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DAYS OF REMEMBRANCE

11:00am • April 17, 2015 • Georgia State Capitol, North Wing

5920 Roswell Road, Suite A209 . Sandy Springs, Georgia . 30328
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PROGRAM

11:00AM

“I Never Saw Another Butterfly” by Myrna Braverman.....Atlanta Young Singers of Callanwolde

Presentation of Colors.....Cedar Shoals High School JROTC Color Guard

Pledge of Allegiance.....Mike Roby
Georgia Assistant Commissioner for Veterans Affairs

Welcome.....Sally Levine
Executive Director, Georgia Commission on the Holocaust

Tribute to General Russel Weiskircher.....Michael Altman
Chair, Georgia Commission on the Holocaust

Chairman’s Lifetime Achievement Award.....presented by Michael Altman

Honoree.....Ambassador Opher Aviran
Consul General of Israel to the Southeast U.S.

Humanitarian Award.....presented by Gary Alexander
Advisory Board Chair, Georgia Commission on the Holocaust

Honoree.....The Honorable Eva Galambos

Introduction of Distinguished Educator of the YearSally N. Levine

Presentation of Distinguished Educator of 2015.....First Lady Sandra Deal

Recipient.....Gretchen Abernathy
Dalton Middle School

Presentation of 2015 Creative Arts Student Contest Winners
.....Dr. Claire D’Agostino
board member, Georgia Commission on the Holocaust

Responsive Reading of “We Light Our Candles”.....
.....David Rubenstein and Steven Sutton
board members, Georgia Commission on the Holocaust

Introduction of the Candle Lighting Ceremony.....Emma Ellingson
Public Education Manager, Georgia Commission on the Holocaust

Candle Lighting Ceremony in memory of the victims of the Holocaust

Manuela Mendels Bornstein.....Introduced by
Denis Barbet, Consul General of the Republic of France

George Aigen.....Introduced by Representative Wendell Willard

Norbert Friedman.....Introduced by
Thomas Wülfing, Deputy Consul of the Federal Republic of Germany

Edith Benson.....Introduced by
Kenneth DeSimone, Chief of the Sandy Springs Police

Paula Neuman Gris.....Introduced by
Andreas Maager, Consul General of Switzerland

Hilbert Margol.....Introduced by Representative Tom Taylor

Elizabeth Lefkovits.....Introduced by
Genevieve Verbeek, Consul General of Belgium

Howard Margol.....Introduced by Sandy Springs Mayor Rusty Paul

Murray Lynn.....Introduced by
Peter Taylor, Consul of Political and Economic Relations for Canada

M. Alexis Scott.....Introduced by Attorney General Sam Olen

Ben Walker.....Introduced by Ron Brummer, Deputy Consul of Israel

Representative John Yates.....Introduced by
Representative Sharon Cooper

“*Eli Eli*” by Hannah Senesh.....Atlanta Young Singers of Callanwolde

Closing Remarks.....Sally Levine

“Hymn of the Jewish Partisans” by Hirsh Glick.....Atlanta Young Singers
of Callanwolde

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