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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* Author Eva Mozes Kor Meets with German President**

Holocaust Remembrance Day – April 19 2012

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE – On January 27, 2012, Memorial Day for the Victims of National Socialism, Holocaust survivor and author Eva Mozes Kor met with the President of the Parliament of Berlin, Ralf Wieland, for an informational discussion. Mrs. Kor visited Berlin for two days in conjunction with a lecture tour through Europe. During her visit to Berlin she met with several politicians, appeared on “Markus Lanz,” a major German talk show, and gave several lectures to mostly young audiences, discussing her book *Surviving the Angel of Death*.

In her book *Surviving the Angel of Death* (releasing in paperback this month) Eva Mozes Kor describes her experiences during the Holocaust – she was ten 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, as most of the twins died as a result of the experiments or from the disease and hunger pervasive in the camp. 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.

Sven Trautmann, Leserwelt, Germany: “The book—written for young readers—is a shocking witness, a biography of incomprehensible suffering, but also an unbreakable determination in the daily battle to survive during the Nazi era. A really important book.”

The book also includes an epilogue on Eva's 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, providing a message of hope for people who have suffered, and working toward goals of forgiveness, peace, and the elimination of hatred and prejudice in the world.

Eva Mozes Kor is a recognized speaker, both nationally and internationally, on topics related to the Holocaust and social justice. Her harrowing story has been covered in numerous media outlets and is the subject of a documentary, *Forgiving Dr. Mengele*. In 1995, Eva opened CANDLES (Children of Auschwitz Nazi Deadly Lab Experiments Survivors) Holocaust Museum in Terre Haute, Indiana; find out more about the museum and Eva's ongoing work at: www.candleholocaustmuseum.org.

Lisa Rojany Buccieri has written over 100 children's books, including several award-winning and bestselling titles. She is also a publishing executive and editor with over 20 years of experience in the industry. Lisa lives with her family in Los Angeles.

SURVIVING THE ANGEL OF DEATH: The True Story of a Mengele Twin in Auschwitz

Written by Eva Mozes Kor and Lisa Rojany Buccieri

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