

Holocaust Garden of Hope



*Beauty for Ashes
Fundraiser Luncheon 2024*





Dear Friend,

We are members of the Holocaust Remembrance Association (**HRA18**), a 501(c)(3) educational organization based in Kingwood, Texas. HRA18 was formed to “sensitize hearts to the issues of the Holocaust” through education, reconciliation, and healing for the purpose of creating **UPSTANDERS** – individuals who will stand against antisemitism, bigotry, prejudice, and persecution in all forms.

Through the HRA18 Upstander Stone Project and from generous friends like yourself, over \$1 Million in donations have been given thus far to create and build **The Holocaust Garden of Hope**, a unique outdoor museum located in Kings Harbor in Kingwood, Texas. The garden will use painting, sculptures, physical structures, and creative educational tools to illustrate the experiences of children during the Holocaust in eight (8) family-friendly exhibits and leave everyone feeling a sense of hope.

Will you join us in creating UPSTANDERS?

We are seeking donations for a Silent Auction during the HRA18 “*Beauty for Ashes*” fundraiser luncheon on **Friday, March 22, 2024**, at the Kingwood Country Club. For the fundraising auction to be successful, we are requesting donations such as airline tickets, art, clothing, electronics, home accessories & furnishings, restaurant packages, event tickets, travel packages, wine, and other items. Your generous donation will help make our Silent Auction a success!

For your reference, please find the following items with this letter:

- Introduction to the Holocaust Garden of Hope
- Donation Form
- 501(c)(3) letter from the IRS

Thank you for partnering with HRA18 as we work **TOGETHER** to see the world inspired to stand in solidarity against persecution, prejudice, and indifference.

We will be happy to pick up your donation at a time convenient for you.

Sincerely,

Judy Cox – Luncheon Chair

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“Beauty for Ashes” Luncheon

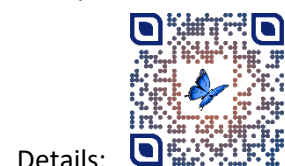
You are cordially invited to partner with Holocaust Remembrance Association (HRA18) as we create **UPSTANDERS***! “Beauty for Ashes” luncheon on **Friday, March 22, 2024**, at the Kingwood Country Club is celebrating its third annual Holocaust Garden of Hope fundraiser. This values-based, open-air, educational museum is blooming on Lake Houston at Kings Harbor in Kingwood, Texas. INVESTING finances, resources, and talents in this free, historic, educational, and meaningful project will impact our community for generations.

Levels of Sponsorship	
<i>Each table of 10 includes notable recognition in the Beauty for Ashes and March of Remembrance programs and a personalized element in the Garden of Hope</i>	
Presenting Sponsor Tree Planting and Founder’s Paver in the Garden	\$10,000
Corporate Sponsor Tree Planting in the Garden	\$7,500
Title Sponsor Landscape Planting in the Garden	\$5,000
Founder Founder’s Large Paver in the Garden	\$2,500
Upstander Main Entrance Engraved Paver in the Garden	\$1,800
Individual Ticket	\$75

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Thank you for partnering with HRA18. Together we work to see the world inspired to stand in solidarity against persecution, prejudice, and indifference.

Contact: Judy Cox, HRA18 Luncheon Chair, 281-804-8227, Judy_cox@msn.com, to be a sponsor.





The Holocaust Garden of Hope, an open-air museum free to the community, is focused on the Holocaust experiences of children and young people, using art, painting, sculpture, interactive displays and creative educational tools to deliver its message of retaining hope despite adversity in a family-friendly way.

The idea for building the Garden of Hope at its site came from Alexander Pollak, a local Holocaust survivor who spoke at an early Kingwood March of Remembrance. Pollak thought the landscape along Lake Houston strongly resembled the view from the Jasenovac concentration camp in Croatia, where his father died. The victims of Jasenovac also included 20,000 children and Pollak thought it would be fitting to build a garden to honor the young victims of the Holocaust.

Remembrance is the theme of the Garden, with gabion walls throughout filled with stones from the Upstander Stones Project, representing the 1.5 million child victims of the Holocaust. Rozalie Jerome, Founder, said that the 60,000 students of Humble ISD have been asked to paint a stone symbolizing the life of a child, with the stones to be used in the Garden's construction.

The Garden consists of eight exhibits, each featuring certain aspects of the Holocaust story. The first exhibits use stories, news articles and artwork to ask the question, "Why Remember?" and to illustrate what ordinary life was like for Jewish children in the days before the Holocaust.

Subsequent exhibits will illustrate: the impact of the message of hate that the Nazis promoted in the lead-up to the infamous, "final solution;" stories of "upstanders," men and women who risked their lives to save Jewish people during the Holocaust; the liberation of the concentration camps by Allied soldiers and the message of hope for a future in which the horrors of the Holocaust will never be repeated towards any people group.

CONTACT: Call Rozalie Jerome, Executive Director, for naming and other legacy opportunities (832) 287-5057.

The Holocaust Garden of Hope, is a project of the Holocaust Remembrance Association EIN # 83-3600582, a 501(c)(3) organization.



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Name of purchaser, firm or agency Holocaust Remembrance Association	
Address (Street & number, P.O. Box or Route number) 3235 Glade Spring Dr.	Phone (Area code and number) 888 546-8111
City, State, ZIP code Kingwood, TX 77339	

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Purchaser claims this exemption for the following reason:

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