



Guide to the Richard "Chick" Perkins oral history interview

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Summary Information

Repository:	University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special Collections and Archives.
Creator:	Perkins, Richard F. , 1915-1996
Contributor:	Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project
Title:	Richard "Chick" Perkins oral history interview
ID:	OH-04001
Date:	1974 February 05
Physical Description:	3 Digital Files (0.080 GB) MP3
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	Oral history interview with Richard "Chick" Perkins conducted by an unidentified interviewer on February 5, 1974 for the Boyer Early Las Vegas Oral History Project. In this interview Perkins responds to questions about the history of the city of Las Vegas, Nevada, the Pueblo de Grande archaeological site, and the Lost City, Museum in Overton, Nevada. He provides a detailed response to questions about the indigenous peoples of the southern Nevada area, looking at their customs, culture, and perceptions regarding white settlement in the area.

Preferred Citation

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Scope and Contents Note

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culture, and perceptions regarding white settlement in the area. Digital audio available; no transcript available.

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Names and Subjects

- Lost City Museum
- Overton (Nev.)
- Las Vegas (Nev.) -- History

- Oral histories (document genres)

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