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**Inventory of the Robert Turner  
Holocaust Atrocity Photographs, 1945**

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## Descriptive Summary

<b>Title:</b>	Robert Turner Holocaust atrocity photographs
<b>Date(s)</b>	1945
<b>Creator:</b>	Turner, Robert
<b>Abstract:</b>	The collection consists of twenty-six Holocaust atrocity photographs taken by Robert Turner, a U.S. soldier who photographed victims in a Bavarian concentration camp after it was liberated.
<b>Extent:</b>	0.1 linear feet (2 folders)
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<b>Language of Material:</b>	Materials in English

## Biographical Note

Robert Turner served in the 65th Infantry Division of the U.S. Army during World War II. Turner used cameras retrieved from dead soldiers in the field to take photographs of atrocities in a Bavarian concentration camp on the German-Austrian border after it was liberated.

## Collection Overview

The collection consists of twenty-six Holocaust atrocity photographs taken by Robert Turner, a U.S. soldier from the 65th Infantry Division who photographed victims in a Bavarian concentration camp after it was liberated. Included is a photocopy of the 1945 booklet *Right to Be Proud: History of the 65th Infantry Division's March Across Germany*.

## Collection Arrangement

Materials are described at the folder level.

## Restrictions

### Access Restrictions

This collection is open for research.

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## Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person, family, or organization, by topical subject, by place, and by types of material.

### Names

Turner, Robert  
United States. Army

### Subjects

Holocaust, Jewish (1939-1945)  
World War, 1939-1945--Atrocities  
World War, 1939-1945--Concentration camps--Germany  
World War, 1939-1945--Regimental histories--United States

### Places

Bavaria (Germany)

### Types of Material

Black-and-white negatives  
Black-and-white slides  
Booklets  
Digital images  
DVDs

## Administrative Information

### Preferred Citation

[Identification of item], Robert Turner Holocaust atrocity photographs, College of Charleston Libraries, Charleston, SC, USA.

### Acquisitions Information

Materials were donated in 2003 by Robert Turner.

### Processing Information

Processed by Rebecca McClure, October 2011.

Encoded by Rebecca McClure, March 2012.

Reviewed and uploaded by Martha McTear, March 2012.

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## Inventory

Folder 1

Images, 1945

Negatives and slides of atrocity photographs from an unidentified concentration camp located in Bavaria near the German-Austrian border. Includes brief field notes with descriptions of the photographs. Also includes digital images on DVD.

Folder 2

*Right to be Proud: History of the 65th Infantry Division's March Across Germany, 1945*