

Guide to the Marianne Carpenter oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Abstract: Oral history interview with Marianne Carpenter conducted by

Jim Campbell on March 02, 1977 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. Carpenter recalls the crash of Carole Lombard's plane, the early above ground atomic tests, pollution, and other social and environmental occurrences that have taken place in Las Vegas, Nevada. Carpenter also discusses the Helldorado Parade, the Downtown area, and the Mesquite Club. Lastly, she offers an overview of her experience working for Nellis Air Force Base and her job at the Environmental Protection

Agency (EPA).

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of her experience working for Nellis Air Force Base and her job at the Enviornmental Protection Agency (EPA). Digital audio and transcript available.

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Environmentalism

- Las Vegas (Nev.)Helldorado Parade (Las Vegas, Nev.)Nellis Air Force Base (Nev.)