

Basic Detail Report

Edda Ciano attends a funeral

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Edda Mussolini (1 September 1910 – 9 April 1995) was the eldest child of Benito Mussolini, Italy's fascist dictator from 1922 to 1943. Upon her marriage to fascist propagandist and foreign minister Galeazzo Ciano she became Edda Ciano, Countess of Cortellazzo and Buccari. Her husband was executed in January 1944 for dissenting from Mussolini's rule. She strongly denied her involvement in the National Fascist Party regime and had an affair with a Communist after her father's execution by the Italian partisans in April 1945.

Dimensions

Overall: 30.8 x 24.3 cm (12 1/8 x 9 4/8 in.)