The Rocky Mountain Jewish Historical Society & Beck Archives
Center for Judaic Studies & University Libraries, University of Denver,
Cordially Invite You to Join Us at the
RMJHS Annual Meeting
Featuring a Documentary Film Screening & Exhibit

Escape from Nazi Germany: Jewish Immigration to America During World War II

The Documentary Film Screening:

50 Children: The Rescue Mission of Mr. & Mrs. Kraus

In early 1939, Gilbert and Eleanor Kraus embarked on a risky and improbable mission to rescue 50 Jewish children from Nazi Germany. Against all odds, this ordinary couple succeeded in bringing the single largest group of children out of Europe to the U.S. and—in the process—became extraordinary heroes.

The Exhibit:

Lowenstein Family Holocaust Papers

The Lowenstein family—Max, Maria, Karin, and Henry—lived in Berlin and experienced Nazi persecution after 1933. Like many Jewish families, they tried to find ways to leave Germany and applied for visas to the United States. Thirteen-year-old Henry Lowenstein was fortunate to be one of 10,000 children saved by the Kindertransport in 1939. It would be almost a decade before Henry was able to reunite with his family.

Sunday, October 29th, 2017
1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
University of Denver
Special Events Room, Anderson Academic Commons
2150 E. Evans Ave., Denver, CO 80208

Light refreshments & exhibit viewing at 1:00p.m.,
followed by a short RMJHS Business Meeting and Induction of the Board.
Film Screening at 1:30p.m.

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