

Lenore Miller Oral History Collection

2006-2011

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Title: Lenore Miller Oral History Collection

Creator: Lenore Miller

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Abstract: This collection of oral history interviews with Jewish war veterans was conducted by community activist Lenore Miller between 2007 and 2011. The first series of interviews, in 2007 and 2008, was a joint project between the Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A. and the Jewish Historical Society of Staten Island that resulted in the DVD entitled *Jewish Veterans Speak* (2008). With the assistance of WQXR radio veteran Jeff Spurgeon, Miller recorded interviews with eleven veterans at the Jewish Community Center on Manor Road for the purpose of leaving younger generations some "...insight and understanding of what it was like to be a Jewish serviceman (or woman) in the 20th century." In 2011 Miller recorded additional interviews with several more veterans which are included in this collection. All of the interviews were recorded on Mini-DVs, which have been digitized and burned to DVDs for easy researcher access. The donation included several miscellaneous DVDs and an audio file which deal with the Jewish community on Staten Island.

Administrative Information

Preferred Citation

The Lenore Miller Oral History Collection, Archives & Special Collections,
Department of the Library, College of Staten Island, CUNY, Staten Island, New York.

Acquisition

This collection was donated by Lenore Miller.

Processing Information

Restrictions

Access

Access to this record group is unrestricted.

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Container listing

1. "Jewish Veterans Speak" by the Jewish Historical Society: DVD featuring interviews with Victor Goldmintz, Beatrice Victor, Bert Bleiman, Ernest Buehler, Ira Greinsky, Herbert Gross, Bob Leopold, Martin Poller, Emanuel Saks, Martin Satloff, Ira Wells. Conceived and written by Lenore Miller, 2008.
2. Interview with Joel H. Cohen by Lenore Miller, March 2014: DVD
3. Unedited interviews with Jewish war veterans from original tapes. Interviews by Lenore Miller. DVD featuring Ernest Buehler, Martin Satloff, Victor Goldmintz, Martin Poller, Herbert Gross, Ira Wells, Bert Bleiman, Beatrice Victor.
4. Interview with Allan Teitler, November 13, 2011. Interview by Lenore Miller. DVD.
5. Interviews with Emmanuel Saks, Ira Greinsky, Bob Leopold, February 3, 2008. Interviewed by Lenore Miller. DVD.
6. Interview with Beatrice Victor, July 24, 2011. DVD. (separate interview than the 2008 veterans interview).
7. Interview with Beatrice Victor, July 24, 2011. Audio file.
8. Interview with Ruth Baker, July 17, 2011. Interviewed by Lenore Miller. DVD.

9. Temple Emanuel's Purim Schpiel, Mach 11, 2006 and Temple Israel of Staten Island Purim Schpiel 2006. DVD
10. Staten Island JCC; A New Beginning, 2001. DVD
11. Audio file of unidentified event
12. Original flyer seeking participants in the oral history project and a subsequent instruction sheet for participants detailing how the interview will unfold.
13. Lenore Miller interview notes
14. Bea Victor oral history transcript July 24, 2011