



Guide to the Darwin Gidel oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Creator:	Gidel, Darwin, 1924-
Contributor:	Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project
Title:	Darwin Gidel oral history interview
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Physical Description:	3 Digital Files (0.198 GB) MP3, PDF
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	Oral history interview with Darwin Gidel conducted by Claytee D. White on October 21, 2009 for the Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project. Gidel discusses being a flight engineer in the Air Force during World War II. He describes when he was shot down over Belgium in 1944 and was held as prisoner of war in Belgium and Germany for eleven months. He also discusses being an accountant.

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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

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2017. Nia Banks wrote the collection description. Access copies were created for born-digital audio and/or transcript files.

Bound Transcript Availability

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- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- World War, 1939-1945
- Engineers
- Accounting -- United States