

IN MEMORY OF IRENA SENDLEROWA



**Sendler smuggled some
2,500 Jewish children
out of the Warsaw
Ghetto and then
provided them with
false identity
documents and with
housing outside the
Ghetto, saving those
children during the
Holocaust.**

As early as 1939, when the Germans invaded Poland, she began aiding Jews. She and her helpers created more than 3,000 false documents to help Jewish families.



In August 1943, Sendler was nominated by the underground Polish Council to Aid Jews Żegota, to head its Jewish children's section.



She and her co-workers organized the smuggling of Jewish children out of the Ghetto.



They visited the Ghetto and smuggled out babies and small children in ambulances and trams.

Children were placed with Polish families, some children were smuggled to priests in parish rectories



Remember the forgotten



Irena Sendler passed away on Monday May 12th, 2008 in Warsaw, Poland.



The life of Irena Sendler was one of great testimony, one of courage and love, one of respect for all people, regardless of race, religion and creed.

She is gone, but will never be forgotten.

