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Archbishop Desmond Tutu: “*Eva Mozes Kor has written a very moving and vivid account of an extraordinary and horrific experience. It is an important document showing the strength of the human spirit and the capacity to forgive. She should be commended for having the courage to write about her traumatic childhood, leading to the forgiveness that freed her from hatred and brought her peace. May it inspire others to emulate her.*”

Surviving the Angel of Death The Story of a Mengele Twin in Auschwitz Written by Eva Mozes Kor and Lisa Rojany Buccieri

Numbers vary, but of the approximately 3000 twins who were selected to be included in Josef Mengele’s incredibly cruel medical experiments, only about 200 survived. Eva Mozes survived by luck, by her wits, and by her sheer determination that she and her twin would walk out of Auschwitz alive.

Eva Mozes Kor was 10 years old when she arrived in Auschwitz. While her parents and two older sisters were taken to the gas chambers, she and her twin, Miriam, were herded into the care of the man known as the Angel of Death, Dr. Josef Mengele. Mengele's twins were granted the "privileges" of keeping their own clothes and hair, but they were also subjected to sadistic medical experiments and forced to fight daily for their own survival. In a narrative told with emotion and restraint, readers will learn of a child's endurance and survival in the face of truly extraordinary evil.

SURVIVING THE ANGEL OF DEATH is a compelling and inspirational true story, well documented, for young teens who have come to an appropriate age for learning about the experience of a child in Auschwitz. The book also includes the story of Eva’s life both before and after the Holocaust, providing important context for young readers. Eva’s epilogue tells of her recovery from this experience and her remarkable decision to publicly forgive the Nazis. Through her museum and her lectures, she has dedicated her life to giving testimony on the Holocaust, and providing a message of hope for people who have suffered.

Eva Mozes Kor is a recognized speaker, both nationally and internationally, on topics related to the Holocaust, peace and forgiveness, and medical ethics. She founded an organization, CANDLES, for the surviving twins in 1984 and opened the CANDLES Holocaust Museum in 1995. She has been covered in numerous media outlets and is the subject of a controversial documentary, *Forgiving Dr. Mengele*. To find out more about Eva Mozes Kor and her ongoing work, visit www.candleholocaustmuseum.org.

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