



Guide to the Valerie Johnson oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Abstract:	Oral history interview with Valerie Johnson conducted by Aleta Baldwin on April 3, 2005 for the UNLV Women's Studies Veteran Oral History Project. In this interview Valerie Johnson discusses her career as a trumpet player in the United States Air Force Women's band. Johnson talks about her experiences as a musician, her travels in the military, and the discrimination she and her fellow musicians faced from male military musicians.

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Scope and Contents Note

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Acquisition Note

In 2005, UNLV Women's Studies Professor Carol Mason donated the interviews conducted by students in the program. The interviews were conducted as part of a project funded by the Nevada Humanities and organized by the Women's Studies Department.

Processing Note

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

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Women musicians
- Military life