



## Guide to the Dwight (D. A.) Anthony Downey oral history interview

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## Summary Information

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## Scope and Contents Note

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in. Downey recalls moving to Las Vegas, Nevada in 1977, being involved in the entertainment industry, and his employment with the University of Nevada, Las Vegas in the food service industry. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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- Entertainment
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas