



## Guide to the Marge Jacques 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>	Jacques, Marge (Marguerite)
<b>Contributor:</b>	Las Vegas Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Archives Oral History Project
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<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English
<b>Abstract:</b>	Oral history interview with Marge Jacques conducted by Dennis McBride on May 26 and 28, 1998 for the Las Vegas Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Archives Oral History Project. In this interview, Jacques discusses her involvement in the LGBTQ community in Las Vegas, Nevada, and running the Le Cafe bar. She later discusses her friendship with the former Governor of Nevada Grant Sawyer. She talks about LGBTQ supporting policies that Sawyer contributed in, and his involvement with the progress of LGBTQ civil rights in Nevada. Lastly, Jacques describes Grant's social obligations during his time in office. Partial digital audio available; full digital transcript available.

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## Scope and Contents Note

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### Acquisition Note

This interview was conducted by Dennis McBride. Materials from this oral history project were donated to UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives on an ongoing basis ending in 2016.

### Processing Note

Interview materials were processed by UNLV Libraries Special Collections and Archives in 2017. Miguel Dominguez 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

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- Oral histories (document genres)
- Las Vegas (Nev.)
- Politicians