# JEWISH WAR VETERANS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, POST 114 COLLECTION, 1993–2002

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## **COLLECTION INFORMATION**

VOLUME OF 1 half sized manuscript box, 1 box color photographs

COLLECTION:

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DATES:

PROVENANCE: Morton Koor, Indianapolis, IN, 2008

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ALTERNATE FORMATS:

RELATED Indiana Jewish Historical Society Collection. Box 57 Folder 12

HOLDINGS: (M 0743); Jewish Welfare Federation (M 0463); B'nai B'rith

Abraham Lodge No. 58, Indianapolis (M 0362); Congregation Ezras Achim Minute Book, Indianapolis (BV 1975–1976); Jewish Community Center Records, Indianapolis (M 0349); Julian Freeman Collection, Indianapolis (M 0356); National Conference of Christian and Jews, Indiana Region Records (M 0360); Yearly publication series of the Indiana Jewish Historical

Society (F 5355 .J5 I5)

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NOTES: Part of the Indiana Jewish Historical Society collection. JWV

post 114 members Morton Koor and Harry Bunn came to the Indiana Historical Society June 19, 2008 in order to identify people and places in some of the pictures in this collection.

## HISTORICAL SKETCH

Founded in 1896 the Hebrew-Union Veterans Association of the Civil War Veterans, which soon after became the Jewish War Veterans of the USA (JWV), the JWV remains the oldest continuously operating veterans group in the United States. It is a national veteran's organization devoted to fostering Americanism, supporting the education of exservicemen and ex-servicewomen, preserving the history and records of Jewish veterans, contributing to the greater community, and combating anti-Semitism domestically and internationally.

In 1934 the JWV national organization approved the charter of Indianapolis Post #114. At some point, Post 114 ceased operating before being revived through the efforts of Paul Goldstein in 1992.

Post Commanders during this period included: Paul Goldstein (1993 (1995–1997), Larry Kaseff (1997–1999), Dave Fogle (1999–2000), and David Weintraub (2000–2002).

#### SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Series 1: Meeting announcements from between 1993

materials include: Post 114's original charter, a small number of meeting minutes, a couple of letters from new members introducing themselves, materials relating to the history of JWV, and other miscellaneous letters and JWV

## documents.

Series 2: This series contains various printed materials from the JWV post 114 including promotional pamphlets, envelope art, and JWV Post 114 letter head.

Series 3: Assorted color photographs of various JWV Post 114 events, banquets, meetings, Memorial Day celebrations, and hospital visits.

## **SERIES CONTENTS**

# Series 1: Correspondence and other papers, 1993–2002

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Meeting Announcements, 1993–2002	Box 1, Folder 1
Correspondence to and from National Headquarters	Box 1, Folder 2
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Scattered Meeting Minutes 1994–2002	Box 1, Folder 4
Materials relating to the history of JWV nationally and the local Post 114	Box 1, Folder 5
Local 114 Original 1934 and Renewed 1992 Charters	Box 1, Folder 6
List of names read during Memorial Day commemorations	Box 1, Folder 7
Materials from other veterans organizations	Box 1, Folder 8
JWV 114 Clippings File	Box 1, Folder 9

# Series 2: JWV Printed Materials, 1990s

CONTENTS	CONTAINER
JWV Pamphlets	Box 1, Folder 10
Letter head, award certificates, and envelope art	Box 1, Folder 11

# Series 3: JWV Post 114 Photographs, 1990s

CONTENTS	CONTAINER
Memorial Day, ca. 1990	Color Photographs: Box 1, Folder 1
Memorial Day at Bethel Cemetery, ca. 1993	Color Photographs: Box 1, Folder 2

Memorial Day, 1996 Color Photographs:

Box 1, Folder 3

Memorial Day, 2001 Color Photographs:

Box 1, Folder 4

Veteran's Day Parade, 1997 Color Photographs:

Box 1, Folder 5

Hospital visit, ca. 1993 Black and White

Photographs: Box 1, Folder 6

Hospital visits, ca. 1995 Color Photographs:

Box 1, Folder 7

Installation banquet, ca. 1991 Color Photographs:

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Installation banquet, ca. 1993 Color Photographs:

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Banquet polaroids, 1997 Color Photographs:

Box 1, Folder 10

Assorted JWV meeting photographs, ca. 1990 Color Photographs:

2002 Box 1, Folder 11

8x10 photograph of award ceremony Color Photograph:

Box 1, Folder 12

Assorted photographs Color Photographs:

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## CATALOGING INFORMATION

For additional information on this collection, including a list of subject headings that may lead you to related materials:

- 1. Go to the Indiana Historical Society's online catalog: <a href="http://opac.indianahistory.org/">http://opac.indianahistory.org/</a>
- 2. Click on the "Basic Search" icon.
- 3. Select "Call Number" from the "Search In:" box.
- 4. Search for the collection by its basic call number (in this case, M 0965).
- 5. When you find the collection, go to the "Full Record" screen for a list of headings that can be searched for related materials.