



Guide to the Mara Braun oral history interview

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Summary Information

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Vegas, Nevada in 1975. Later, Braun discusses how she got started in catering and opening her catering business, Le Royal Dreams. Lastly, Braun talks about her diverse clientele. Digital audio and transcript available. Digital photographs available.

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- Las Vegas (Nev.)

- Latinxs
- Puerto Ricans
- Catering and hospitality
- Jewish women