

Through the Red Gate



Mennonite Historical Society of Alberta

Spring Seminar

Letters from Stalin's Gulag

Ruth Derksen Siemens

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Letters from Stalin's Gulag (1930-37)
Volume One: *The Regehr Family*



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MHSA AGM & Spring Seminar

Saturday, May 31

Registration & Coffee:	9:00 a.m.
Annual General Meeting:	10:00 a.m.
Lunch:	Noon (\$12)
Letters from Stalin's Gulag:	1:15 p.m.
Location:	First Mennonite Church, 3650-91 Street NW, Edmonton, AB
Map:	www.edmonton1st.mennonitechurch.ab.ca

After a short business meeting and lunch, Ruth Derksen Siemens will help us understand what life was like during Stalin's Gulag (1930-1937).

Writing letters to the West during that time was a crime in itself, yet 463 letters written from the prisons of the Gulag and from home villages arrived in a tiny town in the Canadian prairies.

There will be opportunity to purchase *Remember Us* (book) and *Through the Red Gate* (DVD), and contribute to the ongoing work of the MHSA.