

All the citizens and Authorities  
are invited to participate in the

## Performative parade: *maximal absence/guilty silence/silent apology*

Thessaloniki was liberated from the Nazis on October 30, 1944, with a maximal absence of almost fifty thousand Thessalonian Jews.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 3, 11:30 a.m. AT ELEFThERIAS SQUARE (I. Dragoumi - Nikis Avenue),



The site of Eleftherias Square (a foreshadowing of the Holocaust) **as the beginning**, Agias Sofias Square (the liberation of Thessaloniki in the absence of our Jewish fellow citizens who were killed in the Holocaust) **as the middle**, and the AUTH Campus (Jewish Cemetery) **as the end**, and the parade between them form the plot of a narrative course as a trauma and, therefore, as a drama of the city of Thessaloniki. The performative parade *maximal absence/guilty silence/silent apology* constitutes a contingent living poetic structure of this kind of drama.

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Reading of Giorgos Ioannou text: Dimitris Naziris  
Recitation of Raquel Angel-Nagler, Jorge Luis Borges,  
Manolis Anagnostakis, and Markos Meskos poems:  
Christina Sotiriadou, Christos Papadopoulos  
Song: Savina Yannatou  
Concept, performative text and procedure: Filippos Oraiopoulos