



Dorothy and Herman Glass Papers (K0936)

Collection Number: K0936

Collection Title: Dorothy and Herman Glass Papers

Dates: 1916-2000s

Creator: Glass, Dorothy

Abstract: The collection consists of photographs, programs, and newsletters from B'nai B'rith and Hadassah along with a high school commencement program, yearbook, and newspaper clippings.

Collection Size: 0.07 cubic foot
(6 folders)

Language: Collection materials are in English.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

Restrictions on Access: Collection is open for research. This collection is available at [The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Kansas City](#). If you would like more information, please contact us at kansascity@shsmo.org. Collections may be viewed at any research center.

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Donor Information: The papers were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Helen Coppaken on January 11, 2011 (Accession No. KA1642).

Notes: Collection is associated with the Jewish Community Archives of Greater Kansas City.

Related Materials: Additional materials related to the *Dorothy and Herman Glass Papers* can be found in the following collections:

Arnold Lester and Helen Glass Coppaken Collection (K0884)

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Historical Note:

Dorothy Joffe was born on June 24, 1904, in Riga, Latvia. As an infant, Dorothy arrived in Kansas City, Missouri, with her family. Dorothy married Herman Glass in 1924 after graduating from the Manual Training High School in 1921. Herman had previously attended and graduated from Jefferson School in 1916. Dorothy was president of both Hadassah and the B'nai B'rith chapters of the greater Kansas City area. Dorothy lived to be 102 years old with her 100th birthday being celebrated in *The Kansas City Jewish Chronicle*.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged alphabetically into the following three series:

Education
Newspaper Clippings
Women's Organizations

Scope and Content Note:

Education

This series contains materials related to the Glass's education. Included in the series are graduation programs from Jefferson School (1916) and a yearbook for the Manual Training High School from 1921.

Newspaper Clippings

This series consists of newspaper clippings concerning past presidents of B'nai B'rith, the Shaarith Israel D'lubavitz Synagogue, the Young Men's Hebrew Association (now the Jewish Community Center), and Dorothy Glass's 100th birthday in 2004.

Women's Organizations

The series contains photographs from B'nai B'rith group events from 1940 to 1958. There are also B'nai B'rith programs from 1943 and 1969 with one flyer having no date. Lastly, there are newsletters from the *Hadassah Highlights* from 1957 and 1960.

Container List:

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Box 001	f. 1	Jefferson High School Commencement Program, 1916
	f. 2	The Nautilus Yearbook, 1921
f. 3		Newspaper Clippings
	f. 3	1976-2004

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- f. 4 B'nai B'rith Group Photographs, 1940-1958
- f. 5 B'nai B'rith Programs, 1943-1969
- f. 6 Hadassah Highlights, 1957, 1960

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