

Selma Emanuel, née Landauer
Deported to Riga in 1941.

Selma was born in Horb on September 25th 1891. Her parents were Blandine Haas from Kandel in the Palatinate and Louis Landauer from Rexingen who was a trader in Horb. She had nine sisters six of whom died in infancy. In 1914 she married Theodor Emanuel, a merchant from Gmünden in Westphalia. The marriage took place in Horb. Their son Erich was born in 1918. Theodor Emanuel was a lance corporal in World War I and was twice decorated. From 1919 on he had a tobacco shop in Horb and worked at times in real estate. He died in 1936 in Horb and is buried there.

Selma Emanuel lived in 39 Neckarstrasse in Horb in Siegfried Stern's house. On June 27th 1941, she was forced to move to Rexingen. Up to the time of her deportation to Riga in 1941, she lived there with the Neckarsulmer family in 7 Bergstrasse. Her son Erich managed to flee to Palestine and in 1999, at the age of 81, he handed over the data of his mother's life to the archives in Yad Vashem.



The house of the Neckarsulmer family in 7 Bergstrasse where Selma Emanuel spent her last months before deportation.