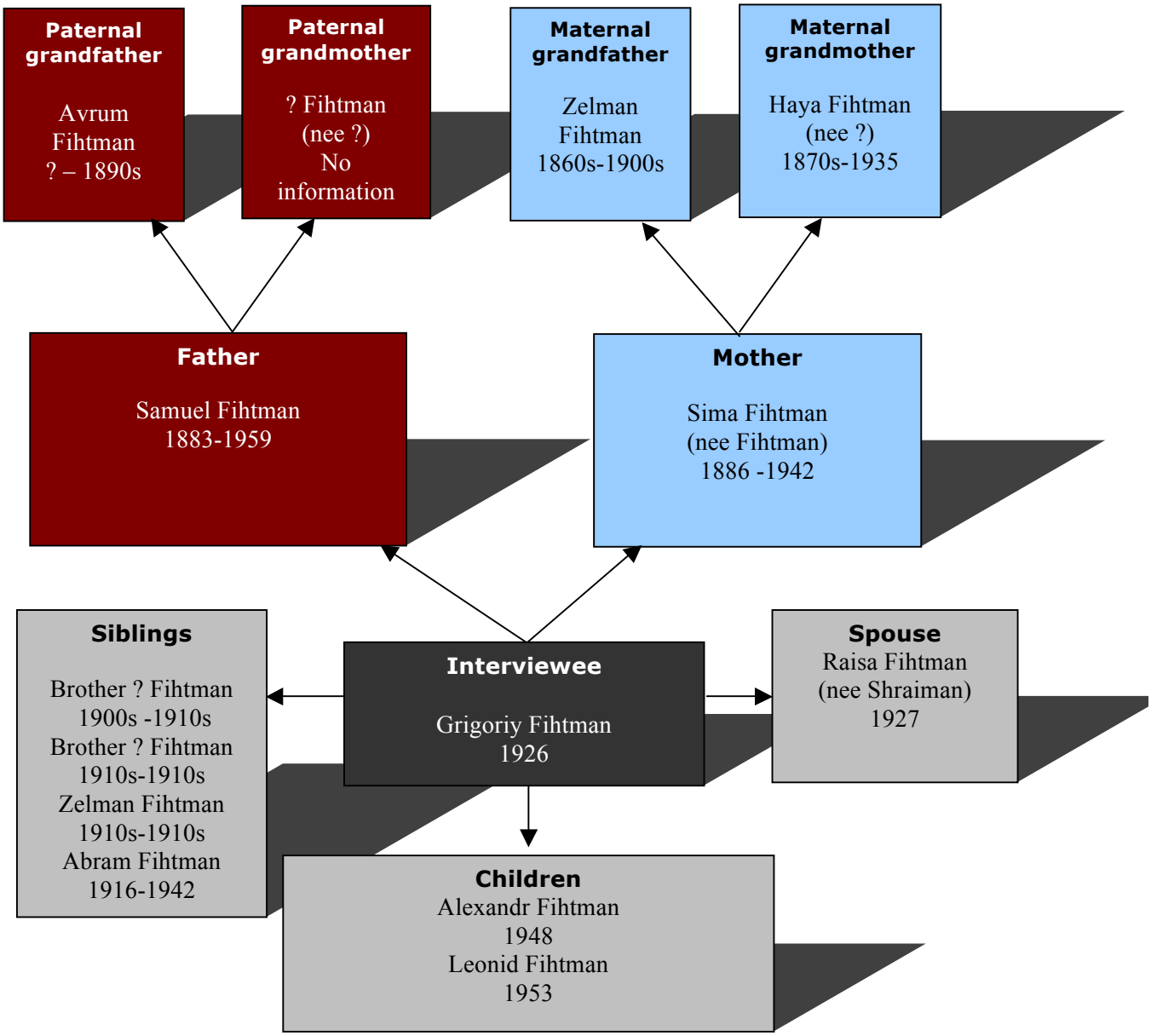
Family Tree


Paternal grandfather
Avrum Fihtman
? – 1890s
Paternal grandmother
? Fihtman
(nee ?)
No information
Maternal grandfather
Zelman Fihtman
1860s-1900s
Maternal grandmother
Haya Fihtman
(nee ?)
1870s-1935
Father
Samuel Fihtman
1883-1959
Mother
Sima Fihtman
(nee Fihtman)
1886 -1942
Siblings
Brother ? Fihtman
1900s -1910s
Brother ? Fihtman
1910s-1910s
Zelman Fihtman
1910s-1910s
Abram Fihtman
1916-1942
Interviewee
Grigoriy Fihtman
1926
Spouse
Raisa Fihtman
(nee Shraiman)
1927
Children
Alexandr Fihtman
1948
Leonid Fihtman
1953

The interviewee and his family

Full name
Grigoriy Fihtman

Where and when were you born?
Zhmerinka town, Vinnitsa region, 1926

Where else did you live?
Komargorod village, Mogilyov-Podolskiy town, Vinnitsa region; Odessa town

Your educational level?
Graduated from the Faculty of History of Odessa University

What sort of work do/did you do?
Teacher of history

How religious was your parents' home? How were you raised?
My family was moderately religious, my parents went to the synagogue on holidays, followed kashrut, fasted at Yom Kippur and my grandmother celebrated Sabbath

What is your mother tongue?
Yiddish

What other languages do you speak?
Russian, Ukrainian

If you were in an army, tell us which army and the dates
Soviet army, 1943-1946

Where were you during the Holocaust?
Evacuation: Platnirovka village, Krasnodar region, Zmeyskaya village (Northern Ossetia) (Russia); Kurgan-Tubeh town (Tajikistan); (1941-1943) Soviet army: (1943-1946)

What did you do after the Holocaust?
Worked as a teacher in Odessa

Siblings

Their names
? (m) Fihtman
? (m) Fihtman
Zelman (m) Fihtman
Abram (m) Fihtman

Where and when were they born?

?: Odessa, 1900s

?: Odessa, 1910s

Zelman: Odessa, 1910s

Abram: Odessa, 1916

What is their mother tongue?

Yiddish

Their educational level?

?: N/A

?: N/A

Zelman: N/A

Abram: finished 2 years of Odessa Chemical Production College of Tinned Food Industry

Their occupations?

N/A

Where do/did they live?

Abram: Zhmerinka town, Vinnitsa region

Where else did they live?

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Do they have children?

N/A

Where and when did they die?

?: Odessa, 1910s

?: Odessa, 1910s

Zelman: Odessa, 1910s

Abram: Leningrad, 1942

Spouse

Name?

Raisa Fihtman (nee Shraiman)

Where and when was he/she born?

Komargorod village, Tomashpol district, Vinnitsa region, 1927

Where else did he/she live?

Mogilyov-Podolskiy town, Vinnitsa region, Odessa town

Is he/she Jewish?

Yes

What is his/her mother tongue?

Yiddish

His/her educational level?

Secondary school (7 years)

Occupation?

Housewife

Where and when did he/she die?

Tell me anything you know about his/her siblings (Name, date of birth and death, occupation, place of residence, name of wife and children, whether their family is Jewish and whether it is religious).

Leonid Shraiman (1924-1985), teacher, Cherkassy town, Jewish wife, two children

Children

Their names?
Alexandr Fihtman
Leonid Fihtman

Were they raised Jewish/do they identify themselves as Jews?
They were not raised religious and do not identify themselves as Jews

Where and when were they born?
Alexandr: Komargorod village, Tomashpol district, Vinnitsa region, 1948
Leonid: Komargorod village, Tomashpol district, Vinnitsa region, 1953

Where else did they live?
Alexandr: Mogilyov-Podolskiy town, Kleipeda town (Lithuania), Odessa town, Migdal Ha'Emeq town (Israel)
Leonid: Mogilyov-Podolskiy town, Odessa town,

Their educational level?
Alexandr: finished Odessa Medical School
Leonid: finished the Faculty of Public Economy Planning of Odessa Public Economy College

Their occupations?
Alexandr: assistant doctor
Leonid: economist

How many grandchildren do you have?
Alexandr: Maya (1972), Svetlana (1978)
Leonid: Boris (1983), Ruslan (1989)

Father

His name?

Samuel Fihtman

Where and when was he born?

Yampol town, Podolsk province (present Vinnitsa region), 1883

Where else did he live?

Odessa, Zhmerinka town of Vinnitsa region

Where and when did he die?

Alchevsk town, Donetsk region, 1959

What sort of education did he have?

No information

What sort of work did he do?

Worker

How religious was he?

Moderately religious, went to the synagogue on holidays, followed kashrut and fasted at Yom Kippur

What was his mother tongue?

Yiddish

Army service: which army and what years?

No

Tell me about his brothers and sisters. (name, date of birth and death, occupation, place of residence, family, etc.)

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were
Zelman Fihtman (m)	Yampol, 1860s-Dzygovka, 1900s	No information	Wife Haya, Jew	Sima (f) 1886-1942 Leibush (m) 1880e-1940s	Religious
? Fihtman (m)	Yampol, 1870s - England, ?	No information	No information	No information	No information
Moisha Fihtman (m)	Yampol, 1870s-Yampol, 19230s	No information	No information	No information	No information
Borukh Fihtman (m)	Yampol,1880s-Mogilyov-Podolskiy, 1943	No information	Jewish wife	Abram (m) (1918-2001) Polina (m)	No information

Where was he during the Holocaust?

Evacuation: Platnirovka village, Krasnodar region, Zmeyskaya village (Northern Ossetia) (Russia); Kurgan-Tubeh town (Tajikistan); (1941-1946)

If he survived, what did he do after?

Lived in Alchevsk town Donetsk region

Paternal grandfather

Your paternal grandfather's name?

Avrum Fihtman

Where and when was he born?

Yampol town, Podolsk province (Vinnitsa region at present), ?

Where else did he live?

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Where and when did he die?

Yampol town, Podolsk province (Vinnitsa region at present), 1890s

What sort of education did he have?

No information

What sort of work did he do?

No information

How religious was he?

Was religious, went to the synagogue, celebrated Sabbath, followed kashrut, celebrated Jewish holidays and had a beard

What was his mother tongue?

Yiddish

Army service: which army and what years?

No information

Tell me about his brothers and sisters.

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were
No information					

Where was he during the Holocaust?

Died before

Paternal grandmother

Your paternal grandmother's name?

? Fihtman (nee ?)

Where and when was she born?

No information

Where else did she live?

No information

Where and when did she die?

No information

What sort of education did she have?

No information

What sort of work did she do?

No information

How religious was she?

Was religious, went to the synagogue, celebrated Jewish holidays, followed kashrut, wore a kerchief

What was her mother tongue?

Yiddish

Tell me about his brothers and sisters.

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were
No information					

Where was she during the Holocaust?

Died before

Mother

Her name?

Sima Fihtman

Where and when was she born?

Dzygovka village, Podolsk province (present Vinnitsa region), 1886

Where else did she live?

Odessa town, Zhmerinka town of Vinnitsa region

Where and when did she die?

Kurgan-Tubeh town (Tajikistan), 1942

What sort of education did she have?

Two years of grammar school

What sort of work did she do?

Housewife

How religious was she?

Moderately religious, went to the synagogue on holidays, followed kashrut, fasted at Yom Kippur

What was her mother tongue?

Yiddish

Tell me about his brothers and sisters.

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were

Leibush Fihtman (m)	Dzygovka, 1880-Odessa, 1941	Worker	Jewish wife	Munia (m) (1925-1941) Zhenia (f) (1920e – 1941)	No information

Where was she during the Holocaust?

Evacuation: Platnirovka village of Krasnodar region, Zmeyskaya village (Northern Ossetia) (Russia); Kurgan-Tubeh town (Tajikistan), 1941 -1942

If she survived, what did she do after?

Died in evacuation in Kurgan-Tubeh town, 1942

Maternal grandfather

Your maternal grandfather's name?

Zelman Fihtman

Where and when was he born?

Yampol town, Podolsk province (present Vinnitsa region), 1860s

Where else did he live?

Dzygovka village, Podolsk province (present Vinnitsa region)

Where and when did he die?

Dzygovka village, Podolsk province (present Vinnitsa region), 1900s

What sort of education did he have?

No information

What sort of work did he do?

No information

How religious was he?

Was religious, went to the synagogue, celebrated Sabbath, followed kashrut, celebrated Jewish holidays and wore a beard

What was his mother tongue?

Yiddish

Army service: which army and what years?

No information

Tell me about his brothers and sisters.

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Samuel Fihtman (m)	Yampol, 1883 – Alchevsk, 1959	Worker	Wife Sima	Two sons, Zelman (m) (1910s), Abram (m) (1916-1942), Grigoriy (m) (1926)	Religious

Where was he during the Holocaust?

Died before

Maternal grandmother

Your maternal grandmother's name?
Haya Fihtman (nee?)

Where and when was she born?
?, 1870s

Where else did she live?
Dzygovka village, Podolsk province (present Vinnitsa region), Zhmerinka town of Vinnitsa region

Where and when did she die?
Zhmerinka town of Vinnitsa region, 1935

What sort of education did she have?
No information

What sort of work did she do?
Housewife

How religious was she?
Was religious, went to the synagogue, celebrated Sabbath, followed kashrut, celebrated Jewish holidays and wore a kerchief

What was her mother tongue?
Yiddish

Tell me about his brothers and sisters.

name	place and date of birth/death	occupation	biographical data and origins of spouse	biographical data of children	describe how religious they were
No information					

Where was she during the Holocaust?

Died before