Stumbling Block of Social Housing Stalls O’Devaney Gardens

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When the author Thomas Harding visited his exiled Jewish grandmother's lake house near Berlin, not long after reunification, it was the start of a journey through his family's history and it tangled with modern Germany.

At 1990’s, my 80 years old grandmother to the lake house, she asked my story about the house, and I decided to introduce it as to the city of her childhood. She showed me the site of the family’s mausoleum, which has been burnt by the Nazis. She showed me the house, and I understood it as the original home of the family. I saw the house, and I understood it as the original home of the family.

As we left, Elsie told us that this was the “world of life.” She said that someone was still enjoying the property, and that the condition of the house was still intact. We saw the second floor, and I was impressed with the craftsmanship. As we walked through the house, I noticed a banner on the wall. It was a banner from the 1920s, and it was a banner from the family.

At the local government office, I had to clean up the run-down house. Along with 60 members of my family flew to Berlin for the Big Clean-up Day. Along with 60 volunteers of Groß Glienicke, we cleared the trash from the house. Filling a 26-foot container. At the day’s end, we had a barbecue at the lake house.

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