

Holocaust Remembrance and Education: Our Shared Responsibility

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This year the Holocaust Remembrance observance will include a stage play titled "Mr. Dr. Lehrer Friend," written by Dr. Dorothy E. King; founder of PenOwl Production, poet, director, writer, and educator. The play offers a fictionalized account of a lifelong friendship between an African-American college student and his mentor, a Jewish professor. As the Nazi reign of terror began in 1930s Germany, Jewish professors, dismissed from Universities, fled to America. This is the story of one.

You are invited to attend the Carlisle Garrison community for the Holocaust Remembrance Observance, in Bliss Hall Auditorium, April 11, 12 - 1:30 p.m.

The Holocaust was the persecution and murder of more than six million

men, women and children by the Nazi regime in the 1930s and 40s. Congress established the annual Days of Remembrance as the nation's annual commemoration of the Holocaust.

The internationally recognized date for Holocaust Remembrance Day corresponds to the 27th day of Nisan on the Hebrew calendar. It marks the anniversary of the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising.

The theme for this year is "Learning from the Holocaust: Legacy of Perseverance." During this week, the Army community joins the nation to remember not only the millions of victims and survivors of the Holocaust, but also the heroes whose actions saved incalculable lives.

Witnesses to the atrocities of Nazi-occupied Europe were faced with the choice of helping their neighbors and fellow countrymen or standing by in acquiescent silence. The Army family honors the courage of individuals who stand against persecution.

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