

# Guide to the Joan Johnson oral history interview

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# **Summary Information**

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**Creator:** Johnson, Joan, 1911-

**Contributor:** Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas

**Title:** Joan Johnson oral history interview

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**Description:** 

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**Material:** 

**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Joan Johnson conducted by Kim

Geary on March 25, 1978 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. Johnson discusses her personal history and her reasons for originally moving to Las Vegas, Nevada. Johnson recalls early Las Vegas entertainment, as well as the

development of businesses and their unions.

## **Preferred Citation**

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## **Scope and Contents Note**

Oral history interview with Joan Johnson conducted by Kim Geary on March 25, 1978 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. Johnson discusses her personal history and her reasons for originally moving to Las Vegas, Nevada. Johnson recalls early Las Vegas entertainment, as well as the development of businesses and their unions. Digital audio and transcript available.

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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.)
- Entertainment -- Nevada -- Las Vegas
- Labor union locals -- Nevada