

Dear **Mr. Lilienheim**,

Mr. Lilienheim you came and told your amazing story to my class at 7th period. I loved your story. Most of the other speakers that we have that speak about the Holocaust talk about the grisly, and more disgusting things about it. You however gave us a real story, that we can use. You told us about friendship, and that was what life was about. When Mrs. Levi read your book, about your neat dream, I went through all the things you said you went through. For example you said that you wanted the money, but then you said no, and then the health and so forth. When you decided on the friendship ring, I totally agree with you. Friendship is the only thing that keeps most people going. I thought that morals you taught were very good morals. I was really most impressed that you kept up your good humor while you were in the camp. When we watch movies and hear stories about the Holocaust it always shows the people lose their hope and faith, you stayed strong though. Even though everyone seems to think the soldiers that liberated you were the heroes, I disagree, it was people like you that were the heroes. If it were at all possible, I wish that we could have been friends. I would like to be friends with some that is so brave, courageous, intrepid, and good humored, through the worst times in their life. So, I think that if it weren't for people like you, Mr. Lilienheim, we would have lost a lot more than 6 million Jews, we probably would have lost all of them.