

Historical Investigation Resource Sheet

DIRECTIONS: As you analyze the primary source documents in your packet, complete the organizer below.

COMPELLING QUESTION: What was the legacy of Jan Karski's life?

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