

Nikki Korsen is a high school English teacher in Northern Virginia who regularly infuses lessons from the Holocaust, particularly her father's story as a hidden child, into her teaching. Beyond the classroom, she connects Jewish students through the Jewish Student Union and educators through a similar community-wide teacher group. She facilitates an annual educator training to encourage the teaching of the Holocaust and other racial injustices despite regional pushback. Nikki facilitates school-wide Holocaust Remembrance events at her school and other local schools and is a speaker and writer with Generations After. Honoring her father Jack Wagschal's legacy fuels her Holocaust work.

Margalit Ganor was born just two months prior to the onset of World War 2, making her a “baby or child Holocaust survivor.” Ganor holds a doctorate from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. She is a psychotherapist and was a member on the EU education committee. Today she serves as head of education and member of the executive committee of the “Next Generation of Holocaust and Heroism Legacy” organization in Israel. Margalit’s book *The Light through the Storm*, describes two parallel journeys: Her parents’ brave escape with her from the horrors of war, and her own journey as an author, traveling back to her repressed past – which she penned for the sake of the next generations.