

# Guide to the Vincent Merialdo oral history interview

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## **Summary Information**

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**Abstract:** Oral history interview with Vincent Merialdo conducted by Louis

Kalish on January 26, 1972 for the Ralph Roske Oral History Project on Early Las Vegas. Merialdo discusses being a part of the legalization of gambling in Las Vegas, Nevada. Merialdo also talks about the growth of gambling and how it was good for the economy at the time. He later shares what the Las Vegas Strip was like before it became what it was at the time of the

interview.

#### **Preferred Citation**

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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**

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2019. Miguel Dominguez wrote the collection description. The audio has been minimally reviewed and all readily available information has been included in the description.

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