

R *The Cypher*, Newsletters, 1975-1983
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INTRODUCTION

The Cypher newsletters consist of the publications of the Greater St. Louis Chapter of the Organ Historical Society, Inc.

DONOR INFORMATION

Elizabeth Towne Schmitt donated the newsletters to University of Missouri on 14 December 1983 (Accession No. 160).

ORGANIZATIONAL SKETCH

The Organ Historical Society, founded in 1956, is head quartered in Richmond, Virginia. Today, the society has a membership of 2,500. The Society dedicates itself to the celebration of the pipe organ in America. Its activities include scholarship, publication, the preservation of historic American organs, and musical performance. The Greater St. Louis Chapter of the Society is no longer in existence. Its publication, *The Cypher*, began in 1975. The chapter was active in the 1970s and 1980s.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection contains the first 32 newsletters of the Greater St. Louis Chapter of the Organ Historical Society. Additionally, it contains a guide to the organs of St. Louis, created for a field trip hosted by the chapter.

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