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Collection Overview

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| Repository: | Archives Center, National Museum of American History |
| Title: | Family Car Memory Books |
| Date: | 1997 |
| Identifier: | NMAH.AC.0648 |
| Creator: | White, Roger (Curator of an exhibition) |
| Extent: | 1 Cubic foot (2 boxes) |
| Language: | English . |
| Summary: | Collection of public comments from the exhibition Family |

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Made for the National Museum of American History, 1998.

Processing Information

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Scope and Contents

The books contain reminiscences by visitors about the significance of the family automobile in their lives, comments on the exhibition, and a generous amount of nonsense scrawled by children.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Automobiles -- Exhibitions
Family -- 20th century

Types of Materials:

Visitors' books -- 1990-2000

Container Listing

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| Box 1, Folder 1 | Exhibit script and brochures, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 2 | Memory book cover sheets, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Memory book, A, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 4 | Memory book, B, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 5 | Memory book, C, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Memory book, D, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 7 | Memory book, E, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 8 | Memory book, F, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | Memory book, G, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 10 | Memory book, H, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 11 | Memory book, I-J, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 12 | Memory book, K, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | Memory book, L, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 14 | Memory book, M, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 15 | Memory book, Mc, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 16 | Memory book, N, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 17 | Memory book, O, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 18 | Memory book, P-Q, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 19 | Memory book, R, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 20 | Memory book, S, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 21 | Memory book, T, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 22 | Memory book, U-V, 1997 |

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| Box 1, Folder 23 | Memory book, W, 1997 |
| Box 1, Folder 24 | Memory book, X-Z, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 1 | Memory book, last name (unidentified), 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 2 | Memory book, first name, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 3 | Memory book, first name, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 4 | Memory book, multiple names, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 5 | Memory book, unsigned, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 6 | Memory book, unsigned, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 7 | Memory book, unsigned, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 8 | Memory book, unsigned, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 9 | Memory book, foreign countries, 1997 |
| Box 2, Folder 10 | Memory book, family car bingo game, 1997 |