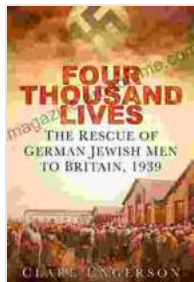


# The Remarkable Rescue of German Jewish Men to Britain in 1939



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In the face of unimaginable horrors, a beacon of hope emerged in 1939. As the dark clouds of Nazism spread across Europe, a daring rescue mission was set in motion to save thousands of Jewish children from the clutches of Nazi-occupied Germany and Austria.

Known as the Kindertransport, this extraordinary operation brought together individuals and organizations from different backgrounds, united by a common desire to make a difference. The story of the Kindertransport is a testament to the resilience of the human spirit and the power of compassion in the face of adversity.

## **The Origins of the Kindertransport**

The origins of the Kindertransport can be traced back to the Anschluss, the annexation of Austria by Nazi Germany in March 1938. This event marked a significant escalation in the persecution of Jews in Europe, and prompted a wave of concern among Jewish communities worldwide.

In response, a group of British citizens, including social worker Nicholas Winton, began to work with organizations in Germany to arrange for the rescue of Jewish children. They faced numerous challenges, including the need to obtain visas and secure funding for the children's travel and care.

## **The Execution of the Rescue Mission**

Despite the obstacles, the first Kindertransport train departed from Berlin on December 1, 1938, carrying 196 children. Over the next nine months, a total of 10,000 Jewish children were rescued and brought to Britain. The children were placed in foster homes, orphanages, and boarding schools, where they received care and education.

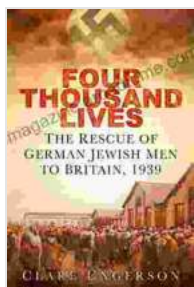
The rescue operation was not without its risks. The children often had to travel alone, and there were instances of trains being stopped by the Nazis. However, the determination of the organizers and the support of the British public ensured that the majority of the children reached safety.

## The Enduring Legacy of the Kindertransport

The Kindertransport was a remarkable humanitarian effort that saved thousands of lives. The children who were rescued went on to make significant contributions to British society, in fields such as science, medicine, the arts, and business.

The legacy of the Kindertransport continues to inspire hope and compassion in the face of adversity. The story of the rescue mission is a reminder of the power of individuals and organizations to make a difference, even in the darkest of times.

Today, the Kindertransport is remembered through museums, memorials, and educational programs. The story of the rescue mission continues to be told and retold, ensuring that the legacy of those who risked their lives to save others will never be forgotten.



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