



## Guide to the Wendy M. Starkweather oral history interview

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
<b>Creator:</b>	Starkweather, Wendy M., 1949-
<b>Contributor:</b>	Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project
<b>Title:</b>	Wendy M. Starkweather oral history interview
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<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English
<b>Abstract:</b>	Oral history interview with Wendy Starkweather conducted by Claytee White on June 16, 2010 and June 22, 2010 for the Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project. Starkweather discusses moving to Las Vegas, Nevada in 1978 when her husband Peter L. Starkweather accepted a teaching position in the biology department at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV). She also discusses working in several types of libraries in Las Vegas before being offered the head of reference position at the UNLV library in 1985. She talks about her experiences working under six deans and retiring in 2010.

### Preferred Citation Note

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## Scope and Contents Note

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teaching position in the biology department at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV). She also discusses working in several types of libraries in Las Vegas before being offered the head of reference position at the UNLV library in 1985. She talks about her experiences working under six deans and retiring in 2010. Digital audio, transcript, and photograph available.

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