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# Time of Truth Ruta Vanagaite

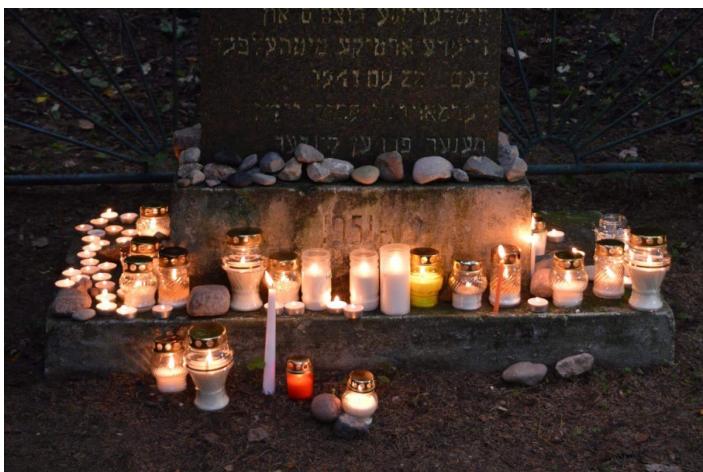


## TEAM FUNDRAISER

Elena Green and 2 others are  
organizing this fundraiser.

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The Time of Truth

Ruta Vanagaite, author of the book that shook Lithuania - "Our People" is continuing the fight to tell the truth about the Holocaust in her country.  
This time she teamed up with a world-famous

THIS TIME SHE LEARNED UP WITH A WORLDS-FAMOUS

Holocaust historian Dr Christoph Dieckmann. A 300 page book under the title "... And Their Local Helpers" is almost ready. Yet, due to its' content it is unlikely that it will see the light of day in Lithuania. We need your help to raise funds in order to get this unprecedented work independently published.

Amount to be raised: 35 000 Australian dollars - 22.400 Euros

- > Costs of publication:
- > Honorarium for Dr Christoph Dieckmann 10

000 euro

> Honorarium for the editor of the English edition  
2 000 euro

> Honorarium for the Lithuanian translator 3 000 euro

> Honorarium for the Lithuanian editor 2 000

> Layout of the book 300 pages 900

> Cover Designer 500

> Publications costs 1000 copies x 4 euros a book total 4000

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- 900 euro

> Cover Designer  
- 500 euro

> Publications costs 1000 copies x 4 euros a book total  
- 4000 euro

Total 22 400 euro (approx \$35,000 AUD)

**\$20,525** raised of  
\$35,000 goal

**189** donors  
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Rosenblum  
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Lina Rotenberg  
\$25 • 10 mos

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Since we started campaign in Australia, money cannot be withdrawn overseas. Hence our plan is, Elena Green (myself) will withdraw money monthly to my private account in Australia and then perform bank transfer to Ruta overseas, with first withdrawal going directly to Dr. Christoph Dieckmann. Both bank accounts for Dr. Christoph (German bank account) and Ruta Vanagaite (Israel bank account) have been supplied to Elena Green.

## Updates (2)

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- **MAY 4, 2019** by Elena Green, Organizer

Dear friends,

Thanks to your support the new book on the Holocaust in Lithuania is practically ready.

The title is HOW DID IT HAPPEN? ("Our People, part II. Understanding Holocaust in Lithuania). The book is over 300 pages.

Here are some of the comments of the people who read a few chapters of the book: "It is powerful and almost surgically precise", "Eye opening".

It is all not because of me but because of the incredible knowledge and insights of my co-author Dr. Christoph Dieckmann.

Thank you all. If anyone wants to read some chapter please write to me vanagaite.r@gmail.com and I will send to you the material.

The funds we have managed to raise since

last October enabled us to cover the fee of Dr. Dieckmann as well as the costs of two one week sessions (one person, travel and hotel) for our meetings working on the manuscript. We are still lacking some funds for the professional translation of the book into Lithuanian. I hope we will be

able to gather the funds needed in the future.

With a lot of respect and gratitude

Rūta Vanagaitė

● **NOVEMBER 4, 2018** by Elena Green, Organizer

Antisemitism is a disease. Disease of the mind, in its mild form, it produces irrational dislike and in severe form, it can lead to genocide.

Prevention is the best form of treatment for any disease. Education, acknowledgement, awareness are all preventative measures. Be part of the cure. Help educational, deeply researched book about the Holocaust get published in Lithuania.

Lithuania is a special case, being one the few countries in Europe during WW2, to execute the Final Solution ahead of it becoming an official directive. And yet, the number of Litvaks who helped Jews escape was marginally higher than the number of those who participated in the Holocaust. What happened? And what can be done today? These and related subjects will be covered in the new book.

With great pleasure, we would like to introduce Dr. Christoph Dieckmann, the co-author of the book about Holocaust in Lithuania, to be published in 2019.

Thank you to so many contributors, please help us share and spread the word.

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## Fundraising team (3)



Elena Green

Organizer

Raised \$556 from 13 donations

Coogee, NSW

[Contact](#)

Ruta

Vanagaite

Team member

Raised \$11,704

from 86

donations



Slava Prakhiy

Team member

This team raised \$8,265 from 98 other donations.

## Comments



Maya&Moshe Rosenblum donated  
**\$100**

Mes žavimės Jūsų drąsa ir ryžtu  
atskleidžiant istorinę tiesą

5 mos



Vladimir Davidson donated **\$100**

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I donated because I think Rūta is doing a very useful job for Lithuanian and Jewish people as well. Thank you, Rūta, for your courage!

13 mos

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Michael Shafir donated **\$100**

Ruta doing a heroic work and disclosure the true history.

13 mos

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Andrea Lurie donated **\$18**

I donated because my father's family came from Lithuania. I don't know how many distant relatives perished there in the Holocaust.

13 mos

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Yuliya Gafanovich donated **\$100**

I deeply care about Ruta Vanagaite work chronicling Holocaust.

15 mos

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Avigdor Segal donated **\$280**

Rūta Vanagaitė, thank you for doing the right thing despite all the pressure around you.

16 mos

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Irina Baevsky donated **\$40**

I am grateful to Rute for revealing the truth to the world

16 mos

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Rina Krasney donated **\$18**

I donated because I heard you speak in St.

Louis and am terribly impressed with your life and goals and determination and current project.

16 mos

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Ruta Vanagaite commented

The book is almost finished. 40 talks with Dr. Dieckmann ...sometimes very painful. I learned so much

16 mos

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Adina Cimet donated **\$800**

This is important historical materials. We thank you for your contribution to our knowledge. Best of luck.

16 mos

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Saadia Bahat donated **\$75**

After reading "Musiskiai" and meeting Ruta Vanagaite I believe in the importance of her books and in her ability to research and write them as perfectly as possible! Wishing Ruta success and admiring her.

16 mos

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Hana Klein donated **\$100**



My Grandparents, three aunts, 2 cousins, great aunt, second cousin and more, were slaughtered by lituaniens who assisted the Natzies. In Zagare, 2nd october 1941. one day after Yom Kippur. They were taken to the forest and had to dig their own...

[Read more](#)

16 mos

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Jakov Katz donated **\$200**

I am a juw

16 mos

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Mark Trakhtenbrot donated **\$120**

Ruta is an outstanding person, and I salute to her work on this important book.

16 mos

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Emanuel Diamant donated **\$150**

Donation from me and Raisa Kolpakchi

16 mos

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Olga&Michael Goldin donated **\$150**

Спасибо, спасибо и еще раз спасибо.

16 mos

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Ilya Novikov donated **\$200**

I try to support the heroic work of Ruta Vanagaite on disclosure the true history.

16 mos



zina Dolgov donated **\$300**

ЭТА КНИГА ДОЛЖНА УВИДЕТЬ  
СВЕТ!!!

16 mos



irina gimpelevich donated **\$40**

good luck

17 mos



Ruta Vanagaite commented

I am so grateful to people ho contributed.

The book will be ready in a few months.

Огромное спасибо тем кто  
подсоединились. Книга будет  
завершена через пару месяцев!

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