

Guide to the Louise Meehan Collection of Memorabilia

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Creator:	Meehan, Louise
Title:	Louise Meehan Collection of Memorabilia
ID:	MS-00309
Date [inclusive]:	1953-1984
Physical Description:	1.28 Cubic Feet (1 box)
Physical Description:	1.08 Linear Feet
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	The Louise Meehan Collection of Memorabilia contains memorabilia from both the University of Nevada, Las Vegas and various Las Vegas, Nevada hotel and casinos from 1953 to 1984. Materials were collected by Meehan, who was a "change girl" at the Boulder Club.

Preferred Citation

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Scope and Contents Note

The Louise Meehan Collection of Memorabilia contains memorabilia from Las Vegas, Nevada from 1953 to 1984. The collection contains ten ashtrays from multiple Las Vegas, Nevada hotel and casinos. The collection also holds several wine and hi-ball glasses from University of Nevada, Las Vegas events. In addition to these items, the collection has copies of photos from the Boulder Club in Las Vegas, Nevada, during the 1950s.

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Arrangement

Material remains in original order.

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Administrative Information

Access Note

Collection is open for research.

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Acquisition Note

Materials were donated in 1989 by Louise Meehan; accession number 89-93.

Processing Note

Materials were processed by Susan Jarvis in 1985. In 2015, as part of a legacy finding aid conversion project, John Grygo revised and enhanced the collection description to bring it into compliance with current professional standards

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Names and Subjects

- History -- Las Vegas -- Nevada
- Memorabilia

Handling Note

Handle this collection cautiously. The box contains glass.

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Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Containers
Two bottles of champagne, "The New Boulevard Mall" promotion, 1984 August 7	box 01
Ashtray from the Sands Hotel, Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Ashtray from Caesars Palace, Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Ashtray from the Las Vegas Riviera, Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Ashtray from MGM Grand, Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Ashtray from the Golden Nugget, Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Ashtray from Sam's Town, Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Ashtray from the Pink Panther Cocktail Lounge, Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Ashtray from the Four Queens, Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Hi-ball glass from the Mint Las Vegas, Nevada, undated	box 01
Hi-ball glass with various casino names, undated	box 01
Wine glasses from "IFSEA", undated Physical Description: 2 Items	box 01
Wine glasses with a vine design, undated Physical Description: 2 Items	box 01
Wine glasses from Winter Wine Extravaganza, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, undated Physical Description: 2 Items	box 01
Wine glasses from KLVX Channel 10 Festival of Wines, undated Physical Description: 2 Items	box 01
Wine glasses from 11th anniversary, UNLVino, undated Physical Description: 2 Items	box 01
Wine glasses from UNLVino, "Take a Sip For Scholarship" 15th Anniversary, undated Physical Description: 2 Items	box 01
Wine glasses, "Take a Sip For Scholarship", undated Physical Description: 2 Items	box 01
Season's Greetings card from Harry Gordon, undated	box 01
VIP card from Harry Gordon, undated	box 01
Copies of pictures from the Boulder Club, 1953	box 01
Air West Airline plastic cup, undated	box 01
Pacific Airlines plastic cups, undated	box 01

Physical Description: 2 Items	box 01
Bonanza Airlines plastic cup, undated	box 01
Hacienda Hotel plastic cups, undated	box 01
Physical Description: 5 Items	