

FAMILY SHEET SIGMUND LEVITE (2) OF MOENCHSROTH AND NOERDLINGEN

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VERSION 02

SIGMUND LEVITE (2)
merchant in Moenchsroth
born in Moenchsroth, died ca 1890-1910 in Moenchsroth ?
(father = master cloth maker Elkan Levite, born 1821 ?) (A)

married 18 Oct 1887 in Crailsheim

CLOTHILDE LOEWENSTEIN (B)
born 14 Jul 1865 Laudенbach (near Mergentheim), died 25 Jul 1934 Munich
(parents = cattle dealer Abraham Loewenstein + wife Mina nee ?)

CHILDREN (both born in Moenchsroth):

(01) FRIEDRICH (C) 20 Sep 1888 - 19 Jan 1963 (died in Noerdlingen)
married Selma Benedikt
(15 Mar 1905 Baisingen - 9 Apr 1971 Ulm)
parents = Hirsch Benedikt + second wife Jette
nee Froehlich in Baisingen near Horb
(south of Stuttgart)

(02) ELKAN (later Eugen) 27 Jun 1890 - ? (he married in Tel Aviv)
(his nickname in Noerdlingen was "Eller")

(B) Clothilde moved 1910 from Moenchsroth to Noerdlingen and lived with her son Friedrich's family at 25 Augsburger Strasse. She died in Munich, but was buried in Noerdlingen

(C) Friedrich was born as David ben Nathanael Halevi according to his hebrew grave inscription, he settled in Noerdlingen around 1910 and started a flourishing rag sorting business. He left Noerdlingen in 1938 for Tel Aviv, where he married in 1939 Selma nee Benedikt, who had already worked for him as a servant in Noerdlingen. The couple had two sons = Harry (born 1941 Tel Aviv) and Samuel (24 Mar 1940 Tel Aviv - 17 Sep 1986 Noerdlingen). After World War II the family returned to Noerdlingen in 1951 and continued their rag business. When Friedrich and Selma had died, their son Harry returned to Israel, where he was born. His brother Samuel stayed in Germany and was taken care by a church institution, as he had been mentally handicapped since birth. The graves of Friedrich, Selma and Samuel Levite still exist at the Jewish Cemetery in Noerdlingen.

(A) A widower, drapery dealer Elkan Levite of Moenchsroth (son of Sandel Levite + wife Reichel), married on 7 Mar 1876 in Noerdlingen Bertha Schwarz of Schnaittach (daughter of Joseph Schwarz + wife Fany).