

01/03/2017 - Interview 2 - Pauline Woolf

01:40 Degree of orthodoxy.

02:45 Integration of Jewish community with the rest of Sheffield. Interfaith functions.

04:35 The community during childhood.

05:38 Hillel House. Teenage meeting place.

06:30 Desire to meet new people within the Jewish community.

07:50 Church school. Slight feeling of difference from the other children.

10:10 Less mixing of faiths during childhood.

10:50 Religious events. Festivals. "Fancy dress".

12:20 Extent to which religious observance has changed over time. Centrality of tradition in Judaism.

14:00 Importance of family.

15:38 Orthodoxy during childhood. "Marrying out" of the religion frowned upon.

20:00 Family resentment about father not being Jewish.

22:00 Mixed marriages were once "something quite awful".

22:45 Immigration.

23:40 Grandfather came from Russia. Some went to Hull, some to Sheffield.

24:40 People helping Jewish immigrants.

25:35 Impact of WW2.

27:00 Evacuation of pregnant women from Sheffield during War. Mother went to Eaton Hall.

28:00 Different Jewish communities in the U.K. "Size advantages". Benefits of close-knit community in Sheffield. Inter-functions with other towns.

32:00 Leeds community. Laylands. North street. Chapel Town. People following one another. Natural movement.

34:00 Golder's Green.

35:00 Youngest sister has lived in Israel for 37 years. Reasons for moving. Aliya.

37:45 Global perception of Judaism. Anti-Semitism. Collective security committee.

41:20 Divisions within the Jewish community.

44:15 One restaurant where people went regularly.

46:20 Kosher butchers. Silver's butchers, Ecclesall road. Kosher grocery shops: Annie Davidson's, Burner's near Hunters Bar, Gottlieb sisters.

52:00 Synagogues.