Claudia McEvoy Maud's Collection

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Claudia McEvoy Maud's Collection

Dates: 1975-1994

Collection Number: GLC 145

Creator/Collector: McEvoy, Claudia.

Extent: 1 cubic foot (1 box), 1 oversized framed sign

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Abstract: Maud's was a lesbian bar in San Francisco that established a strong sense of lesbian community. McEvoy played on the bar's softball team. The collection of Maud's related material includes photographs, clippings, programs, books, T-shirts, matchbooks, awards, a trophy, and a framed sign.

Language of Material: English

Access

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Acquisition Information


Biography/Administrative History

Maud’s was a lesbian bar owned by Rikki Streicher that operated from 1966-1989. The bar established a strong sense of lesbian community. Claudia McEvoy played on the bar’s softball team.

Scope and Content of Collection

The collection of Maud's related material includes photographs, clippings, programs, books, T-shirts, matchbooks, awards, a trophy, and a framed "Gay-Ola" sign. There is information on the 20th anniversary celebration in 1986 that includes the plans and detailed program notes for all aspects of the event. The booklet "Maud's: The First Twenty Years, 1966-1986" contains additional photographs, notes and inscriptions from the party. The collection also includes "Liberated Space for the Women of the Haight-Ashbury," issue 8, March 1975; and, obituaries for Rikki Streicher.

Indexing Terms

Bars (Drinking establishments)--California--San Francisco--History.
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