



Guide to the Ray Trousdale oral history interviews

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Summary Information

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Abstract:	Oral history interviews with Ray Trousdale conducted by Chuck Williams on December 14, 2012 and July 31, 2013 for the Friends of Red Rock Canyon in Nevada Oral History Project. Trousdale begins the interview talking about his family and early life. He moved to Las Vegas, Nevada in 1940 and describes Las Vegas during the 1940s. Then, Trousdale speaks about meeting Buster Wilson and what he learned from him. He describes his time at Spring Mountain, Nevada and the history of the area. Lastly, he speaks about the Carole Lombard plane crash site.

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Scope and Contents Note

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Wilson and what he learned from him. He describes his time at Spring Mountain, Nevada and the history of the area. Lastly, he speaks about the Carole Lombard plane crash site. Digital audio and transcript available.

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Acquisition Note

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Processing Note

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Names and Subjects

- Oral histories (document genres)
- Ranch life
- Spring Mountain Ranch State Park (Nev.)
- Families
- Las Vegas (Nev.)