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A CONVERSATION WITH FRITZIE FRITZSHALL



**HOLOCAUST SURVIVOR & PRESIDENT OF
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January 27, 2021 | 7PM | Zoom



RSVP for a virtual program in honor of International Holocaust Remembrance Day on Jan. 27, 2021 with Holocaust Survivor Fritzie Fritzshall.

Learn about her incredible story followed by a Q&A session.

Fritzie Fritzshall was born in Klucharky, Czechoslovakia. After her town fell under Nazi occupation, Fritzie, her mother, and two brothers were deported to the Auschwitz – Birkenau death camp. She was only thirteen years old. Close to the end of the war, Fritzie was moved to a sub camp of Auschwitz where she worked as a slave laborer in a factory. In 1945, she was finally liberated by the Russian army, while on the death march from Auschwitz. After the war, in 1946, Fritzie came to the United States and was reunited with her father, who had been able to escape the Holocaust. Her mother, two younger brothers, and other family members all perished.

Fritzie is an active member of the community, serving as President of Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center. Fritzie continues to speak extensively on the local and state level about her experiences and lessons of the Holocaust. In 2015, Fritzie was awarded the Bertha Honoré Palmer Making History Award for Distinction in Civic Leadership from the Chicago History Museum.



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