

**GOTLIB** Mordka Nechemia (1876–1919) ritual slaughterer (*shochet* and inspector), victim of anti-Jewish riot. On the maternal side of his family, he was a descendant of the *Tzadik* Dawid of Lelów. He was the son of Dawid Gotlib and Gitla née Kaufman. He was born on 27th June 1876 in Częstochowa. He worked as a butcher in the poultry slaughterhouse, located in the yard of the Old Synagogue. He lived at [I] Aleja 2.

During the anti-Jewish riot on 27th May 1919 in Częstochowa, he was beaten in the yard at the synagogue. He was taken to the hospital in Zawodzie, where he died the next day. He was buried in the collective grave of five victims of the riot (Grave No. 2469–2471 II).

His wife was Bajla Rachela née Fajerman, the daughter of Juda Lejb and Fajgla née Brener (born 24<sup>th</sup> January 1871 Będzin). They had six children. Their son was Mosze Elchanan Gotlib (1901-1930).

*Czenstochower Yidn*, p. 176; Orenstein, *Churban*, pp. 352, 353.

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