

**The Deutsch-Britische Gesellschaft
Rhein-Main e.V.**

invites you to a Celebratory Lecture entitled

"Legacy of Hope: A Son's Perspective on one of the last 'Kindertransporte'"

with

Adrian Goldberg

on Thursday, October 26, 2023, at 19 hrs (CET)

Venue: Frankfurter Presseclub, Ulmenstraße 20, 60325 Frankfurt and virtual (via Zoom*)

Please register for the FPC by October 20 and for Zoom by October 24 at dbg-rheinmain@t-online.de. *Registered Zoom-participants will receive login details on October 25.

Biographical Note:

Adrian Goldberg is the son of Rudolph Goldberg, a German immigrant who fled from the Nazi regime as a 13-year-old child with his 11-year-old brother Werner, thanks to one of the last Kindertransport arranged by Sir Nicholas Winton.

Adrian Goldberg has presented TV and radio programmes across the BBC, ITV and Channel 4. His TV work includes consumer show 'Watchdog' and 'The Politics Show'.

He has appeared on BBC Radio 4, BBC Radio 5 Live, and across English local radio. He is also the producer of the podcast for the Byline Times, an independent, progressive news outlet in the UK. As a supporter of West Bromwich Albion, Adrian also makes The Liquidator podcast.

He has won numerous awards for his journalism, beating international competition to win Gold at the New York Radio Awards in 2016 for his documentary about the Birmingham Pub Bombings.

Adrian presented The Holocaust - My Family Story for BBC Radio 5 Live.

He has three daughters aged 19, 16 and 8.

Synopsis:

Adrian, being the son of Rudolph Goldberg, a German immigrant who fled from the Nazi regime as a 13-year-old child with his 11-year-old brother Werner, will look back to that one of the last "Kindertransporte" arranged by Sir Nicholas Winton. Adrian will share with us the history of his family, talking about Rudolph Goldberg's parents and other relatives who were killed at Auschwitz concentration camp during the Holocaust, to whom Adrian's father later erected a memorial in the Jewish section at Witton Cemetery. After serving in the British Army in the latter part of World War II, in 1950 Rudolph Goldberg married Kitty and had four children: John, Marion, Judith and Adrian. The family latterly settled in Northfield, Birmingham, where Rudolph died in 2012 aged 87. To quote from Adrian's contribution in BirminghamLive (<https://www.birminghammail.co.uk/news/midlands-news/adrian-goldberg-how-dad-escaped-8524602>) on Jan. 27, 2015: "Despite the traumas of their youth, my dad and his brother never became embittered. Werner went on to become an architect in Guildford, while my dad was drawn to the ready supply of factory work in Birmingham. His job, in a warehouse, was well below his intellectual capacity, but after those traumatic adolescent years, he was content with a quiet life, surrounding himself with a brood of four kids and numerous grandchildren. It's in his generous spirit that I'm heading back to Germany. 'Always forgive,' he said, 'but never forget'."

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