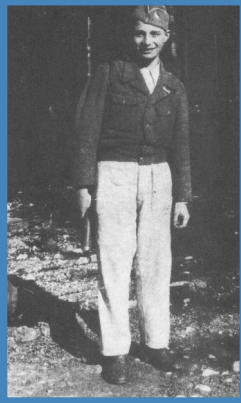


“REFLECTIONS ON THE LIFE OF THE JEWISH COMMUNITY IN THESSALONIKI AND THE HOLOCAUST”



Heinz Kounio
Prisoner Number 109565

The UIC Jewish Studies Program, together with the Greek
Community of Greater Chicago present...

A COMMEMORATION OF GREEK
JEWS LOST IN THE HOLOCAUST
AND A CELEBRATION OF 2300
YEARS OF JEWISH HERITAGE IN
GREECE.

Keynote Speaker

Heinz Kounio

Wednesday, November 4th, 2009

at 6 p.m.

Illinois Room, Student Center East

University of Illinois at Chicago



THESSALONIKI JEWISH HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL

Heinz Kounio, president of Thessaloniki's Assembly of the Jewish Community, will be the keynote speaker for this very special event. Mr. Kounio is a survivor of the Auschwitz concentration camp and author of the book, *A Liter of Soup and Sixty Grams of Bread: The Diary of Prisoner Number 109565*. Recently he completed documentation of the names of 50,000 Greek Jews who perished in the concentration camps, including the dates and places of their deaths.

Cantor Alberto Mizrahi from Athens, a leading international tenor and now a Chicagoan will participate in this memorial service. He will sing the El Malei Rachamim prayer as well as a song in Ladino, the special dialect of Greek and other Mediterranean Jews used since the Spanish Inquisition expulsion in 1492 and still in use today.

To reserve your space for
this event now, RSVP to: [http://
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Refreshments will be served and dietary laws observed at this
free event. Parking available for a fee. For additional information, please
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