

Suggested Unit Sequence for Le Chambon-sur-Lignon (French classes, interdisciplinary units, young children)*

I. Ages 12 through adult

- A: Show the 40-min. documentary *Weapons of the Spirit/Les Armes de l'esprit* by Pierre Sauvage. Choose options of English version or French version (English subtitles appear only when the interviewees speak French).
- B. Review the documentary by chapters, for discussion in French or English. Request the Chapter list. Use the pedagogical materials on the DVD.

II. Advanced French: Read *Magda et André Trocmé, Figures de résistances*, or use the key to excerpts for reading and discussion of authentic documents.

III. Intermediate & Advanced French: Read *Jamais je n'aurai quatorze ans* and use the suggested questions in French for discussion. And/or read *Paroles de Réfugiés, Paroles de Justes* by historians Annik Flaud & Gérard Bollon, published in France in 2009, with a preface by Simone Veil.

IV. Beginning and intermediate French, and interdisciplinary:

Students read *I'll Never Be Fourteen Years Old*, preferably outside of class, and use the suggested questions in French (French students) or the suggested questions in English in the back of the book (English, Social Studies and History students).

V. Activities in art, poetry and music at teacher's discretion and as time permits.

e.g., "Les Chansons sous l'Occupation" (Disque compact, 19 chansons y compris *Maréchal nous voilà* et *Le Chant des Partisans*), with the 52-page illustrated complement in English, *Complement to the Compact Disc Les Chansons sous l'Occupation*.

VI. Ages 5-99: *Angels and Donkeys* by André Trocmé. For parents and grandparents to read to young children, for older children to read for themselves, for Sunday School teachers—to hold conversations and explore moral questions through allegorical stories (speaking animals), and parable- like stories told with the greatest imagination. Some stories have a definitely religious overtone.

And/or *Shoes for Amélie* by Connie Colker Steiner.

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Additional materials are listed in the Reference section of
I'll Never Be Fourteen Years Old.

* Supporting materials can be requested and are complimentary with purchase.