

Guide to the Billy Tipton Photographs, circa 1950s.

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DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY

Title:

Billy Tipton photographs, circa 1950s.

Collection Number:

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Creator:

Billy, Tipton 1914-1989

Quantity:

0.2 cubic feet.

Forms of Material:

Photographs

Repository:

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Abstract:

A group of personal and professional photographs of Billy Tipton.

Language:

Collection material in English

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Billy Lee Tipton, born Dorothy Lucille Tipton on December 29, 1914, was an American jazz musician and bandleader who lived as a man for nearly 50 years. Tipton died on January 21, 1989.

COLLECTION DESCRIPTION

A group of personal and professional photographs of Billy Tipton, including one photo album, four 8x10", two 5x7", and loose photos from albums. The locations of these photos appear to be Roseburg and Medford, OR, Spokane, WA, and Reno, NV. One is labeled "At the Simons Home - Spokane, 1953."

SUBJECTS

Names:

Tipton, Billy,1914-1989

Tipton, Billy 1914-1989.

Subjects:

Jazz musicians--United States.

Transvestites--United States.

Form and Genre Terms:

Photographs

INFORMATION FOR USERS

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NOTES

Collecting Program: Human Sexuality Collection.

CONTAINER LIST

Date	Description	Container
	: Photos From Albums	Box 1 Folder 1
	: Photos From Albums	Box 1 Folder 2
	: Photos From Albums	Box 1 Folder 3
	: Photos From Albums	Box 1 Folder 4
1953	: Photos From Albums	Box 1 Folder 5
Sept-1951	: Photos From Albums	Box 1 Folder 6
	: Photos From Albums	Box 1 Folder 7

April-May 1950 n Photos

Box 1 Folder 8