



In observance of Yom HaShoah / Holocaust Memorial Day

Join us to view the film

"Forgotten Transports to Estonia"

***Thursday Evening, May 12, 2016, 7-9pm
In the Synagogue Sanctuary***



On September 5, 1942, a transport of a thousand Czech Jews arrives at the tiny village of Raasiku in Estonia. Nazi officers immediately separate out several dozen young women and take them to a nearby concentration camp. Though their living conditions steadily deteriorate, they refuse to acknowledge this to themselves. They are convinced they will return home and will be reunited with their families. Even when presented with an opportunity, escape is unthinkable – they have been warned that their parents would pay with their lives if they try. Those who nonetheless attempt to get away do not fare well, as Inge Sylten in the astonishing and tragic case of a concentration camp Romeo and Juliet, a forbidden love affair between a concentration camp commander and a beautiful Czech Jewess. The girls act in unison, almost like a single living organism. Their comradery, youthful optimism, humor and naivety enable them to ignore all the death surrounding them and overcome unspeakable hardships on their dramatic journey through concentration camps until liberation.

Admission is Free

Popcorn and water for sale

RSVP's APPRECIATED:

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