

FAMILY SHEET MAIER FROMM OF NOERDLINGEN

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VERSION 07

MAIER FROMM

(religious teacher + shochet in Noerdlingen since 1 Dec 1899) (A)+(B)
born 4 Jul 1871 Westheim (near Hassfurt in Lower Franconia),
died 16 Jul 1919 Noerdlingen (at age 48)
(parents = cattle dealer Josef Fromm in Westheim + wife Babette nee Krapf)
(C)
married (1) 25 Feb 1901 in Frankenwinheim

KAROLINE KISSINGER

born 4 Jan 1866 Roedelsee, died 12 Nov 1915 Noerdlingen
(parents = weaver Abraham Kissinger in Roedelsee + wife Fanny nee Stern)
married (2) after 1915 where ?

REBECCA (called Becky) HESS (D)

born 11 Dec 1887 Papenburg, died in Auschwitz probably in 1943
(parents = hazzan Joel Hess + wife Sofie nee Wertheim) (E)

CHILDREN (all born in Noerdlingen, 1-3 from first wife, 4 from second wife):

- (01) JOSEF 02 Jan 1903 - ca 1914 ? (died in Noerdlingen)
- (02) ABRAHAM 18 Feb 1904 - ? (whereabouts unknown)
he was a baker in Noerdlingen and probably moved
to Wuerzburg in 1931 - maybe he had lived in
Frankenwinheim near Gerolzhofen (northeast of
Wuerzburg) before ? In 1939 he was still unmarried
- (03) BEATE 26 Dec 1909 - ? (still alive in 2004 in Israel)
(born as Berta) after her mother's death she lived with her uncle Simon
Fromm's family, later she married Erich Blaut, born
25 Dec 1904 in Geisa (near Fulda, Germany), died
18 Apr 1976 Haifa, Israel
couple had one son = Meir Blaut, born 14 Sep 1943
(in Haifa), who married Yael Neumann, born 9 May 1947
in Jerusalem (couple has 7 children)
- (04) JOEL JUSTIN 19 May 1919 - November 1991 (Newfoundland, Canada)
he married Rose Filler as his first wife

In 1939 he was taken to the Buchenwald Concentration Camp, but was released again and emigrated to Great Britain, where he was interned on the Isle of Man as being "German", but then managed to emigrate to Toronto, Canada (later Montreal), where he became hazzan (and later reverend) of Congregation Shaar Hashomayim for 25 years and finally remarried and moved to Newfoundland

couple had two children = Rebekka Fromm who married Marc Goldstein, and Meir Fromm who married Ilana Kosofski

(A) Maier Fromm's sister Karolina was born in Westheim 17 Apr 1869 and died in New York 30 Jan 1865, she married Joseph Gruenfeld, born 24 Jun 1855 in Tauberrettersheim, died 20 Nov 1925 in Tauberrettersheim.

(B) Maier Fromm's father Joseph Fromm was born 1816 in Westheim, the mother Babetta nee Krapf was born in Wonfurt (unknown when) and died 26 Apr 1887 (unknown where). Maier Fromm's grandparents were Hirsch Fromm + Karolina.

(C) Josef Fromm was born 1822 in Grosslangheim, moved to Westheim near Hassfurt and died 23 Mar 1887 (unknown where), his wife Babette was born 3 Mar 1832 in Wonfurt and died 25 Apr 1887 in Westheim near Hassfurt.

(D) Rebecca Fromm moved to Frankfurt/Main (Rueckert Strasse 45), was deported to Theresienstadt on 15 Sep 1942 and finally deported to Auschwitz on 29 Jan 1943. Her further fate is unknown.

(E) Joel Hess probably was an officiating minister of the Jewish community in Frankfurt (?) and still may have lived there in 1920 (?).