

The metal weeping willow

The Raoul Wallenberg Emlékpark (memory park) in the rear courtyard of the Dohany synagogue holds the Memorial of the Hungarian Jewish Martyrs — at least 400,000 Hungarian Jews were murdered by the Nazis. The tree in sculpted metal was made by Imre Varga, resembles a weeping willow whose leaves bear inscriptions with the names of the 400.000 victims.

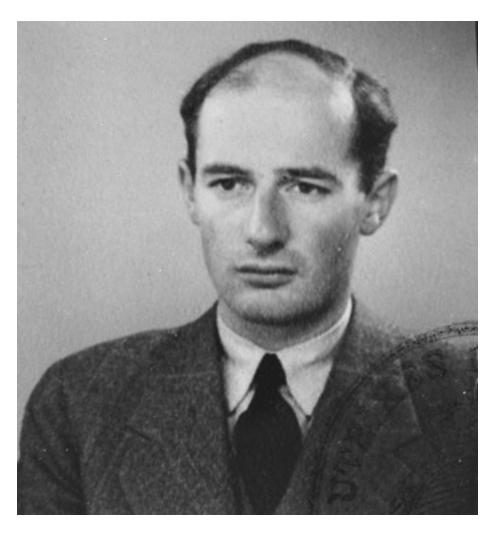
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**Budapest - Shoes on the Danube Promenade (War Memorial)** 

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4rDgs9tYdVw

Budapest 1944 október Duna-part (with music 6:14)



Raoul Wallenberg (August 4, 1912 – July 17, 1947?) was a Swedish humanitarian who worked in Budapest, Hungary, during World War II to rescue Jews from the Holocaust. Between July and December 1944, he issued protective passports and housed Jews, saving tens of thousands of Jewish lives.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Raoul Wallenberg

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jsk0KNnD9A8

A Film: "The Case of Raoul Wallenberg - Saviour and Victim" Trailer



Dohány Street Synagogue, Budapest.

This is the second largest synagogue in the world, after the Temple Emanu-El. It is 75m long and 27m wide, and was built between 1854 and 1859 in the Moorish Revival style, based chiefly on Moorish models from North Africa and Spain. It seats 3,000 people and is a centre of Neolog Judaism.

http://www.budapest-tourist-guide.com/budapest-great-synagogue.html