

SURVIVORS OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE



We remember and pay tribute to the survivors who participated in the Armenian Assembly of America Oral History Project. Portraits of 31 survivors, representative of the hundreds who were interviewed, are pictured above. We cherish and honor their memory for taking the time to provide permanent witness to the fate of their friends and families, and for sharing their recollections of historic Armenia before its destruction in 1915.

Row 1 (L-R): Mrs. Haigouhie Antreasian, West Hartford, CT (1905 Manissa); Mrs. Mariam Davidian, Upper Darby, PA (1901 Afion-Karahissar); Mr. Kaloust Soukiasian, Watertown, MA (1908 Behesni); Mrs. Keghetzig Kalenjian, Mt. Prospect, IL (1901 Kamakh); Mr. Puzant Balmanoukian, San Francisco, CA (1914 Diyarbekir); Mr. Krikor Kerkonian, Chicago, IL (1903 Aintab)

Row 2 (L-R): Mrs. Lia Tateosian, Oakland, CA (year unknown Sivas); Mrs. Elizabeth Nahabedian, Kingsburg, CA (1910 Harput); Dr. Navasart Deirmendjian, Boulder, CO (1888 Knjilar); Mrs. Mary Ishkanian, Sherman Oaks, CA (1909 Malatia); Mrs. Zabel Nercessian Kradjian (Unknown); Mrs. Agulene Tatouljian, Pasadena, CA (1901 Hadjin)

Row 3 (L-R): Mr. Vahan Doumanian, Highland, IN (1897 Hadjin); Mrs. Pepron Derderian, Huntington Valley, PA (1892 Arabkir); Mrs. Anna Baghdasarian, Cleveland, OH (Year Unknown Sivas); Mr. Megurdich Megurdichian, Hickory Hills, IL (1909 Harput); Mr. Nishan Vartanian, Broomall, PA (1893 Van); Mrs. Anoush Zadoian, Silver Spring, MD (1902 Denizli)

Row 4 (L-R): Mrs. Aghavni (Rose) Mazmanian (Unknown); Mr. Garabed Marcarian, So. Milwaukee, WI (1905 Kayseri); Mrs. Puras Stephanian, Detroit, MI (1903 Kamakh); Mr. Bedros Salbashian, So. Milwaukee, WI (1911 Tomarza); Mrs. Anna Boyadjian, Hickory Hills, IL (1903 Charsanjak); Mr. Antranig Shamigian, Silver Spring, MD (1898 Keghi); Mr. Haig Beloian, Fresno, CA (1893 Sivas)

Row 5 (L-R): Mrs. Azadouhee Kaloustian, So. Milwaukee, WI (1905 Akshehir); Mrs. Mannig Nercessian Yessayan (Unknown); Mr. Kevork Arpajian, Philadelphia, PA (1892 Malatia); Mrs. Mary Kupelian, Rockville, MD (1889 Hadjin); Mr. Garabed Bandazian, Philadelphia, PA (1907 Perri); Mrs. Agnes Kashian, Milwaukee, WI (1905 Kayseri)