



Guide to the Phyllis Silvestri oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Scope and Contents Note

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discusses how her children were discriminated against in the neighborhood when going outside to play because they are Italian. Digital audio and transcript available.

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- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Homemakers

- John S. Park Neighborhood (Las Vegas, Nev.)
- Discrimination