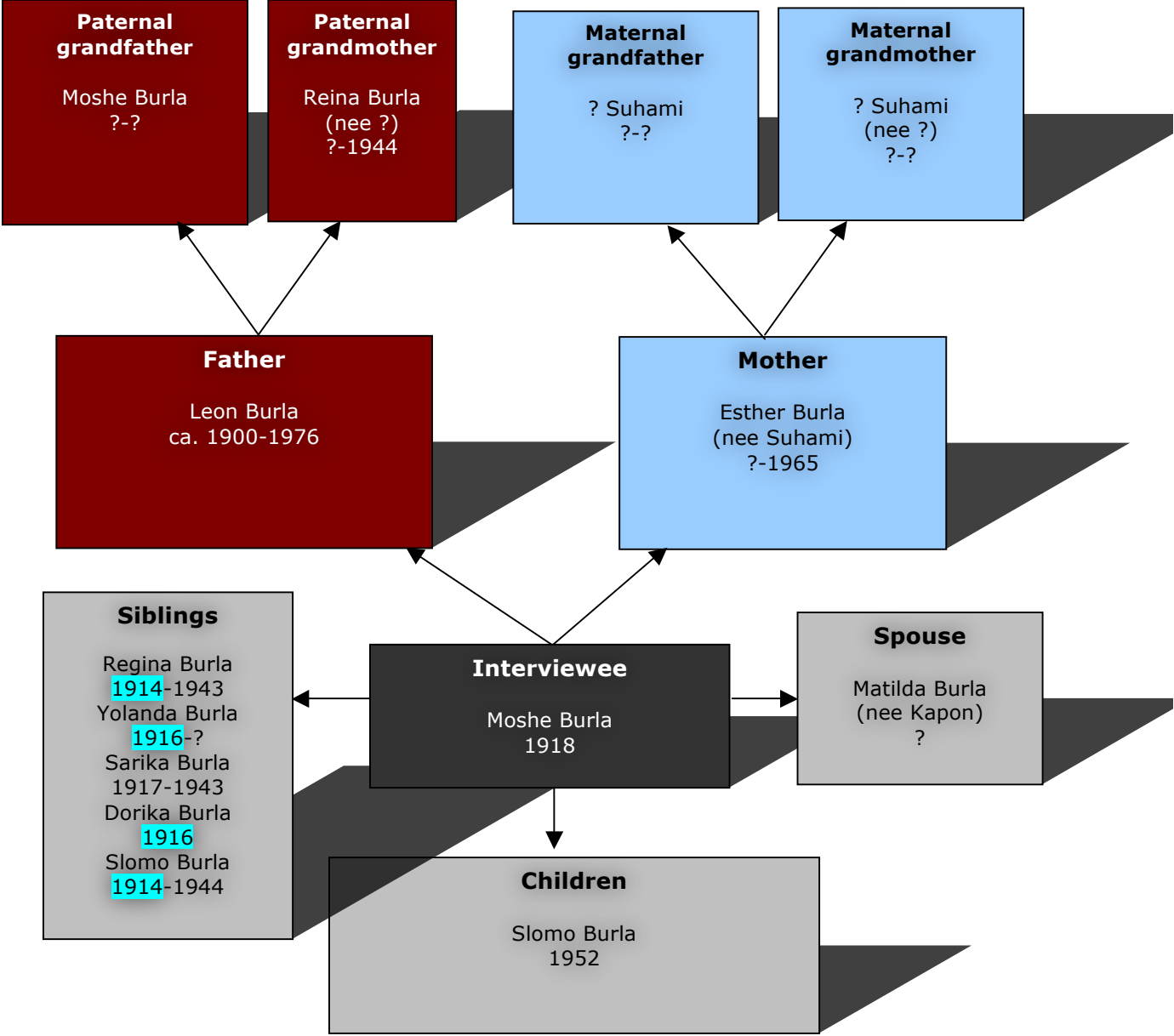


Family Tree



The interviewee and his family

Full name

Moshe Burla

Where and when were you born?

Cairo (Egypt) 9th May 1918

Where else did you live?

Naousa, Thessaloniki, Haifa (today Israel), Bulgaria, Kamensk Uralski (today Russia), Sohum (today Russia)

Your educational level?

High school, Thessaloniki

What sort of work do/did you do?

Manual laborer

How religious was your parents' home? How were you raised?

The Burla family followed the Jewish traditions but we were not particularly religious.

What is your mother tongue?

Greek

What other languages do you speak?

Ladino

If you were in an army, tell us which army and the dates
Greek Army during the Greek-Italian War (1940-1941)

Where were you during the Holocaust?

In hiding: Thessaloniki

With partisans in the mountains in Makedonia, Greece

What did you do after the Holocaust?

After the Holocaust I was exiled to different Greek islands like Makronisos, Ikaria, Ai Stratis and Limnos, following that I moved to Israel and then to the USSR, where I worked.

Siblings

Their names

Regina Burla

Yolanda Burla

Sarika Burla

Dorika Burla

Slomo Burla

Where and when were they born?

Regina: Thessaloniki, 1914

Yolanda: Volos, 1916

Sarika: Thessaloniki, 1917

Dorika: Naousa, 1916

Slomo: Naousa, 1914

What is their mother tongue?

Greek

Their educational level?

Regina: elementary school

Yolanda: graduated as a teacher from Thessaloniki University

Sarika: elementary school

Dorika: elementary school in Israel

Slomo: University graduate

Their occupations?

Regina: dressmaker

Yolanda: teacher

Sarika: worker

Dorika: teacher

Slomo: N/A (he was killed as a member of ELAS in 1944)

Where do/did they live?

Regina: Thessaloniki

Yolanda: Thessaloniki

Sarika: Thessaloniki

Dorika: Thessaloniki and Israel

Slomo: Thessaloniki

Where else did they live?

Yolanda: Volos

Dorika: Naousa and Israel

Do they have children?

Rezina: none

Yolanda: two children

Sarika: none

Dorika: two children

Slomo: none

Where and when did they die?

Regina: killed in concentration camp in Poland, 1943

Yolanda: Israel, date unknown

Sarika: killed in concentration camp in Poland, 1943

Dorika: still alive

Slomo: shot in Stavros Verias, 1944

Spouse

Name?

Matilda Burla (nee Kapon)

Where and when was he/she born?

Thessaloniki, date unknown

Where else did he/she live?

Haifa (today Israel)

Is he/she Jewish?

Yes

What is his/her mother tongue?

Greek

His/her educational level?

Elementary school

Occupation?

Shop assistant

Tell me anything you know about his/her siblings (Name, date of birth and death, occupation, place of residence, name of wife and children, whether their family is Jewish and whether it is religious).

Leon Kapon: was married, worked in the laundry business

Sara Kapon: she didn't work

Children

Their names?

Slomo Burla

Were they raised Jewish/do they identify themselves as Jews?

Yes

Where and when were they born?

Israel, 1952

Where else did they live?

Italy and other countries (but no further information)

Their educational level?

No information

Their occupations?

Tourist guide in Israel

How many grandchildren do you have?

Four grandchildren: Edith, Ilior, Limor, Noam

Father

His name?

Leon Burla

Where and when was he born?

Volos, ca. 1900

Where else did he live?

Chios, Thessaloniki, Cairo (Egypt)

Where and when did he die?

Thessaloniki, 1976

What sort of education did he have?

Two years of elementary school

What sort of work did he do?

Baker

How religious was he?

He was not religious at all.

What was his mother tongue?

Greek

Army service: which army and what years?

In the Greek Army, date unknown

Tell me about his brothers and sisters

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were
David Burla	Naousa, ? - ?,?	Shop assistant	Reina Burla (nee ?)	7 children: Yashim (m) Joseph (m) Minas (m) Jackos (m) Fani (f) Sarika (f) Sultana (f)	No information
Minas Burla	Larissa, ? - ?, ?	Worker	Roza Burla (nee ?) ?-?	adopted daughter Gratzuela, lives in the USA	No information
Daniel Burla	Thessaloniki, ? - Poland, 1940s	Shop assistant	No information	Moshe (m)	No information
Esther Burla					

Where was he during the Holocaust?

He was a partisan in ELAS organization

If he survived, what did he do after?

Worked as a baker in Thessaloniki

Paternal grandfather

Your paternal grandfather's name?

Moshe Burla

Where and when was he born?

Naousa, date unknown

Where else did he live?

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Where and when did he die?

Thessaloniki, date unknown

What sort of education did he have?

No information

What sort of work did he do?

Street vendor

How religious was he?

Very religious: he prayed every morning with his tefillin, kept Jewish traditions and holidays, regularly went to the synagogue.

What was his mother tongue?

Greek

Army service: which army and what years?

Greek Army in Kavala, date unknown

Tell me about his brothers and sisters.

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were
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No information

Where was he during the Holocaust?

No information

If he survived what did he do after?

No information

Paternal grandmother

Your paternal grandmother's name?

Reina Burla (nee ?)

Where and when was she born?

Naousa, date unknown

Where else did she live?

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Where and when did she die?

Naousa, 1944

What sort of education did she have?

No information

What sort of work did she do?

Housewife

How religious was she?

Very religious

What was her mother tongue?

Greek

Tell me about his brothers and sisters.

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were
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None

Where was she during the Holocaust?

She was killed by the Germans in 1944

Mother

Her name?

Esther Burla (nee Suhami)

Where and when was she born?

Chios, date unknown

Where else did she live?

Cairo (Egypt), Thessaloniki

Where and when did she die?

Haifa (today Israel), 1965

What sort of education did she have?

None

What sort of work did she do?

Housewife

How religious was she?

Very religious

What was her mother tongue?

Greek

Tell me about his brothers and sisters.

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were
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Sister (no further information)

Where was she during the Holocaust?

In hiding

If she survived, what did she do after?

She immigrated to Israel.

Maternal grandfather

Your maternal grandfather's name?

? Suhami (no further information)

Maternal grandmother

Your maternal grandmother's name?

? Suhami (nee ?) (no further information)