



Guide to the Teresa Jones Denning oral history interview

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Creator:	Denning, Teresa Jones, 1912-2006
Contributor:	Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas
Title:	Teresa Jones Denning oral history interview
ID:	OH-00419
Date:	1977 February 26
Physical Description:	3 Digital Files (0.0673 GB) MP3, PDF/A
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	Oral history interview with Teresa Jones Denning conducted by Lynn Ballard on February 26, 1977 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. Denning first discusses living on a farm and her education in Overton, Nevada. Denning also talks about the construction of Hoover (Boulder) Dam while living there, her work as a bus driver for Las Vegas High School and the changes in Boulder City, Nevada over time.

Preferred Citation Note

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Scope and Contents Note

Oral history interview with Teresa Jones Denning conducted by Lynn Ballard on February 26, 1977 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. Denning first discusses living on a farm and her education in Overton, Nevada. Denning also talks about her recreational pastimes, the construction of Hoover (Boulder) Dam, and her life in Boulder City, Nevada. Denning then talks about her work as a bus driver for Las Vegas High School, her husband's work on the Hoover Dam, and the changes in living conditions that she has noticed in Boulder City over time. Digital audio and transcript available.

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Acquisition Note

University of Nevada, Las Vegas History Professor Ralph Roske donated materials for this oral history project to UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in the 1980s.

Processing Note

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Dam construction -- Nevada -- Boulder City -- 1930-1940
- Atomic bomb -- Testing

- Entertainment -- Nevada -- Las Vegas -- History