

On Hitler's Mountain by Irmgard Hunt
Writing assignment

After reading the memoir, write an essay (500-700) for **one** of the following prompts.

Your essay is due to turnitin.com **before** Sunday April 6th.

Make sure you have the book read before you return from Spring break and that you bring the book with you as you will have an **open book test** over the book on April 3rd.

1. Which incident, episode, or event described by Hunt struck you as particularly significant in terms of its impact on young Irmgard or her family? In an essay, summarize the incident, episode, or event, describe its impact, and explain why you consider it to be of particular importance.
2. In an essay, compare and contrast the key events and components of your childhood with those of Irmgard Hunt.
3. Select a person in your life who has exhibited an “equanimity and undiminished sense of self” (p. 163) similar to those displayed by Hunt’s Pöhlmann grandfather, and write an essay explaining the importance of those characteristics and the effects on yourself and others.