of the Holocaust: Genocide and Moral Obligation – David P. Gushee
Schindler's Ark – Thomas Keneally
Settela – Aad Wagenaar
Settela's Last Road – Janna Eliot
Shared Sorrow: A Gypsy Family Remembers the Holocaust – Toby Sonnemann
Sophie's Choice – William Styron
Suite Francaise – Irene Nemirovsky
The Book Thief – Markus Zusak
The Boys: Triumph over Adversity – Martin Gilbert
The Children of Freedom – Mark Levy
The Diary of a Young Girl – Anne Frank
The Gypsies during the Second World War: From 'Race Science' to the Camps – Henriette Asseo et al.
The Hitler Emigres: The Cultural Impact on Britain of Refugees from Nazism – Daniel Snowman
The Holocaust: The Jewish Tragedy – Martin Gilbert
The Internment of Aliens – Francois Lafitte
The Jehovah's Witnesses and the Nazis: Persecution, Deportation and Murder, 1933-1945 – Michel Reynaud
The Luminous Life of Lilly Nellie Aphrodite – Beatrice Colin
The Nazi Persecution of Gypsies – Guenter Lewy
The Nazis: A Warning from History – Laurence Rees
The Origins of Nazi Genocide: From Euthanasia to the Final Solution – Henry Friedlander
The Other Schindlers – Agnes Grunwald-Spier
The Pianist – Wladyslaw Szpilman
The Reader – Bernhard Schlink
The Righteous: The Unsung Heroes of the Holocaust – Martin Gilbert
The Secret Purposes – David Baddiel
The Seventh Gate – Richard Zimler
The Unwritten Order: Hitler's Role in the Final Solution – Peter Longerich
War Story – Gwen Edelman
Whitehall and the Jews, 1933-1948: British Immigration Policy, Jewish Refugees and the Holocaust – Louise London
Winter Time – Walter Winter
Zoli – Colum Mcann

Survivors and Personal Testimony

A Square of Sky: A Jewish Childhood in Wartime Poland – Janina David
A Time to Speak – Helen Lewis
An Englishman at Auschwitz – Leon Greenman
An Underground Life: Memoirs of a Gay Jew in Nazi Berlin – Gad Beck
Black Dog of Fate: An American Son Uncovers His Armenian Past – Peter Balakian
Chasing Shadows – Hugo Gryn & Naomi Gryn
Child of our Time: A Young Girl's Flight from the Holocaust – Ruth David
Children in the Holocaust and World War II: Their Secret Diaries – Laurel Holliday
Diaries – Victor Klemperer
Diary of a Young Girl – Anne Frank
Did you ever meet Hitler, Miss: A Holocaust Survivor Talks to Young People – Trude Levi
Facing the Lion: Memoirs of a Young Girl in Nazi Europe – Simone Arnold Liebster
Fateless – Imre Kertesz
From Belsen to Buckingham Palace – Paul Oppenheimer – available from <http://hcentrenew.aegisdns.co.uk/>
From the Ashes of Sobibor: A Story of Survival (Jewish Lives) – Thomas Toivo Blatt
Ghetto Diary – Janusz Korczak
Have you Seen My Little Sister? – Janina Fischler-Martinho
Holocaust by Bullets – Father Patrick Debois
I Light a Candle – Gena Turgel
I, Pierre Seel, Deported Homosexual – Pierre Seel
If this is a Man – The Truce – Primo Levi
Imagination: Blessed Be, Cursed Be – Batsheva Dagan – available from <http://hcentrenew.aegisdns.co.uk/>
Inherit the Truth 1939-1945: The Documented Experiences of a Survivor of Auschwitz and Belsen – Anita Lasker-Wallfisch
Losing the Dead – Lisa Appignanesi
Lost in Translation: A Life in a New Language – Eva Hoffman
Memorial Candles: Children of the Holocaust – Diana Wardi
My German Question: Growing up in Nazi Berlin – Peter Gay
Night – Elie Wiesel
Pearls of Childhood: A Unique Childhood Memoir of Life in Wartime Britain in the Shadow of the Holocaust – Vera Gissing
Return to Auschwitz – Kitty Hart-Moxon – available from <http://hcentrenew.aegisdns.co.uk/>
Salvaged Pages – Alexandra Zapruder
Surrender on Demand – Varian Fry
Survival: Holocaust survivors tell their story – Wendy Whitworth – available from <http://hcentrenew.aegisdns.co.uk/>
Surviving in Silence – Eleanor C. Dunai
Survivor Stories: Forgotten Voices of the Holocaust – Lyn Smith

The Nazi Officer's Wife: How one Jewish Woman survived the Holocaust – Edith Hahn Beer
The Tiger in the Attic: Memories of the Kindertransport and Growing Up English – Edith Milton
The Woman without a Number – Iby Knill
Winter in the Morning: Young Girl's Life in the Warsaw Ghetto and Beyond – Janina Bauman
Words to Outlive Us: Eyewitness Accounts from the Warsaw Ghetto – Ed. Michael Grynberg

Genocide

A People Betrayed: The Role of the West in Rwanda's Genocide – Linda Melvern
A Shameful Act: The Armenian Genocide and the Question of Turkish Responsibility - Taner Açam
A Time for Machetes: The Rwandan Genocide – The Killers Speak – Jean Hatzfeld & Linda Coverdale
Bluebird – Vesna Maric
Conspiracy to Murder: The Rwandan Genocide and the International Community – Linda Melvern
Darfur: A Short History of a Long War – Julie Flint
Darfur: The Ambiguous Genocide – Gerard Prunier
My Name is Bosnia – Madeleine Gagnon
Postcards from the Grave – Emir Suljagic
Genocide: Its Political Use in the Twentieth Century – Leo Kuper
Into the Quick of Life: The Rwanda Genocide – Jean Hatzfeld
Raw Memory – Isabelle Wesselingh & Arnaud Vaulerin
Season of Blood: A Rwandan Journey – Fergal Keane
Shake Hands with the Devil: The Failure of Humanity in Rwanda – Romeo Dallaire
Something is Going to Fall like Rain – Ros Wynne-Jones
Survival Against the Odds – available from www.survivors-fund.org.uk
Survival in the Killing Fields – Haing Ngor with Roger Warner
Tears of the Desert – Halima Bashir
The Cellist of Sarajevo – Steven Galloway
The Disappeared – Kim Echlin
The Oxford Handbook of Genocide Studies - Donald Bloxham and A. Dirk Moses
The Pol Pot Regime: Race, Power and Genocide in Cambodia under the Khmer Rouge, 1975-79 – Ben Kiernan
The Media and the Rwanda Genocide – Kofi Annan & Allan Thompson
To The End of Hell – Denise Affonco
We Survived: Genocide in Rwanda – Wendy Whitworth - available from <http://hcentrenew.aegisdns.co.uk/>
We wish to inform you that tomorrow we will be killed with our families – Philip Gourevitch
Zlata's Diary: A Child's Life in Sarajevo – Zlata Flipovic

Plays

Bent – Martin Sherman

I Have Before Me a Remarkable Document Given to Me by a Young Lady from Rwanda -
Sonja Linden

Kindertransport - Diane Samuels

Leaving Berehevo – David Ian Neville

Playing for Time - Arthur Miller

The Holocaust Trilogy - Julia Pascal

The Jewish Wife – Bertolt Brecht

The Overwhelming: A Play – J. T. Rogers

The Play of the Diary of Anne Frank – Frances Goodrich & Albert Hackett

Books for Young People

A Song for Cambodia – Lord, Michelle and Shino Arihara

And the Violins Stopped Playing - Alexander Ramati

Escaping Into the Night - D. Dina Friedman

Kommandant's Girl - Pam Jenoff

Malka - Mirjam Pressler

Number the Stars – Lois Lowry

One Last Summer - Catrin Collier

Refugee Boy - Benjamin Zephaniah

Rose Blanche – Robert Innocenti

Susan Laughs - Jeanne Wilson and Tony Ross

Then – Morris Gleitzman

The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas - John Boyne

The Colour of Home - Mary Hoffman & Karin Littlewood

The Lily Cupboard - Shulamith Levey Oppenheim

The Little Boy Star: An Allegory of the Holocaust – Rachel Hausfater

The Mozart Question - Michael Morpurgo

The Search - Eric Heuvel, Ruud Van Der Rol & Lies Schippers

The Silver Sword – Ian Serraillier

The Suitcase: Refugee Voices from Bosnia and Croatia - Julie Mertus, Jasmina Tesanovic,
Habiba Metikos and Rada Boric

When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit - Judith Kerr

HMD Book Group Activities

We produce book group discussion points.

Books for adults include:

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I am healthy and I feel fine – Marian Serejski
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When Broken Glass Floats – Chanrithy Him
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Books for young people include:

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A Song for Cambodia – Arn Chorn-Pond
And the Violins Stopped Playing - Alexander Ramati
Anne Frank: Diary of a Young Girl – Anne Frank

Escaping Into the Night - D. Dina Friedman
Kommandant's Girl - Pam Jenoff
Malka - Mirjam Pressler
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Refugee Boy - Benjamin Zephaniah
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Tales from the Secret Annexe – Anne Frank
The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas - John Boyne
The Colour of Home - Mary Hoffman & Karin Littlewood
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