

Sir Nicholas Winton



Sir Nicholas Winton was a true hero.

Born on the 19th of May 1909 the man above deserves way more credit than he got. In the 1930's a British stockbroker (I have no idea what one of them is) used his vacation time to visit Prague in Czechoslovakia and he saw something was wrong and used a new British law to save the lives of 669 mostly Jewish children from the holocaust.

He set up trade and transport routes to evacuate the children. Not only was this a risky and heroic thing to do, he told no one as he believed that he was doing what I hope any decent human being would do in that situation. When his wife found documents of what he had done he was given medals and even a knighthood. But to his death, on the 01 of July in 2015, he still believed that he only did the right thing and does not deserve all the honours he was getting. He has a quote that reads "I only did the right thing. I don't need or deserve the Victoria Cross, only the men who gave their lives deserve this."

RIP

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