



## Guide to the Kenny Epstein oral history interview

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## Summary Information

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## Scope and Contents Note

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Oral history interview with Kenny Epstein conducted by Barbara Tabach on May 01, 2015 for the Southern Nevada Jewish Heritage Project. Epstein discusses arriving in Las Vegas, Nevada as a teenager, working in casinos as a dealer, and owning the El Cortez Hotel and Casino. Digital audio and transcript available.

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## Names and Subjects

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- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Jewish businesspeople
- Executives
- Casinos
- El Cortez Hotel & Casino (Las Vegas, Nev.)
- Caesars Palace Las Vegas Hotel and Casino