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**KEVIN JOHNSON AND ARNOLD STEWART  
ORAL HISTORY INTERVIEW AND TRANSCRIPT, 2014**

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## **COLLECTION INFORMATION**

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## **BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**

In 2014 the Indiana Historical Society began the Indiana LGBT Collecting Initiative to collect, preserve, and make accessible materials that document the rich history, tradition, and culture of Indiana's LGBT communities. Part of the collecting initiative includes the Indianapolis/Central Indiana LGBT Oral History Project. During the time period of 2014-2015, interviews were conducted of individuals, couples and families from all walks of life in Central Indiana area. This collection centers around the oral history interview of Kevin Johnson and Arnold Stewart conducted by Mark Lee on October 27, 2014.

Kevin Johnson (b. 1958) grew up in Indianapolis, Indiana. Johnson is an actor and visual artist. Arnold Stewart (b. 1949) grew up in Malone, New York. He served in the U.S. Army from 1982-1985. Arnold is also an artist and has worked in many different fields, including real estate. Kevin and Arnold have been together since they met in San Francisco, California, in 2000; they became domestic partners in 2001 and married in 2014. They currently reside in Sacramento, California.

Sources:

Information found in collection.

## SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The interview was transcribed from one video recorded interview with Kevin Johnson and Arnold Stewart conducted on October 27, 2014 by Mark Lee, lead project manager for the Indianapolis/Central Indiana LGBT Oral History Project. The interview, which includes the video recording and the transcript, is housed at the William H. Smith Memorial Library, Eugene and Marilyn Glick Indiana History Center, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The video recorded interview is approximately three hours long and is recorded on two DVDs. The collection includes one folder with articles preliminary questionnaires and the interview transcription.

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