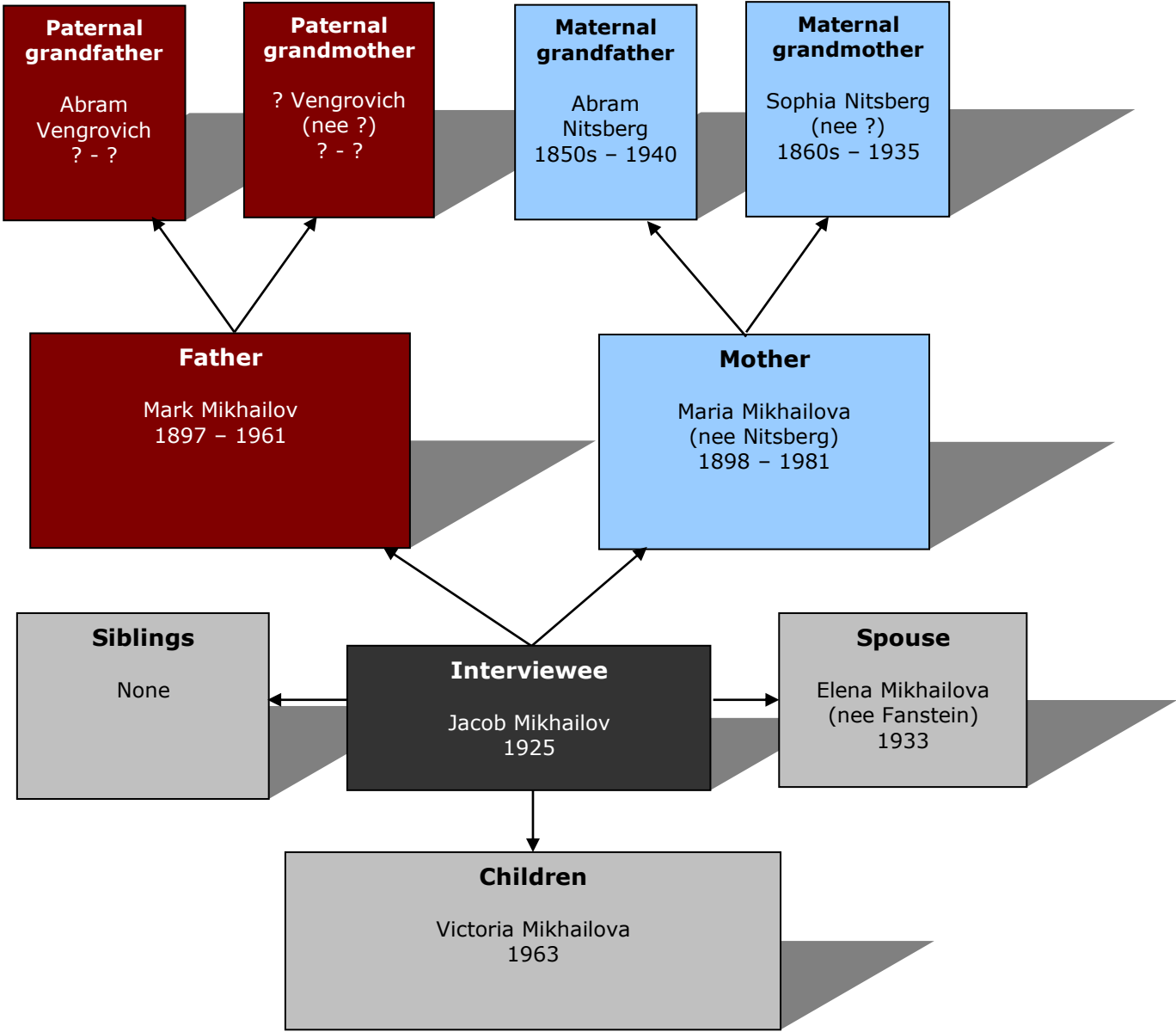


Family Tree



The interviewee and his family

Full name

Jacob Mikhailov

Where and when were you born?

Chernigov, 19th June 1925

Where else did you live?

Izhevsk

Your educational level?

Graduated from instrument-making faculty of Moscow Mechanics Institute (now Engineering Physics Institute) in 1952

What sort of work do/did you do?

Worked as an engineer in the scientific research institute 'Teplopribor'

How religious was your parents' home? How were you raised?

Parents were atheists

What is your mother tongue?

Russian

What other languages do you speak?

German

If you were in an army, tell us which army and the dates

February 1943 – April 1944: military engineering school

April 1944 – May 1945: acting army, front

May 1945 – July 1946: fixed army service, Lvov command

Where were you during the Holocaust?

July 1941 – July 1942: evacuated to Molotov (today Perm, Russia)

July 1942 – February 1943: unoccupied territory in Moscow

February 1943 – May 1945: acting army: Russia, Ukraine, Hungary, Germany

What did you do after the Holocaust?

Lived in Moscow. Graduated from Moscow Mechanics Institute in 1952, worked as an engineer, raised a daughter, then a grandson

Siblings

Their names

None

Spouse

Name?

Elena Mikhailova (nee Fanstein)

Where and when was he/she born?

Noginsk, Moscow oblast, December 1933

Where else did he/she live?

Moscow

Is he/she Jewish?

Yes

What is his/her mother tongue?

Russian

His/her educational level?

Graduated from Moscow engineering and economic institute, production economy faculty in 1954

Occupation?

Engineer at economist in design institute

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).

Valentin Fanstein (Noginsk, 1929 – Moscow, 1994), researcher at scientific and research institute. Wife Anna Fanstein, daughter Marina (born 1959). He is an atheist.

Leonid Fanstein (born in Noginsk, 1939), residing in San Francisco, USA, engineer. Married, daughter Elena (born in 1961) in the first marriage, and two

daughters in the second marriage – Elena, born in 1970 and Alla, born in 1976.
He is an atheist.

Children

Their names?

Victoria Mikhailova

Were they raised Jewish/do they identify themselves as Jews?

Did not have a Jewish upbringing, does not identify herself as a Jew

Where and when were they born?

Moscow, 1963

Where else did they live?

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Their educational level?

Graduated from merchandise department of Moscow State Medical Academy of Veterinary and Bioengineering named after K.I.Skryabin

Their occupations?

Merchandiser in the zoo store

How many grandchildren do you have?

Artyom Bogachyov, born in 1988

Father

His name?

Mark Mikhailov (changed from Vengrovich because of communist ideology in 1917)

Where and when was he born?

Warsaw (today Poland), 1897

Where else did he live?

Kharkov (today Ukraine), Moscow

Where and when did he die?

Moscow, 1961

What sort of education did he have?

Graduated from Kharkov State Economy Institute in 1924

What sort of work did he do?

Worked in the people's committee of the chemical industry in Kharkov, then in Moscow, was transferred to the people's committee of the defense industry and armament, then worked for the ministry of construction of heavy industry enterprises until his retirement.

How religious was he?

Atheist

What was his mother tongue?

Either Polish or Yiddish

Army service: which army and what years?

None

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
Genrich	Warsaw after	No	No information	No information	No information
Vengrovich	1897 - ?	information			

Where was he during the Holocaust?

July 1941 – December 1941: evacuated in Molotov (today Perm, Russia)

December, 1941 – May, 1945: Moscow

If he survived, what did he do after?

Lived in Moscow, worked for the ministry of construction of heavy industry enterprises

Paternal grandfather

Your paternal grandfather's name?

Abram Vengrovich

Where and when was he born?

No information

Where else did he live?

Warsaw (today Poland)

Where and when did he die?

No information

What sort of education did he have?

No information

What sort of work did he do?

Merchant

How religious was he?

No information

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?

? Vengrovich (nee ?)

Where and when was she born?

No information

Where else did she live?

Warsaw (today Poland)

Where and when did she die?

No information

What sort of education did she have?

No information

What sort of work did she do?

Housewife

How religious was she?

No information

What was her mother tongue?

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 she during the Holocaust?

Died before

Mother

Her name?

Maria Mikhailova (nee Nitsberg) (Jewish name: Mariam)

Where and when was she born?

Chernigov (today Ukraine), 1899

Where else did she live?

Kharkov (today Ukraine), Moscow

Where and when did she die?

Moscow, 1981

What sort of education did she have?

Finished 8 grades in lyceum, then 2 courses at Kharkov Medical Institute

What sort of work did she do?

Worked in the planning department of the ministry of foreign trade as an economist

How religious was she?

Atheist

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
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Noy Nitsberg	Chernigov (today Ukraine), 1879 – Moscow, 1949	Pharmacist	? Nitsberg (nee ?) ? – Chernigov, 1930s Jewish	Daughter, name unknown Chernigov, 1910s – Moscow, 1970s	Noy marked major Jewish holidays at home
? Nitsberg	Chernigov, after 1879 – USA ?	Artist	? Nitsberg (nee ?) ? - ?	2 children	No information
Jacob Nitsberg	Chernigov, after 1879 – Chernigov, 1919	Military commissar of Chernigov	None	None	Atheist
Solomon Nitsberg	Chernigov, after 1879 – Chernigov, 1935	State officer	Basya Nitsberg (nee ?) ? – Chernigov, 1950s Jewish	3 daughters	Atheist
Naum Nitsberg	Chernigov, after 1879 – Chernigov, 1970s	Officer	? Nitsberg (nee ?) ? - ? Jewish	2 daughters and a son	Atheist
Mikhail Nitsberg	Chernigov, after 1899 – perished in partisan squad in 1943	Worked in NKVD, then for a construction company	Galina Nitsberg (nee ?) ? – Leningrad, 1980s Jewish	Daughter and son who live in Leningrad	Atheist
Revekka Lev (nee Nitsberg)	Chernigov, 1906 – Kharkov (today Ukraine), 1976	Housewife	Pavel Lev ? – Kharkov, 1980s Jew	daughter, name unknown 1920s – 1940	Atheist

Where was she during the Holocaust?

July, 1941 – July, 1942: evacuated to Molotov (today Perm, Russia)

Since July 1942: unoccupied territory, Moscow

If she survived, what did she do after?

Lived in Moscow, worked for the Ministry of Foreign Trade until her retirement

Maternal grandfather

Your maternal grandfather's name?

Abram Nitsberg

Where and when was he born?

Chernigov (today Ukraine), 1850s

Where else did he live?

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Where and when did he die?

Chernigov, 1940

What sort of education did he have?

No information

What sort of work did he do?

Worked in fisherman association (selling fish)

How religious was he?

No information

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
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No information

Where was he during the Holocaust?

Died before

Maternal grandmother

Your maternal grandmother's name?

Sophia Nitsberg (nee ?) (Jewish name: Sarah)

Where and when was she born?

Chernigov (today Ukraine), 1860s

Where else did she live?

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Where and when did she die?

Chernigov, 1935

What sort of education did she have?

No information

What sort of work did she do?

Housewife

How religious was she?

No information

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