

Guide to the Kenny Kerr oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Abstract: Oral history interview with Kenny Kerr conducted by Dennis

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the other aspects of his career in drag performance.

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Scope and Contents Note

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Acquisition Note

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Processing Note

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2017 and 2018. Miguel Dominguez wrote the collection description. The audio cassette(s) for this interview have been reformatted by an external vendor into a digital format. MP3 files of the audio are available for research use.

Bound Transcript Availability

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Gay community
- Entertainers

• Female impersonators